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Honorarium or Expense Reimbursement Report (RSA 15-B)



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Name of Corporation or Entity: US Congressional Conference on Civic Education

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Briefly describe the service or event this Honorarium or Expense Reimbursement relates to:

National conference on Civic Education - Washington DC
Nov 18-20, 2006 (airfare - hotel - conference)

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Carolyn M Gargasz
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THE FOURTH ANNUAL CONGRESSIONAL CONFERENCE ON CIVIC EDUCATION

Hilton Washington Hotel
1919 Connecticut Ave, N.W.
Washington, D.C.
November 18-20, 2006

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 18, 2006

10:00 AM – 7:30 PM	Registration	<i>Concourse Level, Pre-function Area</i>
10:00 AM – Noon	State Facilitator Orientation	<i>Military Room</i>
Noon – 1:30 PM	Facilitator Roundtable Sharing Lunch	<i>Hemisphere Room</i>
2:00 – 3:30 PM	Civic Mission of Schools 101 and the Role of the Congressional Conferences	<i>Military Room</i>

This session will provide background information on the importance and current status of civic education, describe the overall conference proceedings, and highlight campaign and conference-related efforts throughout the country. While this session is designed primarily for new delegates, all delegates are welcome to attend.

Dr. Karl T. Kurtz

*Director of the Trust for Representative Democracy
Director of State Services, National Conference of State Legislatures*

Dr. Margaret S. Branson

Associate Director, Center for Civic Education

The Honorable Trey Grayson

Secretary of State, Commonwealth of Kentucky

Ted McConnell, Moderator

Director, Campaign to Promote Civic Education

4:30 – 5:30 PM **State Delegation Planning Sessions** *Jefferson & Thoroughbred Rooms*

First planning session for individual state delegations.

6:00 – 8:30 PM **Walk-Around Session** *Military & Hemisphere Rooms*

7:00 – 8:30 PM **Opening Reception** *Lincoln Room*

Conference sponsors welcome delegates

Deborah Price
*Assistant Deputy Secretary, Office of Safe and Drug Free Schools,
U.S. Department of Education*

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 19, 2006

7:00 – 8:30 AM **Continental Breakfast** *International Ballroom East*

8:00 AM – 5:00 PM **Registration** *Concourse Level, Pre-function Area*

8:30 – 10:15 AM **Opening Plenary Session** *International Ballroom*

8:30 – 8:40 AM **Armed Forces Color Guard**

8:40 – 9:00 AM **Welcome, Update and Overview of Conference Goals**

Charles N. Quigley
Executive Director, Center for Civic Education

9:00 – 10:15 AM **A Discourse on Civility and Civic Education**

A discussion with two veteran Congressional Leaders on the vital role civility and education play in sustaining our democracy.

The Honorable ~~Tom Foley~~ ^{JX} Charles Stenholm - Blue Dog Democrat
Former Speaker of the U.S. House of Representatives

The Honorable Robert H. Michel - Republican Pearce IL
Former Minority Leader of the U.S. House of Representatives

Dr. Doug Bailey, Moderator
Author, Consultant, Co-Founder of Unity08

10:15 – 10:30 AM **Break**

10:30 AM – Noon

Key Policies That Impact Civic Education

International Ballroom

An interactive exploration of important policies that affect civic learning, including standards, curricular requirements, assessment, and professional development—examined from the state and school district perspectives.

Dr. Margaret S. Branson
Associate Director, Center for Civic Education

Dr. Shelley Billig
Vice President, RMC Research Corporation

~~The Honorable Marilyn Howard~~ Dan Prinzing *Coordinator*
State Superintendent of Public Instruction, Idaho *Civics Ed - Idaho DoE*

Dr. William Hughes
Superintendent, Greendale School District, Greendale, Wisconsin

Terry Pickeral, Moderator
*Director, National Center for Learning and Citizenship,
Education Commission of the States*

Noon – 1:30 PM

Luncheon

International Ballroom East

Student Presentation: Teen Court
Kentucky Court of Justice, Campbell District Court

Brenda Welburn
Executive Director, National Association of State Boards of Education

1:45 – 2:35 PM

Breakout Session *(see Breakout Sessions List)*

2:40 – 3:30 PM

Breakout Session *(see Breakout Sessions List)*

Two sets of breakouts (50 minutes each) will focus on elements of the policy areas highlighted in the previous policy plenary as well as other topics relating to effective civic learning policy and practice.

3:30 – 3:45 PM

Break

3:45 – 5:00 PM

Meetings of States *(see Meetings of States Rooms List)* *Adams*

State delegations will meet with other delegations from across the nation to share experiences, lessons learned, and ideas (ten meetings of five states each).

5:00 – 5:15 PM

Break

5:15 – 6:00 PM **State Delegation Planning Session** *International Ballroom*

Second planning session for individual state delegations.

5:30 – 7:00 PM **Walk-Around Session** *International Ballroom*

7:00 – 10:00 PM **Dinner** *International Ballroom East*

American Civic Education Teacher Award Presentations

Leo Hindery, Jr.
Managing Partner, InterMedia Partners

The Honorable Marjorie O. Rendell
Judge, Third Circuit, U.S. Court of Appeals
First Lady of Pennsylvania
Founding Partner, Pennsylvania Coalition for Representative Democracy

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 20, 2006

7:30 – 8:30 AM **Continental Breakfast** *International Ballroom East*

8:00 AM – Noon **Registration** *Concourse Level, Pre-function Area*

8:30 – 9:00 AM **Plenary Session** *International Ballroom*

Welcome and Overview of the Day's Program

Dr. Karl T. Kurtz
Director of the Trust for Representative Democracy
Director of State Services, National Conference of State Legislatures

The Honorable Ray Simon
Deputy Secretary, U.S. Department of Education

9:00 – 10:15 AM **Mini Plenary Session** *(see assigned rooms below)*

Following up on Sunday's plenary meeting, these four smaller group sessions provide an interactive and more in-depth look at three key policy areas plus an examination of effective civic learning implementation at the school district level.

Concurrent meetings will focus on:

Standards & Curricular Requirements
Assessment
Professional Development
District Implementation

Monroe Room
Military Room
Hemisphere Room
Thoroughbred Room

- 10:15 – 10:30 AM** **Break**
- 10:30 – 11:30 AM** **Breakout Session** *(see Breakout Sessions List)*
- One set of breakouts focused on effective civic learning policy and practice.
- 11:30 AM – 12:30 PM** **Meetings of States** *(see Meeting of States Rooms List)*
- State delegations will meet with other delegations from across the nation to share experiences, lessons, learned and ideas (ten meetings of five states each).
- 12:30 – 2:15 PM** **Luncheon** *International Ballroom East*
- Student Presentation: Foundations of Democracy**
Doe Elementary School, Johnson County, Tennessee
- 2:30 – 4:15 PM** **State Delegation Planning Session** *International Ballroom*
- Third planning session to provide individual state delegations an opportunity to develop the report to the final plenary.
- 4:30 – 5:00 PM** **Final Plenary Session** *International Ballroom*
- Roll Call of States: Delegations Report to the Plenary
- 5:00 – 7:00 PM** **Closing Reception** *Jefferson Room*
- The Honorable Lee H. Hamilton
Director, Center on Congress at Indiana University

The 2006 Congressional Conference is dedicated to Roy Erickson, California Delegation Facilitator 2003-2006, and Dave DuBois, Kansas Delegation Facilitator 2003-2005 and Chief of Staff of the Center for Civic Education, who dedicated much of their lives to the cause of civic education and strengthening America's democracy.
