Hotel Information

Residence Inn Tallahassee Universities at the Capitol - 600 W. Gaines Street

Reservations can be made by calling the hotel at 1-(800) 321-2211 and asking for the Florida League of Cities Jan2012 room block. The room rate is $124/night, single or double occupancy, and includes complimentary parking. The cut-off date for making reservations is December 23, 2011.

After the cut-off date, all unbooked rooms will be released. Special requests will be honored based on availability.

Note: Even though the cut-off date for making hotel reservations is specified, we could run out of rooms before that date so make your reservations as soon as possible.

The Florida League of Cities will provide transportation between the Residence Inn, Kleman Plaza, the Tallahassee-Leon County Civic Center and the Capitol.

Florida League of Cities
Legislative Action Days
Tallahassee □ January 24-25, 2012

Hotel Reservation Deadline: December 23, 2011
Registration Deadline: January 13, 2012
2012 FLC Legislative Action Days

The Florida League of Cities’ Legislative Action Days will be held Tuesday and Wednesday, January 24-25, 2012, in Tallahassee. Session starts early this year due to the requirements of redistricting, so make your travel plans now!

Be part of this year’s advocacy efforts as President Pat Bates and the League’s legislative team strategize and prepare for this critical session. You’ll hear directly from key legislators on an array of important issues, such as redistricting and pension reform.

On Tuesday, January 24, the League will hold a Legislative Briefing from 4:30 p.m. until 5:30 p.m. in Sittig Hall. Our lobbyists will provide status reports on the League’s legislative action agenda priorities. You’ll learn the latest on these and other key issues affecting municipalities. Please RSVP for this workshop on the registration form.

Following the briefing, there will be a reception for all registrants beginning at 5:30 p.m. Share ideas with your city colleagues and legislators in a relaxed setting before the next day’s more formal, focused advocacy begins. Please RSVP for the reception on the registration form.

Registration Form

Return the completed form* by January 13, 2012, to Florida League of Cities, P.O. Box 1757, Tallahassee, FL 32302-1757; or fax to (850) 222-3806; or e-mail to mhowe@flcities.com. Please type or print information requested. Complete one registration form per registrant; duplicate as needed. No registration fee is required; however, on-site registrants cannot be guaranteed for the meal function. The deadline for cancellations is January 13, 2012.

*Unfortunately, online registration for Legislative Action Days is not available at this time.

Name: ____________________________ First __________ M.I. __________ Last __________

First Name or Nickname: ____________________________ (as you wish it to appear on your badge)

Title: ____________________________

City or County Affiliation: ____________________________

Mailing Address: ____________________________

City: ____________________________ State: _____ Zip: ____________________________

Phone: ____________________________ First-Time Attendee? □ Yes □ No

E-mail: ____________________________

Do you plan to attend the Legislative Briefing on January 24? □ Yes □ No

Do you plan to attend the reception on January 24? □ Yes □ No

Special Needs: If you are physically challenged and require special service or if you have special dietary needs, please attach a written description to this registration form and notify the hotel for special service.

Join your city colleagues from across Florida in the fight for Home Rule!


TENTATIVE SCHEDULE*

Tuesday, January 24
Sittig Hall, 301 S. Bronough Street
Registration Desk Open
1:30 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

FLC Board of Directors Meeting
2:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Legislative Briefing
4:30 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.

Reception
5:30 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.

Wednesday, January 25
Tallahassee-Leon County Civic Center, 505 W. Peñascola Street
Registration Desk Open
7:00 a.m. - 8:30 a.m.

Legislative Leadership Breakfast
7:15 a.m. - 8:30 a.m.

Opening Remarks

Invocation

Welcome

Legislative Overview
  • Scott Dudley, Director, Legislative Affairs, FLC

  • Speakers to include various House and Senate members

  • “Charge to the Delegates”
    • Pat Bates, FLC President; Mayor, City of Altamonte Springs

Advocacy & Committee Meetings
Tuesday & Wednesday

Prior to Tuesday’s legislative briefing, or following Wednesday’s breakfast, delegates are encouraged to meet with their legislators at the Capitol and to attend any committee meetings in session. Please call your legislators in advance to let them know you are coming and to schedule a meeting. A complete list of committees meeting during this time will be available on-site, as well as posted to the League’s Web site as soon as it is available.

*Subject to change.