



## Why Attend

The National League of Cities Congressional City Conference is where the local leader voice takes center stage. Connect with federal officials, learn about funding opportunities available to cities, towns and villages, and add your voice to NLC's federal municipal policy.

Here are three reasons to reserve your spot at Congressional City Conference today:

- Raise your voice as a national advocate for local priorities as part of Hill Day.
- Meet with federal officials and other experts during our Federal Agency Office Hours.
- Hear from and learn from policy experts, Administration officials and other local leaders.

**2,000 +**

local leaders and advocates  
to learn from

**7**

policy committees to learn from and connect with other local leaders

**3**

days of intense policy and program workshops

**1**

day dedicated to advocacy and meeting members of congress

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#### Make Your Case in 5 Easy Steps

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1. **Boost Your Skills:** Attending the Congressional City Conference will boost your skills in this fast-changing world. Local government is on the front lines and must remain ready to respond.
2. **Impact Day-to-Day Work:** Provide examples of how your experience will positively impact your day-to-day work. For example, the up-close meeting with federal officials gives you an insider's view on programs that are available to your municipality.
3. **Make Connections:** Flag the connections you will make – with more than 2,000 attendees, there are countless ways to establish connections.
4. **Cost-savings:** Let your municipality know you're committed to finding cost savings.
5. **Make your Case:** Use our [Justification Letter Template < https://ccc.nlc.org/wp-content/uploads/2023/11/2024-ccc-justification-letter-.pdf >](https://ccc.nlc.org/wp-content/uploads/2023/11/2024-ccc-justification-letter-.pdf) to help your municipality understand why the Congressional City Conference is a valuable investment for your community.





### Washington, D.C. — March 9-March 13, 2024

**Note:** This schedule outline is subject to change. It's designed to help attendees with travel and event planning. It is not final.

## SAT MARCH 9

**8:15 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.**

Registration & Ask NLC Open

**9:00 a.m. – 5:45 p.m.**

NLC University Sessions

**12:00 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.** Board Executive Committee Meeting

**3:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.** Board Committee Meetings  
NLC100 < https://ccc.nlc.org/>

**7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.** NLC Board of Directors Event

## SUN MARCH 10

**7:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.** Registration & Ask NLC Open

**8:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.** NLC Board of Directors Meeting

**12:00 p.m. – 1:00 p.m.**

NLC Board & Advisory Council Luncheon

**12:00 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.** First Time Attendee Lunch and NLC 101 (Ticket Required)

**1:30 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.** Federal Advocacy Committee Meetings

**4:00 p.m. – 5:15 p.m.** Advisory Council Meeting

**4:00 p.m. – 5:15 p.m.** Member Council Meetings (Large and Small Cities)

**5:15 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.** Constituency Group Membership Meetings (HELO & APAMO)

**5:30 p.m. –**

**10:00 p.m.**

Evening Events, League Receptions, and Constituency Group events:

- **6:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.** Joint Constituency Group Reception

- **7:45 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.** LGBTQ+LO Dinner (Ticket Required)  
[< https://ccc.nlc.org/ >](https://ccc.nlc.org/) Dinner (Ticket Required)
- **7:45 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.** APAMO Dinner (Ticket Required)
- **8:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m.**  
 NBC-LEO Networking Reception (Ticket Required)

## **MON MARCH 11**

**7:00 a.m. – 5:30 p.m.**

Registrations & Ask NLC Open

**7:45 a.m. – 8:45 a.m.** Celebrate Diversity Breakfast (Ticket Required)

**8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.** Federal Agency Office Hours

**9:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.** Opening General Session

**10:30 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.** Break

**10:45 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.** Press Conference

**11:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.** Deep Dive Workshop Sessions

**12:30 p.m. – 1:45 p.m.** Member Council Meetings (First Tier Suburbs, Military Communities Council, YEF Council, University Communities Council)

**12:30 p.m. – 1:45 p.m.** Networking Box Lunch

**12:30 p.m. – 1:45 p.m.** Youth Delegate Welcome and Lunch

**12:30 p.m. – 1:45 p.m.** WIMG Luncheon (Ticket Required)  
[< https://ccc.nlc.org/ >](https://ccc.nlc.org/)

**12:30 p.m. – 1:45 p.m.** Strategic Partner Luncheon (Invite only)

**2:00 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.** Deep Dive Workshop Sessions

**2:00 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.** Youth Delegate Workshop

**3:30 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.** Break

**4:00 p.m. – 5:15 p.m.** General Session

**5:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.** Membership Meeting (NBC-LEO, Local Indigenous Leaders, LGBTQ+LO)

**5:30 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.** Youth Delegate Reception

**5:30 p.m. – 11:00 p.m.**

Evening Events, League Receptions, and Constituency Group events:

- **8:00 p.m. – 11:30 p.m.** NBC-LEO Night Out (Ticket Required)
- **9:00 p.m. – 11:00 p.m.** Young Municipal Leaders Reception

## **TUES MARCH 12**

**7:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.**

Registration & Ask NLC Open

**8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.** Federal Agency Office Hours

**9:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.** Deep Dive Workshop Sessions

10:30 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. Break  
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**11:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.** Deep Dive Workshop Sessions

**11:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.** Youth Workshop

**12:45 p.m. - 2:15 p.m.** Luncheon and General Session

**3:00 p.m. - 4:15 p.m.**

Hill Day Training Session for Participants

**2:45 p.m. - 4:15 p.m.** Youth Workshop & Closing Session

**4:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.** Council Meetings (REAL)

**4:15 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.** WIMG Board Meeting

**8:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m.** NLC 100th Anniversary Spring Celebration!

## **WED MARCH 13**

**8:00 a.m.** Grab and Go Breakfast

**9:00 a.m.** NLC Advocacy Day on Capitol Hill - **All Day**