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Name of Corporation or Entity: Lincoln Institute on Land Policy

Name of Corporate/Entity Representative: _____

Work Address of Representative: 113 Brattle St, Cambridge Ma

Value of Honorarium: _____ Date Received: _____ If exact value is unknown, provide an estimate of the value of the gift or honorarium and identify the value as an estimate. Exact Estimate

Value of Expense Reimbursement: \$400 Date Received: 10/19-19 A copy of the agenda or an equivalent document must be attached to this filing. Exact Estimate

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

Conference on 600+ Perspectives on Property Tax

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Marjorie K. Smith
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LINCOLN INSTITUTE OF LAND POLICY

ECONOMIC PERSPECTIVES ON PROPERTY TAXES AND EDUCATION FINANCE

October 18-19, 2007

Agenda

An interactive seminar, limited to 30 participants, and targeted to legislators in the Northeastern states.

Thursday, October 18, 2007

- 6:30-7:00 p.m.** **Reception for participants and faculty**
Harvard Faculty Club
- 7:00-8:30 p.m.** **Dinner for participants and faculty**
Harvard Faculty Club

Friday, October 19, 2007

Lincoln House, 113 Brattle Street, Cambridge, MA

- 8:00 - 8:45 a.m.** **Sign-in and Continental Breakfast**
- 8:45 - 9:00** **Introduction**
- *Joan Youngman*, Senior Fellow and Chairman, Department of Valuation and Taxation, Lincoln Institute of Land Policy
- 9:00 – 10:45** **Circuit Breakers and Other Property Tax Relief for Moderate and Low Income Households**
- *Nicholas Johnson*, Director, State Fiscal Project, Center on Budget And Policy Priorities, “An Overview of Circuit Breaker Programs in the U.S.”
 - *John Bowman*, Emeritus Professor, Virginia Commonwealth University, “Issues in Designing a Property Tax Circuit Breaker”
 - *Maine Rep. Richard Woodbury*, “Assessing the Impact of Maine’s Expanded Circuit Breaker”
 - *Barbara Stucki*, National Council on Aging, “Tapping the Potential for Reverse Mortgages”
- 10:45** **Break**
- 11: - 12:30** **School Finance Reform: Lessons from the States**
- *Daphne Kenyon*, Visiting Fellow, Lincoln Institute of Land Policy, “Lessons from California, New Jersey, Texas, Ohio, Michigan, Massachusetts, and New Hampshire”

- *Andrew Reschovsky*, Professor, University of Wisconsin, Madison and Visiting Fellow, Lincoln Institute of Land Policy, “The Price of No Reform: Lessons from Wisconsin”
- *Darcy Saas*, Deputy Director, New England Public Policy Center, Federal Reserve Bank of Boston, “Lessons from Vermont”

12:30 - 1:15

Lunch

1:15 - 2:15

Lunch Speaker:

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

“Pursuing High Academic Achievement for all Children: Current State Actions and Issues”

2:15

Break

2:30 – 4:00

Education Cost Drivers and Efficiency Options

Nic Rockler, Kavet, Rockler & Associates, LLC., “Education Cost Drivers in Vermont”

William Duncombe, Professor, Syracuse University, “What Do We Know About the Cost Impact of School District Consolidation?”

Amy Ellen Schwartz, Professor, New York University, “Measuring School Efficiency”

4:00

Adjourn



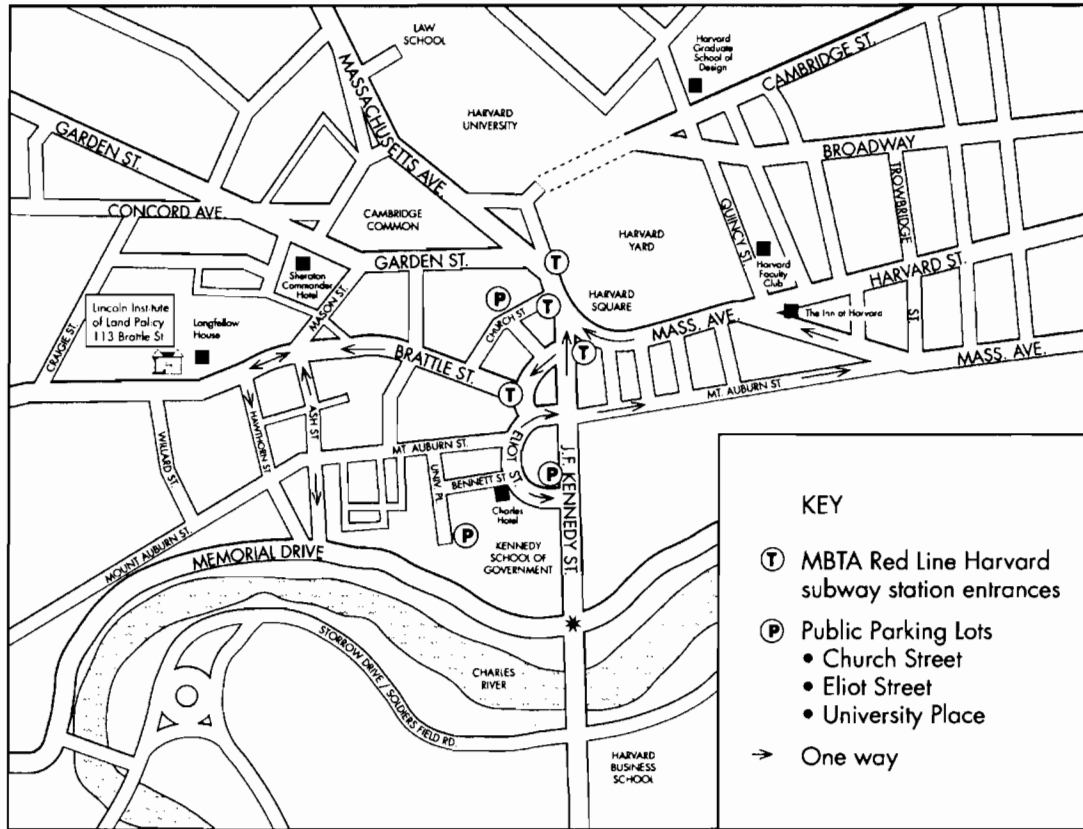
MAP AND DIRECTIONS TO LINCOLN HOUSE

Lincoln Institute of Land Policy

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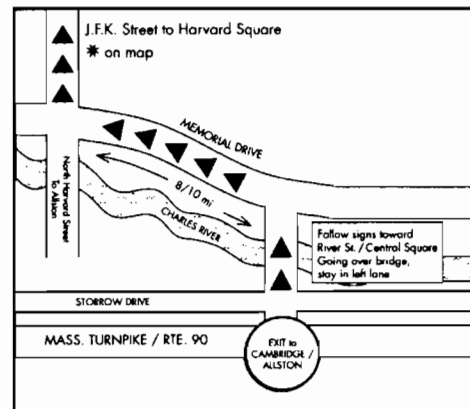


Lincoln House is located at 113 Brattle Street, a 10-15 minute walk from Harvard Square. As you walk away from the Harvard Square area, Lincoln House is the dark red house on the right side of Brattle Street, just beyond the yellow Henry Wadsworth Longfellow house. Parking is not available at Lincoln House, and on-street metered parking is limited.

Sheraton Commander Hotel
16 Garden Street
Telephone (617) 547-4800

The Inn at Harvard
1201 Massachusetts Avenue
Telephone (617) 491-2222

Charles Hotel
1 Bennett at Eliot Street
Telephone: (617) 864-1200



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Subject: Important Logistics: October 19th Economic Perspectives Conference at the Lincoln Institute in Cambridge

Date: Tue, 16 Oct 2007 10:04 am

Attachments: LILP_Map.doc (142K), Final_Agenda.doc (42K)

Good afternoon,

In preparation for your participation in the upcoming **Economic Perspectives on Property Taxes and Education Finance** taking place on **October 19th** at the Lincoln Institute of Land Policy in Cambridge, please review the important logistics below.

I will be your onsite contact for the meeting. My cell phone # is 617-212-1905 should you need to reach me on Thursday night or anytime during the meeting. Before then, please utilize my work phone 617-385-5368 or email.

Speakers: If you have prepared a PowerPoint or other presentation for the Seminar, please bring it on a memory stick so we can load it on to the computer in the classroom for you.

Meeting Location (Map Attached)

Lincoln Institute
113 Brattle Street
Cambridge, MA 02138

Schedule (Agenda Attached)

Thursday, October 18th

6:30 - 8:30 pm Reception & Dinner

Location:

Harvard Faculty Club, *located on the first floor*
20 Quincy Street
Cambridge, MA 02138
617-495-5758

Friday, October 19th:

8:00 - 8:45 am Registration & Continental Breakfast (*at the Lincoln Institute*)

8:45 - 12:30 pm Meeting

12:30 - 1:15 pm Lunch (*at the Lincoln Institute*)

1:15 - 4:00 pm Meeting

Parking: There is **NO parking available at the Lincoln Institute** and there are no exceptions to this rule. All spaces at the Lincoln House are reserved for Staff who pay monthly for their space. Parking on Brattle Street is by permit only. We recommend that you park at the Sheraton Commander Hotel www.sheraton.com/commander as it is a 5 minute walk from the Lincoln Institute (see map). Parking is valet at the Sheraton and is \$15 for a full day.

From the Airport: The Sheraton Commander is approximately a \$40 cab ride plus tip and a 20 minute ride depending on traffic. Public transportation, the T, is another option but it will take you closer to an hour if during rush hour. www.mbt.com

Meals: Breakfast and Lunch will be provided for you at no cost during the meeting on Friday. On Thursday the 18th a reception and dinner will also be provided for you; *If you have a dietary restriction that you have not yet notified me about on your registration form or otherwise, please contact me immediately.*

We look forward to welcoming you soon.

Take care and safe travels,

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