



2012 Legislative Conference Conference Photo Review

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As Gen. John Forbes, James Scahill entices NACo Board members to the 2012 Annual Conference to be held in Allegheny County (Pittsburgh), Pa. Scahill is a former Armstrong County, Pa. commissioner and NACo Board member.



NACo Board members Tim Josi (seated, right) and William Cox (l) review language in a proposed policy resolution. Ready to assist are (l) Jeff Arnold, NACo legislative affairs deputy director, and Ryan Yates, associate legislative affairs director.



David Unruh, Sedgwick County, Kan. commission chair, takes a camera break between workshop sessions.



Riki Hokama, Maui County, Hawaii council member, and David Thompson, North Carolina Association of County Commissioners executive director, discuss Hokama's campaign for NACo second vice president.



NACo President Lenny Eliason presides at the Board of Directors meeting March 5.



Let us in on the joke — obviously being shared by NACo Immediate Past President Glen Whitley and NACo Second Vice President Linda Langston at the Board meeting.



Tim Brown, Wood County, Ohio commissioner, intently follows the presentation in a hydraulic fracturing educational session.



Ellen McNeill, Hoke County, N.C. commissioner, listens to a presentation at the workshop on e-verify mandates found in the Legal Workforce Act.



Leland Pollock, Garfield County, Utah commissioner, relays his county's experience with federal land use policies



James Dwyer, Waukesha County, Wis., checks his email in NACo's Cyber Café.



Ready for a friendly spat: conservative political commentator Tucker Carlson and liberal-leaning Eleanor Clift take the stage at the Opening General Session.



Heidi Albritton, Ouray County, Colo. commissioner, has an eye for the camera at Tuesday's general session.



E. Ray Mayo (left) and Steve Keen, Wayne County, N.C. commissioners, review their day's agendas.



Richard Leadbeater (c), state government industry manager at Esri, shows off NACo's 2012 Award for Corporate Excellence, which was presented to Esri by NACo President Lenny Eliason (l) and NACo Executive Director Larry Naake.



NACo Second Vice President Linda Langston greets NACo members before introducing Secretary of Agriculture Tom Vilsack.



Minnesota's counties were well represented at the Legislative Conference as evidenced by Blue Earth County Commissioner Vance Stuehrenberg and Nobles County Board Chair David Benson.



George F. Bowman, Jefferson County, Ala. commissioner, questions U.S. Transportation Secretary Ray LaHood about high-speed rail.



NACo First Vice President Chris Rodgers introduces House Minority Leader Nancy Pelosi at the General Session March 6.

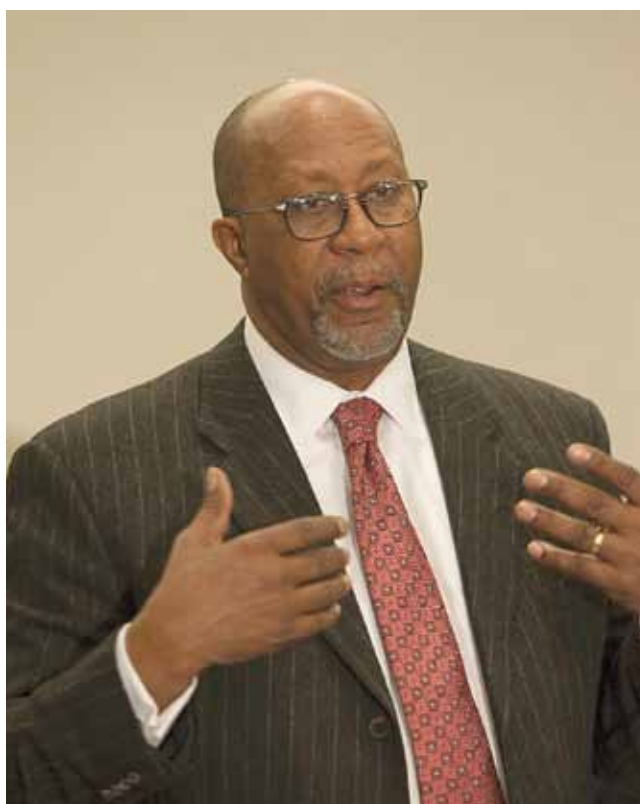


Bernie Fazzini, Harrison County, W. Va. commission president, listens to Sen. Dick Durbin during Tuesday's general session.

Norma Santiago, El Dorado County, Calif., questions a presenter at the educational session on making rural development a priority in the Farm Bill.



Adam Palmer, Symantec cyber security expert, explains the threats to county data networks.



U.S. Trade Ambassador Ron Kirk briefs members of NACo's International Economic Development Task Force.



Michael McGinley, Beaverhead County, Mont. participates in the discussion on siting power transmission lines.



Ingrid Turner (left), Prince George's County, Md. council member, and Tomeka Bumbry, Prince George's County chief of staff, learn how to demonstrate the value of county health initiatives at a March 6 educational session.



Tommy Roedell, Woodward County, Okla., learns about the challenges and opportunities involved with installing power transmission lines.



Rosemary Mahan (left), Westmoreland County, Va. supervisor, and Ruby Brabo, King George County, Va. supervisor, enjoy remarks at the Women of NACo Leadership Network luncheon.