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New Orleans and Community Action —A Special Partnership

Join us for in-depth learning sessions and sharing of great ideas with your colleagues. Our 2010 Management and Leadership Conference will take place at the New Orleans Marriott just steps away from the French Quarter. The preliminary agenda include sessions on Head Start, Green Jobs, Job Creation, Women in Leadership – Round 2, Board Governance, Community Action and the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (ARRA).

We will have special time set aside for networking round table discussions in order for you to share ideas, ask questions, and learn about the topics and subject areas that are most relevant to you and your CAA or State Association. Programs, management requirements and techniques are changing and evolving quickly. Learn about best practices, management updates, program developments, and other new ideas from your colleagues in Community Action.

The City of New Orleans

Enjoy the Community Action Partnership Convention – and New Orleans – in the company of friends, long-time and just met! Attend the sessions, share remembrances with colleagues, and enjoy three days of learning, networking, and coming together to renew friendships. Take some time before or after the Conference to explore the sights and sounds of New Orleans.

New Orleans – the name evokes images of fun, food, the French Quarter, and an ambience quite unlike any other American city. The birthplace of jazz, home to some of the finest restaurants in the world, history, charm, and sophistication – that is what New Orleans is all about.

The Community Action Partnership 2010 Management and Leadership Training Conference takes place at the beautiful New Orleans Marriott, located “where the French Quarter begins.” Located just a short walk from antique shopping on the famous Royal and Chartres Streets, two blocks from the lively atmosphere of Bourbon Street and the French Quarter, close to the beautiful Garden District, and in the midst of hundreds of unforgettable dining experiences, from Cajun to Creole to continental, the “Crescent City” awaits you.

What an extraordinary location to gather for our Management and Leadership Training Conference! Participate in all the learning and networking activities that we have planned for you and then treat yourself to the sights, sounds, and tastes of this wonderful city on the Mississippi River.

If you have not yet had a first-hand look at both the the lasting devastation and the inspiring rebuilding efforts taking place all over the New Orleans area, take time for a Post-Katrina bus tour. It is definitely an experience not to be missed by any visitor.

New Orleans Marriott—Special Rate

The New Orleans Marriott, located on Canal Street, is offering a fabulous rate of \$159 single and \$169 double rate. The rates are guaranteed until Friday, December 11, based on availability. *Please call the New Orleans Marriott at 1 (800) 228-9290 or (504) 581-1000 and ask for the Community Action conference rate.*

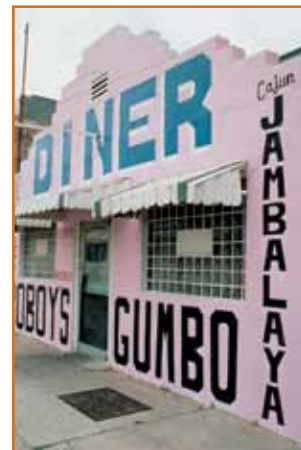
Please take the time today to complete the registration form and send it with your payment to the Community Action Partnership national office. We look forward to seeing you in New Orleans.

Training

The Partnership is committed to providing the most useful training, up-to-date information, and relevant professional development opportunities for our Community Action Network. *Come to New Orleans and join with 250-plus of our Movement's most effective leaders!*

Topics

- Green Jobs & Job Creation
- Head Start
- Economic Development Strategies
- Board Governance & Program Accountability
- ARRA & Recovery Act Successes
- Women in Leadership





- CBS & Cal/Neve- Fulfilling the Promise
- Strategies for Sustainability
- LACAP (Louisiana Association) highlights their Weatherization Training Center and Partnership
- Racial Equity Training — a new communications tool
- Best Practices in Advocacy ... and more!

Formats

- Full Day Intensive Trainings
- Half Day Sessions
- Roundtables for Networking, Problem-solving and Resource Sharing
- Informative Plenary Speakers

Our Goal

To make sure that as you're heading home after our conference is over on January 15th, you're saying, *"I'm really glad I invested the time and money to come to New Orleans and get such useful, relevant information and peer support."*

Updates

Please note this schedule is preliminary. Session times may change from those listed here. Watch the eNews and our website for up-to-date information.

Travel Special

Continental Airlines is offering Community Action Partnership attendees travel discounts to the 2010 Management and Leadership Training Conference in New Orleans! It's easy to book online! For 5% discount or more, book reservations directly online at www.continental.com. Access your meeting discounts by inserting in the **Offer Code Box: ZG7ED1TN2E**. Or, call your travel professional or Continental MeetingWorks directly at 800-468-7022. Refer to **Z Code ZG7E** and **Agreement Code: D1TN2E**. MeetingWorks offers Zone fares and discounts off published fares 2% to 13%. Discounts are valid on Continental, Continental Express, Continental Connection flights.

PRELIMINARY SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

TUESDAY, JANUARY 12

1:00 - 5:00 pm Registration

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 13

8:00 am - 5:00 pm Registration

8:30 - 9:15 am Opening Breakfast and Welcome to New Orleans

9:30 - 12:00 noon Conference Sessions

12:00 - 1:30 pm Lunch (on your own)

1:30 - 4:30 pm Training Sessions continue

5:00 - 7:00 pm New Orleans Welcome Reception

THURSDAY, JANUARY 14

8:00 am - 5:00 pm Registration & Product Sales

8:30 - 9:00 am Continental Breakfast

9:00 am - 12:00 noon Training Sessions

12:00 - 1:30 pm Luncheon and speaker sponsored by Louisiana Association of Community Action Partnerships

1:30 - 4:30 pm Training Sessions continue

Evening on your own to explore the French Quarter and New Orleans

FRIDAY, JANUARY 15

7:30 - 8:00 am Continental Breakfast

8:00 - 11:00 am Training Sessions

11:15 - 12:00 noon Legislative Update

12:00 noon Conference adjourns



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Register now for the

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► Registration begins on January 12th

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Registration Fee: \$435 Member price \$395

Name _____ Title _____
Agency _____ Member (circle one) YES NO
Address _____
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Payment: Check, purchase order, or credit card information MUST accompany this registration form. Make checks payable to Community Action Partnership. Note: A portion of the room rates will help to defray Community Action Partnership's expenses. Please submit a separate form for each participant. Cancellations must be submitted in writing to Linda Goff by November 30, after which fees cannot be refunded. A handling charge of \$125 per person will apply to all cancellation requests. Substitute registrants are permitted however; please notify Community Action Partnership of any substitutions.



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