



2020 ST. CLOUD AREA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE
GOES TO WASHINGTON DC
APRIL 27-31, 2020
Registration Information

WHAT YOU NEED TO DO TO ATTEND:

1. **REGISTER ONLINE AT THE CHAMBER'S WEBSITE AT**
<https://chambermaster.stcloudareachamber.com/events/details/washington-dc-trip-april-27-30-2020-6864?calendarMonth=2020-04-01>

Registration fee is \$350. Fee for spouses or partners to attend is \$250 if they are foregoing Congressional appointments and \$350 if they plan to attend Congressional appointments. Membership in our Chamber is required to participate in this trip.

2. **PURCHASE YOUR AIRFARE.** Teresa Bohnen and several others are on this flight:
Delta DL1589 departing MSP at 1:53 pm on 04/27/2020
Delta DL1464 departing DCA at 11:14 am on 04/30/2020
You are welcome to book any flight that makes sense for your schedule.

We also have an option for transportation to/from the airport with Executive Express for as low as \$75 round trip service if enough of us choose to use it. We will be in touch with you regarding your interest in this service a month before departure.

3. **BOOK YOUR ROOM.**
The HAMILTON HOTEL, 1001 14TH Street NW, Washington, DC 20005 is our official hotel. A group rate of \$319 per night is available on the first 10 rooms booked, and as available after that. Rooms must be booked by March 27, 2020 to receive this rate. The hotel has agreed to offer this rate on a space-available and rate-available basis to attendees up to three days prior and three days after the official event dates.

You MUST book your room on line here to get our group block and rate:

<https://book.passkey.com/event/50064953/owner/49823020/home>

This link is very easy to use and more efficient than calling. If you call, they may not have our block info. ***Please use it so your reservation is included in our block correctly.***

4. **GET READY FOR A GREAT TRIP!** This annual trip is often cited as the most beneficial and enjoyable Chamber event of the year by many volunteers. We look forward to welcoming you in 2020. Last year's agenda is on the following pages. **We will also have a pre-trip meeting to cover final details a week before departure.** *If you would like to discuss the trip further, please call Teresa Bohnen at (320) 656-3804 or Government Affairs Chair Bernie Perryman at (320) 240-2332.*



PLEASE NOTE – THIS IS THE 2019 AGENDA FOR EXAMPLE ONLY

**St. Cloud Area Chamber of Commerce
Voice of St. Cloud Area Businesses in Washington, D.C.**

April 1-4, 2019

The Washington Plaza Hotel
10 Thomas Circle NW, Washington, DC 20005 - (202) 842-1300

Monday, April 1, 2019

- am Meet carpools to MSP
- 7:00 pm Dinner at **LOGAN TAVERN**
1423 P Street NW, Washington, D.C., 20005 (202) 332-3710

Tuesday, April 2, 2019

- 8:00 – 8:15 am Meet in hotel lobby to head to U.S. Chamber
- 9:00 – 10:00 am **U.S. Chamber of Commerce Briefing**
Presentations by Jaimie Francis, Megan Trzcinski & Ed Mortimer
Jocelyn Ganzert, Scheduler
U.S. Chamber of Commerce – 4th Floor Executive Board Room
1615 H Street NW (202) 463-5703
- 10:00-10:30 am **U.S. Chamber of Commerce Briefing - Accreditation**
Ali Ehrlich, Director of Operations – Political Affairs Federation Relations
U.S. Chamber of Commerce – 4th Floor Executive Board Room
1615 H Street NW (202) 463-5760
- 11:00 – 11:30 am **Congressman Pete Stauber**
Meeting with Jeff Bishop, Legislative Director
Linnea Melbye, Scheduler
5C Cannon House Office Building (next to 509) (202) 225-6211
- 12:00 – 1:30 pm Dutch Treat Lunch at **Tortilla Coast**
400 First Street SE, Washington, D.C., 20003 (202) 546-6768



- 3:00 – 3:30 pm **Congressman Jim Hagedorn**
Meeting with Congressman AND/OR
Daniel West, Legislative Correspondent
325 Cannon House Office Building (202-225-2472)
- 3:45 - 4:15 pm **Senator Tina Smith**
Michael Weiss, Scheduler
720 Hart Senate Office Building (202-224-5641)
- 4:30 – 5:00 pm **Congresswoman Ilhan Omar**
Meeting with Mahyar Sorour, Senior Legislative Aid
Tera Proby, Scheduler
1517 Longworth House Office Building (202-225-4755)
- 7:00 pm Dinner at **GHIBELLINA**
Brittany Wallin, Private Dining Restaurant Manager
1610 14th St. NW. Washington, D.C., 20009 (202) 803-2389

Wednesday, April 3, 2019

- 9:30 -10:00 am **Congresswoman Betty McCollum**
Meeting with Bill Harper, Chief of Staff
Mia Hartley, Scheduler
2256 Rayburn House Office Building (202) 225-6631
- 10:00-10:30 am **Congresswoman Angie Craig**
Meeting with Will Mitchell, Legislative Director
Savanna Peterson, Scheduler
1523 Longworth House Office Building (202) 225-2271
- 11:30 – 12:45 pm Dutch Treat Lunch at **House Cafeteria**
- 1:00 – 1:30 pm **Congressman Dean Phillips**
Meeting with Congressman Phillips and Ryan Houlihan, LA
Sophie Mirviss, Scheduler
1305 Longworth House Office Building (202) 225-6351
- 2:00 – 2:30 pm **Congressman Collin Peterson**
Meeting with Chelsea Cornett, Legislative Correspondent
Rebekah Solem, Scheduler
2204 Rayburn House Office Building (202) 225-2165



3:00 – 3:45 pm

Congressman Tom Emmer

Alyssa Anderson, Scheduler

315 Cannon House Office Building (202-225-2331)

5:30 – 9:00 pm

Reception and dinner at **THE MONOCLE RESTAURANT**

107 D Street Northeast, Washington D.C., 20002 (202) 546-4488

***Senator Klobuchar will address the group upon her arrival**

Interviews with KNSI's "The Ox"

4:40-5:00 pm & 5:40-6:00 pm

Thursday, April 4, 2019

am

Depart Washington DC Reagan International