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Leadership Summit Registration Form (Please Print)

Please check which meetings or workshops members of your local will be attending.

Write the names of attendees for each checked session on the line for that session. If entering more than one name please use additional sheet of paper.

- Alternative Compensation _____
- Community Outreach Program _____
- Costing Out the Work _____
- Health Care Advocate _____
- Higher Education _____
- PAC _____
- Teacher Evaluations _____

Local Name and Number: _____

Person to contact about this registration:

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ St: _____ ZIP: _____ Ph: _____

E-mail Address: _____

SOARING EAGLE CASINO AND RESORT

HOTEL ACCOMMODATIONS

Conference will be at the Soaring Eagle Casino and Resort, 6800 Soaring Eagle Boulevard, Mt Pleasant, MI - Phone: 989-775-5777 - Fax: 989-775-5686

HOTEL DIRECTIONS

Northern Michigan – Take 1-75 to U.S. 27 south. Proceed southbound to second Mt. Pleasant M-20 exit at Leaton Road. Turn right on Leaton Road

Northeast Coast of Michigan – Take U.S. 23 south to 1-75. Proceed southbound on 1-75 to U.S. 10 downtown Midland exit. Continue on business U.S. to M-20 junction. Make a left on M-20 west at the Mt. Pleasant Leaton Road traffic light, turn left.

Northwestern Michigan – Take M-1 15 south to U.S. 27 south to the second Mt. Pleasant M-20 exit. Turn left on M-20 and proceed 11 1/2 miles to the traffic light at Leaton Road. Turn right on Leaton Road.

South Central Michigan – Take 1-69 north to U.S. 27 north in Lansing. Proceed northbound on U.S. 27 to the second Mt. Pleasant exit M-20. Turn left on M-20 and go 1 1/2 miles to the traffic light at Leaton Road. Turn right on Leaton Road.

Southeastern Michigan – Take U.S. 23 north to 1-96 west to Lansing. Proceed west-bound to U.S. 127 north to the second Mt. Pleasant M-20 exit. Turn left on M-20 and go 1 1/2 miles to traffic light on Leaton Road. Turn right on Leaton Road.

From Detroit/Flint Area—Take 1-75 north to U.S. 10 west. Proceed westbound on U.S. to the business U.S. 10 downtown Midland exit. Continue on business U.S. 10 to the M-20 junction. Make a left on M-20 west to the Mt. Pleasant Leaton Road traffic light. Turn left.

HOTEL AND REGISTRATION INFORMATION

Please complete the registration form and return it to the AFT Michigan office by February 25, 2010. individuals are responsible for their own hotel reservations. Several rooms have been reserved for Friday night. Single or Double—\$139 plus tax.



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9:15 - 9:25 a.m. Welcome
9:25 a.m. - 10:30 a.m. “Education Reform” Legislation: Impacts
EVERYONE not just Race to the Top Districts

Teachers
10:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. “Education Reform” Legislation Specifics
12:45 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

2:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Teacher Evaluations
Annual teacher evaluations must have student growth as a “significant” component. American Federation of Teachers President Randi Weingarten has called for teacher evaluation and development programs rather than the “gotcha” evaluation. What is a fair evaluation system that helps teachers develop?

Alternative Compensation
Bargained compensation will need to incorporate an alternative compensation component tied to teacher evaluations. What is a fair system that works?



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PSRPs	
10:30 a.m. - 11:15 a.m.	Privatization in Michigan
11:15a.m. - 12:00 p.m.	Strategies to Prevent Privatization

12:45 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.

<p>Community Outreach Program</p> <p>The focus: COMBATING PRIVATIZATION</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Campaign strategies • Developing and delivering your message 	<p>Costing out the Work</p> <p>The focus: COMBATING PRIVATIZATION</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What does the work, for which privatization is proposed, cost? • Can the work be done in a manner that costs less, but not at the expense of employees
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Developing the Plan
 3:00 p.m.– 4:30 p.m.



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PAC

10:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Overview of 2010 Election in Michigan

- Offices Up for Election
- Targets in the House
- Targets in the Senate
- University Boards

Preparing Your Local for the 2010 Elections

- 2010 AFT Michigan Campaign Plan
- Issue Survey
- Member-to-Member System
- PAC Fundraising
- Recruiting Volunteers

Candidates

- Endorsements
- Volunteering For



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Higher Education

9:15 a.m. - 9:25 a.m.	Welcome
9:25 a.m., - 9:35 a.m.	Issues you want to talk about. Generating a list of issues to be discussed in the afternoon.
9:35 a.m. - 12:00 noon	Analyzing the Employer's Finances
12:00 Noon	Lunch
12:45p.m. - 2:00 p.m.	Analyzing the Employer's Finances
2:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.	Issues you want to talk about From the list you generated during the morning session.



Health Care Advocate

9:15 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

<p>Information is key to any program and most particularly in the ever changing world of healthcare. The session will begin with a short review, what's new and the latest "Beware" signs.</p>
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<p>The majority of our time will be spent looking at specific issues you and your peers are facing, such as: plan changes, premium co-sharing, increased co-pays and a plethora of other nastys that have arisen due to ever increasing healthcare costs and decreasing state funding. By sharing experiences and problems, and looking at what works and what does not, we hope to develop possible solutions for you to take with you.</p>
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