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**2003 ICMA HISPANIC NETWORK CONFERENCE
PHOENIX/MARICOPA COUNTY, AZ
APRIL 2-5, 2003**

The 2003 ICMA Hispanic Network Conference Brings You...

...a professional development opportunity not to be missed! Local government managers face multiple challenges and opportunities as the communities we serve and the workforces we employ become increasingly diverse. The tools we use to serve our residents give us the potential to make a positive difference. The 2003 ICMA Hispanic Network conference will present a well-balanced offering of educational sessions, keynote speakers, workshops, and special events. Phoenix/Maricopa County will provide an ideal backdrop for three full days of networking and information exchange.

Information-packed Sessions:

- Educational issues impacting our hispanic workforce
- Health issues and the hispanic community
- Invisible borders affecting our immigrant community: daily barriers affecting our immigrant communities
- Past, present, and future hispanic leadership in the 21st century
- The power of the hispanic market
- Finding the balance: personal and professional development
- Hispanic leadership development from a human resource perspective
- The emerging latina leader
- Community partners that work
- ...and more!!!

Keynote Speakers:

- The Honorable Ed Pastor, U.S. Congressman, 2nd District, Arizona
- Dr. Luis Olivas, Professor of Management, Arizona State University, College of Business (Invited)
- The Honorable Bill Richardson, Governor of the State of New Mexico (Invited)
- The Honorable Judith Valles, Mayor, San Bernardino, California
- Local government leaders from the City of Phoenix/Maricopa County, and adjacent jurisdictions

Special Sessions:

- International exchange: relationships across the border
- The impact of the justice system on Hispanics
- Best Practices: Doing it Right

**“Enriching
Communities
through Full
Partnership for
Hispanics in Local
Government.”**

Hispanic Network Conference Schedule

Wednesday, April 2, 2003

- 12:00 noon to 6:00 pm Onsite registration, Phoenix Civic Plaza
6:00 to 8:00 pm Welcoming Reception, Phoenix Civic Plaza/Mariachis,
Food, Fun!

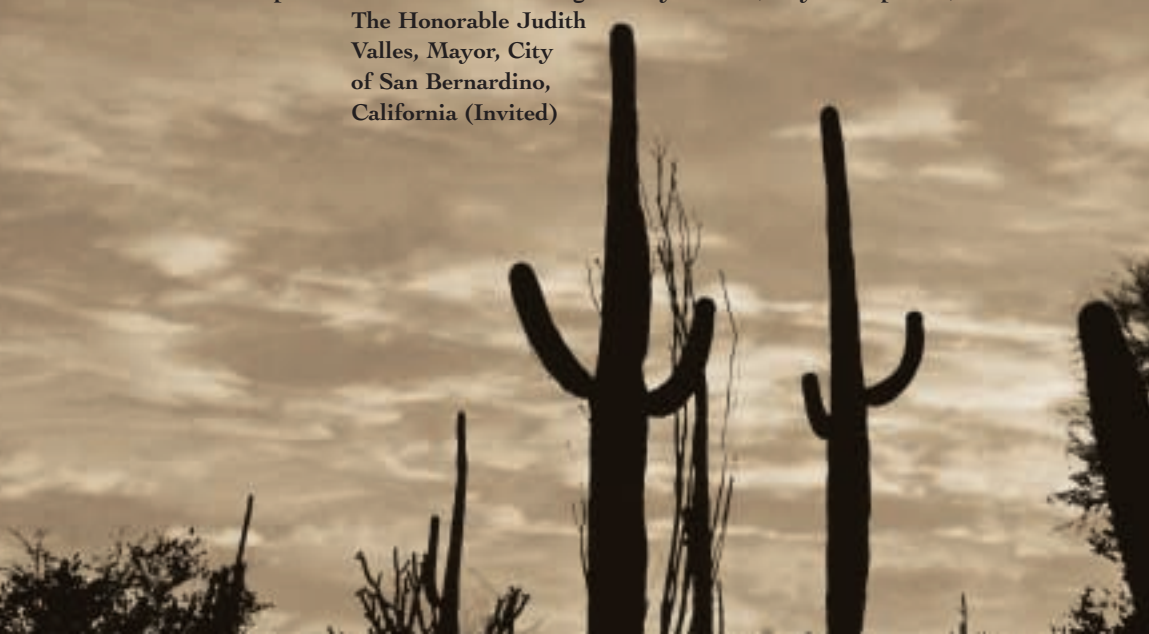
Thursday, April 3, 2003

- 8:30 am to 5:00 pm Onsite registration, Phoenix Civic Plaza
8:30 to 9:45 am Opening Session/Welcome to Phoenix and Maricopa County
Phoenix Mayor Skip Rimsza (Invited); City Manager Frank
Fairbanks (Invited); Maricopa County Supervisor Mary Rose
Wilcox (Invited); Arizona Governor Janet Napolitano (Invited)
10:00 am to 11:30 am Keynote Speaker, Dr. Luis Olivas, Professor of Management,
Arizona State University, College of Business (Invited)
11:45 am to 1:45 pm Luncheon with Keynote Speaker, The Honorable Bill Richardson,
Governor, State of New Mexico (Invited)
2:00 pm to 4:00 pm Concurrent educational sessions
4:00 pm to 5:30 pm Roundtable discussions

Friday, April 4, 2003

- 8:30 am to 5:00 pm Onsite registration, Phoenix Civic Plaza
9:00 to 11:15 am Morning Panel: Hispanic City Managers—Following the Map
11:30 am to 1:45 pm Luncheon with Keynote Speaker, The Honorable Ed Pastor, U.S.
House of Representatives; Arizona's 2nd District;
Recognition of Hispanic Network Local Government and
Institutional Members and Corporate Sponsors
2:00 to 4:00 pm Concurrent educational sessions
6:00 to 9:00 pm Mexican Rodeo Banquet—Corona Ranch

Saturday, April 5, 2003

- 8:00 to 8:30 am Check-in for pre-registered ICMA University
workshop participants
8:30 to 11:30 am ICMA University Workshop
9:00 to 11:00 am Concurrent Educational Sessions
11:30 am to 1:00 pm Luncheon and Closing Plenary Session; Keynote Speaker,
The Honorable Judith
Valles, Mayor, City
of San Bernardino,
California (Invited)
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Don't Miss these Special Conference Events

- Mexican Rodeo Banquet at the Corona Ranch and Rodeo
- Preconference golf tournament at the Aguila Golf Course, the newest facility in Phoenix with scenic views of the South Mountains and the Estrella Mountains

Things to Do in Phoenix/Maricopa County: A Family Friendly Destination

- Tour Heritage Square, featuring historical homes—on the original site of the historic city of Phoenix—restored to their former splendor
- Visit the internationally acclaimed Heard Museum, one of the best places to experience and learn about the fascinating cultures and art of Native Americans of the Southwest.
- Savor a wide range of international cuisine

Hotel Accommodations

Hotel Accommodations in Phoenix, directly across from the Civic Plaza

Conference Hotel:

Hyatt Regency Phoenix • Call 800-233-1234 for reservations

Conference Travel:

Official Travel Agent—TravelAway, Inc. • Call 800-669-2205

Climate and Attire

In April, Phoenix has mild, temperate weather with an average high of 62 degrees. Dress for the conference is business casual.

About the ICMA Hispanic Network



Developed to improve leadership roles of Hispanic public administrators in the communities they serve and to provide a support network for Hispanic practitioners, the Hispanic Network addresses the unique needs of Hispanic members in the local government management profession. Our vision is to enrich communities through Hispanic leadership in local government. Information is shared through a print and electronic newsletter, an annual membership directory, and regional professional development conferences.

A major goal of this ICMA affiliate group is to encourage young Hispanic men and women to enter the field of local government management. For more information, contact Rita Soler Ossolinski at 202/962-3635 or e-mail rossolinski@icma.org

About ICMA

ICMA—promoting excellence in local government through professional management. ICMA provides an information clearinghouse, technical assistance, and training and professional development to nearly 8,000 chief appointed administrators, assistant administrators, and other individuals throughout the world.



ICMA Hispanic Network Conference Registration Form

Hispanic Network Conference Registration Information

To register for ICMA's Hispanic Network Conference, please complete the registration form below. Check the adjacent boxes to register and include the appropriate payment.

ICMA's Hispanic Network Conference Fees

- Early Bird Registration through January 31 \$150*
- After February 1 and through February 28 \$250*
- After February 28 and onsite \$350*
- International Program Participants \$150*
- Student registration (Proof of student status required) \$50



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Additional Information:

If you can't attend, but would like to join the ICMA Hispanic Network, contact Rita Soler Ossolinski at 202/962-3635 or e-mail rossolinski@icma.org or visit our Web site at <http://icma.org/Hispanic> for our membership application form.



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