

# 2008 Western States Capitol Hill Visit

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Wyoming Bankers  
Associations

September 7-10, 2008

WASHINGTON, D.C.

# Pre-Trip—September 7 & 8, 2008

## Schedule of Events

Saturday, September 6, 2008

**ARRIVE IN WASHINGTON D.C.**

Sunday, September 7, 2008

**LONGWOOD GARDENS & WINTERTHUR ESTATES**  
(**\$150\* per person**)

<http://www.longwoodgardens.org>

<http://www.winterthur.org>

Transportation Provided / Group Activity

Round trip approximately 4 hours. Lunch is on your own. The Longwood Gardens is a self-guided tour and Winterthur Estates is a guided tour. Plan a full-day for this activity.



In 1906, when an arboretum of trees was slated for destruction, Pierre Samuel du Pont purchased the property to save the trees. He then began creating a garden like no other. Longwood Gardens is referred to as the world's premier horticultural display garden, complete with incredible fountains, gardens, woodlands and meadows, and

performing arts events. Longwood has more foundations than any other garden in the U.S. and compares favorably with the great water displays of Europe. Pierre du Pont was passionate about fountains and created three separate fountain gardens and an assortment of smaller water features to delight and amaze visitors from all around the world.

At Winterthur Estate you will explore the history of Winterthur, tracing its evolution and transformation from an extraordinary private family home and working farm to a cultural world-renowned museum. A great American country estate nestled in the heart of Delaware's beautiful Brandywine Valley, you will have the opportunity to discover the museum's magnificent collection of American antiques celebrating the best in style and craftsmanship.



Monday, September 8, 2008

**BALTIMORE ORIOLES VS.**  
**CLEVELAND INDIANS**

**SEPTEMBER 8, 7:05 P.M.**

**CAMDEN YARDS (\$55\* per person)**

<http://baltimore.orioles.mlb.com>

Transportation Provided / Group Activity



**\* Costs are approximate**

Join the bankers from Utah at the Orioles Stadium at Camden Yards. Attendees should plan to arrive at the hotel no later than 4:30 p.m. on September 8th. The bus will leave the hotel at 5:30 p.m. sharp.



Explore the City Anytime!

**WASHINGTON DC HOP-ON-HOP-OFF**  
**OPEN-TOP DOUBLE DECKER BUS TOUR**  
**TWO DAY PASS**

[www.dctours.us/tours/tourdetail.cfm?tour\\_id=8827](http://www.dctours.us/tours/tourdetail.cfm?tour_id=8827).

\$39.95 per person, \$17.95 age 3-11. Under 3 is free. Use for two consecutive days (Saturday/Sunday, Sunday/Monday, Monday/Tuesday or Tuesday/Wednesday). Great Spouse/Guest Activity!



Choose when you would like to view the sights of our Nation's Capitol aboard a new open-top double-decker bus. This tour operates as a hop-on, hop-off tour that encompasses 25 of the major sights of Washington D.C. Buses may be picked up at Union Station every 30 minutes from 9:00 a.m.—5:00 p.m. Complete the banker registration form to participate.

Please refer to their website for exact pick-up locations prior to your trip: [www.dctours.us/tours/tourdetail.cfm?tour\\_id=8827](http://www.dctours.us/tours/tourdetail.cfm?tour_id=8827).

# Capitol Hill Visit ~ September 9-10, 2008

This is the year to join fellow bankers from across the West for the Western States Bankers Associations' annual trip to our nation's Capitol. This year we have meetings planned with the FDIC and the OCC, as well as a briefing on the Presidential Election and a report from Senate Banking Committee analysts.

## Schedule of Events

### Tuesday, September 9, 2008

- 8:00 am **IDAHO BREAKFAST - BANKERS ONLY**  
(Renaissance Mayflower Hotel Café Promenade)
- 9:00 am **SPOUSE/GUEST ACTIVITY (\$75\*)**  
Breakfast & Library of Congress Tour  
(Renaissance Mayflower Hotel)
- 9:00 am-Noon **ABA BRIEFINGS**
- Afternoon **CONGRESSIONAL VISITS**
- Evening **NEWSEUM RECEPTION & DINNER *Tentative***  
**(\$200\* PER PERSON)**  
**Sponsored by CSBS**  
(8th floor of the Knights Conference Center)

\*Costs are approximate

### Wednesday, September 10, 2008

- 7:30 am **BREAKFAST BUFFET**  
(Renaissance Mayflower Hotel)
- 8:00-9:00 am **GENERAL SESSION BRIEFING**  
(Renaissance Mayflower Hotel)
- 9:00-10:00 am **PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION BRIEFING**  
**JENNIFER DUFFY, COOK POLITICAL REPORT**  
(Renaissance Mayflower Hotel)
- 10:30-11:00 am **TREASURY BRIEFING**  
(Renaissance Mayflower Hotel)
- 11:00 am-Noon **SENATE BANKING COMMITTEE PANEL**  
(Renaissance Mayflower Hotel)
- 12:30-1:45 pm **FDIC LUNCHEON**  
(550 17th Street, NW)
- 2:30-3:30 pm **OCC BRIEFING**  
(Independence Square, 250 East St. SW)
- Afternoon **TRAVEL HOME**

## ADVANCED REGISTRATION DEPOSITS:

A pro-rata share of the expenses will be billed or refunded to each participant following the Capitol Hill Visit based on activities registered for and participated in.

Please include advanced registration deposits in the following amounts when registering for the Capitol Hill Visit:

<b>Bankers</b>	<b>\$250</b>
<b>Spouse/Guests</b>	<b>\$100</b>

Checks should be made out to the Idaho Bankers Association and sent with your registration form prior to the registration deadline of **August 15**.

## HOTEL ACCOMMODATIONS:

A block of rooms has been secured at the **Renaissance Mayflower Hotel**. Special rates are **\$274** plus tax for single or double occupancy. To reserve hotel accommodations, please call the Mayflower Hotel directly by dialing **(800) 468-3571** and request rooms under the **Western States block**. The hotel room block expires and reservations must be made prior to **August 25th**.



**RENAISSANCE MAYFLOWER HOTEL**  
1127 Connecticut Avenue, NW  
Washington, D.C. 20036  
Tel: (800) 468-3571

## ATTIRE FOR THE VISIT:

For bankers, business attire is suggested for all events except for any optional or pre-trip activities. Attire for the Tuesday night reception & dinner is business casual. The average high in Washington, D.C. in September is 80, with an average low temperature of 57.

## SPOUSE/GUEST ACTIVITY:

On Tuesday morning, a breakfast has been planned for spouses/guests to meet & greet. Following the breakfast will be a tour of the Library of Congress.

# Registration Form

Banker Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Bank: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

SSN: \_\_\_\_\_ DOB: \_\_\_\_\_

Country of Origin: \_\_\_\_\_

Spouse/Guest Name (if attending): \_\_\_\_\_

**Please note: ALL OF THE ABOVE INFORMATION IS REQUIRED.** Due to security procedures implemented in 2001, it is necessary for us to supply the regulatory agencies with a social security number, date of birth and country of origin for all visitors. Participants should also be prepared to show a government issued photo identification upon arrival at all government buildings and events. This information will not be shared or published, except where necessary.

## OPTIONAL ACTIVITIES REGISTRATION:

Unless otherwise advised, we will plan that all bankers will attend the regulatory briefings. Please register both bankers and spouse/guests for the optional activities you plan to attend below. Costs listed are approximate per attendee and are subject to change.

### SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 7TH:

Longwood Gardens & Winterthur Estates (\$150\* per person) Number attending: \_\_\_\_\_

### MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 8TH:

Baltimore vs. Cleveland (\$55\* per person) Number attending: \_\_\_\_\_

### Tuesday, September 9th:

Newseum Reception & Dinner (\$200\* per person) Number attending: \_\_\_\_\_

Spouse/Guest Breakfast & Library of Congress Tour (\$75\* per person) Number attending: \_\_\_\_\_

### Other:

Double Decker Bus Tour (\$40\* per person) Number attending: \_\_\_\_\_

Tour available any two consecutive days, please specify days: \_\_\_\_\_

\* COSTS ARE APPROXIMATE

## PAYMENT PROCESSING:

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- Banker deposit enclosed: \$250
- Spouse/Guest deposit enclosed: \$100

## QUESTIONS?

Please contact Angie Olson; Idaho Bankers Association at (208) 342-8282 or aolson@idahobankers.org.

**PLEASE COMPLETE AND RETURN REGISTRATION  
FORM BY AUG 15 TO:**

IDAHO BANKERS ASSOCIATION  
PO BOX 638  
BOISE, ID 83701  
FAX: (208) 342-8044