**PORTO MURTINHO – MS**

The Pantanal-Bonito Route has regions of preserved natural beauty. Porto Murtinho has its particular beauties. Located in Mato Grosso do Sul, 440km away from the capital, Campo Grande, with about 17,300 inhabitants.

One of the most representative activities of Porto Murtinho is farming, tourism and family farming. The municipality is located on the banks of the Paraguay River and close to the mouth of the Apa River.

Fishing tourism is its main economic activity. The stretch of the Paraguay River in Porto Murtinho is one of the fishiest in Brazil, which is why fishing, in addition to fauna and flora, is the main attraction of the city. From there, several boats depart with fishermen and tourists.

The cuisine is very strong, based on the Pantanal culture and fish.

The Paraguay River is one of the main attractions for Sport Fishing Tourism. THE

Fishing is a segment of tourism that is already consolidated in the municipality of Porto

Cowberry. Lovers of good fishing can find in the Paraguay River and its

afluentes the ideal place to live unforgettable moments in search of the best

hook.

This region offers, in addition to the beautiful landscapes, a contact with the culture

murtinhense who captivates with the customs and traditions of this people

hospitable. During the fishing season, Porto Murtinho receives tourists from

from various parts of the country, mainly from the south, southeast and central-west regions of the

Brazil. Paraguay is a river with an incredible amount and variety of species of

fauna and Flora. And it also enables the practice of Contemplative Tourism through

boat trips for bird watching, wildlife watching,

among other activities.

**Localization:**

Region: Southwest. On the border between Brazil and Paraguay, on the way to the Route

Bioceanics. 440 km away from the capital Campo Grande.

Ways of access: air, land and river. Federal and state highways, private flights, ships, hotel boats and other nautical transport.

**Travel tips:**

As with all the attractions on the Route, the ideal is to make reservations in advance, especially in high season (school holidays and long holidays).

The reservation for the tours must be made at a local tourism agency that will be responsible for booking the tour, hiring the tour guide who will accompany you and issue an authorization (voucher) for the tour.

All tours are paid and do not include transportation. There is the option of going with your own vehicle or hiring transport services at one of the city's tourist agencies.

A swimsuit, a cap or straw hat, a backpack, sneakers, closed rubber sandals (papete), a t-shirt, shorts, a sweatshirt, a raincoat, sunscreen, repellent, a camera, a camcorder and, in winter, a good sweater are essential.

Most of the roads that give access to the sidewalks are unpaved and it is recommended to travel at speeds between 30 to 50 km/h.

Atmospheric conditions can prevent or make it difficult to carry out some tours.

Don't feed the animals, nature already does it for you.

Do not litter the streets, trails and roads.