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# A PARTNERSHIP SUMMIT TO STRENGTHEN COMMUNITIES

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Hosted by the White House Office of Faith-Based  
and Community Initiatives and CaliforniaVolunteers



The White House  
Washington, DC 20502

**Sacramento, California**  
**August 18, 2008**

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## Conference Agenda

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**7:00 – 3:00**     **Registration**

**8:30 – 10:45**     **Morning Plenary** Ballroom

**Welcome and Introduction**

Jedd Medefind, Special Assistant to the President and Deputy Director,  
White House Office of Faith-Based and Community Initiatives

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Color Guard: Governor and Adjutant General's Own

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National Anthem: Tatiana Taylor, AmeriCorps Volunteer

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**President Bush's Faith-Based and Community Initiative**

Jay Hein, Deputy Assistant to the President and Director,  
White House Office of Faith-Based and Community Initiatives

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**Strengthening Communities through Volunteerism**

The Honorable Karen Baker, Secretary of Service and Volunteering, State of California

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**Corporate and Philanthropic Strategies**

Moderator: Stephen Jordan, Senior Vice President and Executive Director,  
Business Civic Leadership Center, U.S. Chamber of Commerce

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Panelists: David Porges, Regional Leader for Community Involvement, Pacific Southwest, Deloitte LLP  
Rita Holiday, Community Relations Manager, Intel Corporation  
Jamie Hartman, Executive Director, Pro Bono Action Tank, Taproot Foundation

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**Guidance on Partnering with the Federal Government**

Rob Siedlecki, Senior Counsel, Task Force on Faith-Based and Community Initiatives,  
U.S. Department of Justice

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**11:00 – 12:00**     **Morning Sub-Plenary Sessions**

I. Trends in Volunteering Room 202

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II. Effective Integration of Nonprofits and Government in Disaster Preparedness  
and Response Room 203

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III. Prevention and Intervention of Gang and Youth Violence and Reentry Efforts Room 204

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### LUNCH / NETWORKING

**12:00 – 1:00**     Representatives from Federal and State agencies will be available  
to respond to specific questions on resources and partnership opportunities.

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**A F T E R N O O N   W O R K S H O P S**

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**1:00 – 2:15****Track A**

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I. Developing a Quality Grant Proposal	Ballroom
II. Developing a Business Plan for Your Nonprofit	Room 317-318
III. Leveraging National Service Volunteers to Increase Your Impact	Room 319
IV. Recruiting and Retaining Today's Volunteers	Room 301
V. Successful Models for Collaborative Community-Based Prisoner Reentry	Room 304-305
VI. The Roles of FBCOs in Emergency Preparedness, Response and Recovery	Room 302-303
VII. Legal Do's and Don'ts on the Federal and State Level	Room 316

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**2:25 – 3:40****Track B**

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I. Finding Grant Funders	Ballroom
II. Planned, Comprehensive City Approaches To Gang Reduction	Room 301
III. Reinventing Your Volunteer Program	Room 319
IV. Nonprofit Preparedness and Collaboration for Disaster	Room 304-305
V. Partnering to Break the Cycle of Homelessness	Room 316
VI. Substance Abuse Treatment and Recovery Services: Expanding Client Choice	Room 317-318
VII. How Community Partnerships Can Advance Afterschool Programs	Room 302-303

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**3:50 – 5:00****Track C**

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I. Transforming Communities by Strengthening Families	Ballroom
II. International Faith-Based and Community Initiatives: Growing Partnerships in Humanitarian Assistance Overseas	Room 301
III. Engaging People with Disabilities in Disaster Preparedness, Response, and Recovery	Room 302-303
IV. Resources and Services to Help Veterans and Their Families	Room 317-318
V. Alleviating Hunger and Improving Nutrition	Room 316
VI. Recruiting and Retaining Today's Volunteers (repeat)	Room 319
VII. Developing a Quality Grant Proposal (repeat)	Room 304-305

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