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Governor Heads to Panama To Witness Passage of USS New Jersey Through the Panama Canal

Governor Christie Whitman will be in Panama this weekend to celebrate and witness the passage of the USS New Jersey through the Panama Canal. The Governor will begin the trip with a welcome reception and will cap off the trip at the Miraflores Locks with a tour and reception.

The USS New Jersey is making the trip through the Panama Canal on its way from Washington State to New Jersey.

Governor's Schedule
Saturday, October 16, 1999

7:00 p.m. REMARKS at Welcome Reception

Panama Marriot Hotel
Calle 52 y Ricardo Arias
Hotel Ballroom
Panama City

Governor's Schedule
Sunday, October 17, 1999

3:00 p.m. TOUR USS New Jersey

Port of Balboa
Piers 14 & 15

3:30 p.m. KEYNOTE ADDRESS at USS New Jersey Battleship Tribute Ceremony

Port of Balboa
Piers 14 & 15
Next to battleship

7:00 p.m. ATTEND Reception at the Residence of Ambassador and Mrs. Ferro

Ambassador's Residence
Calle Manuel Jose Hurtado
La Cresta
Panama City

Governor's Schedule

Monday, October 18, 1999

12:00 p.m. ATTEND Luncheon Reception Hosted by the Panama
Canal Commission Chairman Louis Caldera

Miraflores Locks Control Operation
Observation Deck
Panama Canal

