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NATIONAL LEAGUE OF CITIES

1976 Policy Leaders Seminars for Municipal Officials

SCHEDULE

ATLANTA	HYATT REGENCY	APRIL 12-14
BOSTON	STATLER HILTON	APRIL 22-24
SAN ANTONIO	HILTON PALACIO DEL RIO	MAY 17-19
DENVER	REGENCY INN	MAY 24-26
KANSAS CITY	CROWN CENTER	JUNE 14-16
CHICAGO	SHERATON-CHICAGO	JULY 8-10
SAN FRANCISCO	SAN FRANCISCO HILTON	AUGUST 5-7

PROGRAM OUTLINE

These seminars are designed to respond to current problems facing local officials and explore strategies for increasing the municipal voice in national affairs. NLC is sponsoring these regional meetings in conjunction with the State Municipal Leagues.

CITY STRATEGY CONFERENCE

This program will explore alternative ways to achieve more effective municipal involvement in shaping national events affecting cities. The meeting will be chaired by city officials on NLC's Regional Goals Committee and will provide an open forum for municipal officials to discuss current NLC activities and set directions for the future. The conference is being conducted under the auspices of the National League of Cities Board of Directors and the NLC Organizational Analysis and Strategy Committee.

POLICY LEADERS SEMINARS

These meetings are designed to help mayors, councilmembers, and top city administrative staff perform their duties more effectively and responsively. They are part of a series of regional programs conducted by NLC and supported in part by an Intergovernmental Personnel Act grant from the U.S. Civil Service Commission.

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DAY 1 -- CITY STRATEGY CONFERENCE FOR NATIONAL ACTION

- New Urban Challenges: Can the Cities Respond?
  - Why all cities need representation in Washington
  - Does NLC need to change?
- Open Hearing: Discussion of NLC Organizational Issues
  - NLC membership criteria, lobbying, membership services and communications: do they work for You?
- Status Report: The Federal Government and the Cities
- Roundtable Discussion: What is NLC's Future?

DAY 2 -- POLICY LEADERS SEMINAR FOR MAYORS AND COUNCILMEMBERS

- How to Get the Policies You Want When You Need Them
- How to Give the Public What It Wants
- How to Make the Most Out of Your Staff
- Time Management for City Officials
- Public Official Interests and Ethics
- Streamlining Council Operations and Procedures
- How to Operate as a Team Player

OR

POLICY LEADERS SEMINAR ON CRIMINAL JUSTICE

- Can We Control Crime?
- A City Council Looks at Crime Control
- The Elected Official's Role in Criminal Justice Policy
- Public Safety in the Small Community: The Police Role
- Public Safety in the Small Community: Non-Police Strategies
- How to Deal with Police Unions
- Police Corruption

DAY 3 -- POLICY LEADERS SEMINAR ON MUNICIPAL FINANCE

- City Finances at the Bicentennial: Rejuvenation or Bankruptcy?
- Getting Control of Your City Budget
- How to Use Your Budget to Make Ends Meet
- Living with the Credit Crunch
- Managing the City's Money: What Elected Officials Should Know
- Pensions: Look Before You Leap

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION:

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