

Events Open to Press

Friday, January 25, 2002

- 8:00 a.m. *Plenary session on economic security – Ballroom*
New Orleans Mayor Marc Morial, President, U.S. Conference of Mayors
Providence Mayor Vincent Cianci, Chairman, Mayors and the Business
Community Task Force
Jonathan Tisch, Chairman and CEO, Loews Hotels
Felix Rohatyn, former Managing Director, Lazard Freres
- 9:00 a.m. *Addressing the needs of working families in today's economy – Ballroom*
Denver Mayor Wellington Webb
Douglas Nelson, President, Annie E. Casey Foundation
Report on Mayors' Skills Summits: Long Beach Mayor Beverly O'Neill
Marian Wright Edelman, President, Children's Defense Fund
- 10:00 a.m. *Mayors and Small Business: A Force for Economic Recovery – Ballroom*
J. Thomas Cochran, Executive Director, U.S. Conference of Mayors
George Cloutier, Chairman, Partner America; Chairman and CEO,
American Management Services, Inc.
U.S. Senator John Kerry, Chairman, Committee on Small Business
Kansas City (Mo.) Mayor Kay Barnes
Stamford Mayor Daniel Malloy
- 11:45 a.m. Mayors press conference – *West Ballroom Foyer, 3rd floor*
- 12:30 p.m. *Luncheon – Ballroom*
New York City Mayor Michael Bloomberg addresses the nation's mayors.
James Murphy, Chairman, Mortgage Bankers Association of America
Marci Rossell, Chief Economist, CNBC
Congressman Charles Rangel, Ranking member, U.S. House Committee
on Ways and Means
Fred Kleisner, Chairman and CEO, Wyndham International
- 2:00 p.m. *Breakout sessions*
Promoting investment in America's cities – *Beekman Parlor*
Co-chairs: New Orleans Mayor Marc Morial
 Akron Mayor Donald Plusquellic
 Providence Mayor Vincent Cianci
Remarks: Roy Bernardi, Assistant Secretary, U.S. Department of
 Housing and Urban Development
 Louisville Mayor David Armstrong
 Anne Habiby, Co-Executive Director, Initiative for a
 Competitive Inner City
- Small business development/travel and tourism – *Sutton Parlor North*
Co-chairs: Kansas City Mayor Kay Barnes
 Stamford Mayor Daniel Malloy
Remarks: Toni Casey, Director of Intergovernmental Affairs, Small
 Business Administration
 Steve Nesmith, Deputy Assistant Secretary, U.S.

Department of Commerce
Nat Wienecke, Director, Economic Development
Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce

Addressing the needs of working families – *Sutton Parlor South*
Co-chairs: Boston Mayor Thomas Menino, Vice President, U.S.
Conference of Mayors
Denver Mayor Wellington Webb
Remarks: Long Beach Mayor Beverly O'Neill
Paul Harrington, Center for Labor Market Studies,
Northeastern University
John Monahan, The Annie E. Casey Foundation

Saturday, January 26, 2002 – New York City

- 8:15 a.m. *Breakfast honoring victims of September 11 attack – Ballroom*
New Orleans Mayor Marc Morial, President, U.S. Conference of Mayors
Richard Sheirer, Director, New York City Mayor's Office of Emergency
Management
Chaplains of New York City Police and Fire Departments
Rudy Giuliani, former mayor, New York City
- 12:00 p.m. Mayors and Senator Clinton press conference –
Marriott Financial Center Hotel, 85 West Street
- 12:30 p.m. Luncheon – *Marriott Financial Center Ballroom, 85 West Street*
Hempstead (NY) Mayor James Garner, Chair,
U.S. Conference of Mayors Advisory Board
Senator Clinton
John Whitehead, Chairman, Lower Manhattan Development Corporation

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populations of 30,000 or more. There are about 1,150 such cities in the country today.*

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