

2009 Annual Neighborhood Conference *Original* People, Places & Dreams



About the Conference:

The City of Dayton, Department of Planning & Community Development is excited to host the 2nd Annual Neighborhood Conference which concludes a series of town halls. The town halls and the conference are a means to spark new energy and conversation; to encourage the use of input with impact.

This year's theme "Dayton Beautiful: Original People, Places and Dreams" captures our ideal vision for the City of Dayton. The conference will promote healthy conversation that will embrace input from neighborhood/community leaders, Priority Board members, school, church, and community agency staff as well as business and government representatives. The conference focus is leadership and neighborhood development in Dayton and surrounding communities. The conference will consist of a variety of workshops, a resource fair and a Keynote Luncheon. Conference attendees are challenged to take the information back to their communities to share new and innovative ways to "Reinvent their Neighborhoods."

Youth Participation:

New in 2009, youth participants ages 13-18 will take a trip around the city, exploring neighborhoods and learning to identify and share community assets. They will then join all conference participants for the Keynote Luncheon and wrap up sessions. The youth will bring their originality to the whole conference experience.



12 New Workshop Sessions for the 2009

- *"Beyond Neighborhood Watch: The Relationship between Public Safety, Community Development and Neighborhood Engagement"*
- *"Celebrating Community: Finding Hope in Uncertain Times"*
- *"Creating a Sustainable Landscape"*
- *"Developing a Written History of your Neighborhood"*
- *"Developing Neighborhood Schools through the Strength of Non-Profit Community Partners"*
- *"Going Places: An Integrated Land Use Vision for the Miami Valley Region"*
- *"How it Works: Navigating the Montgomery County Auditor's Office"*
- *"Neighborhood Pride Program- How it Works"*
- *"Strength Based, Citizen Driven Community Planning"*
- *"The Village in Transition: Elder Mediation a Conversational Approach to the Well-Being of Aging Neighborhoods"*
- *"Urban Neighborhood Redevelopment-A Case Study of the Twin Towers Crossing Project"*
- *"Vacant Lot Properties: Community Gardens and More"*

"Back to the Future"

Dr. Linda Burrs, CEO and Principal Consultant of the Step Up to Success will present "Back to the future." where she will discuss how dwelling on the past can prevent us from creating the future we want.



Too often we allow ourselves to be limited by the past. We get stuck in reverse and cannot seem to move forward and because of this, sometimes we don't achieve our potential. Why does this happen and more important, what can be done about it? This presentation focuses not on the past (except to see why we should look forward) but on how to create the type of future we really want.



2010 Regional Neighborhood Conference: *"Reinventing Neighborhoods"*

In September 2010 Dayton will host the Regional Neighborhood Network Conference. Over 600 visitors are expected to attend the conference. This will be a great opportunity to showcase our continued efforts to reinvent our neighborhoods, network with other neighborhood activists, and to learn about best practices from around the region. Planning efforts have already begun. Citizens are encouraged to join our planning efforts to make this a great event.



**2009 Annual
Neighborhood Conference
Registration Form**

**Original
People, Places & Dreams**

**Saturday September 12, 2009
Dayton Convention Center
Registration Begins at 7:30 A.M**

**At this time we are not able to accept
online registration. To Register Please
Print This page Fill out and Mail To:**

**ATTN: PAULA POWERS
CITIZEN PARTICIPATION
CITY OF DAYTON
101 WEST THIRD STREET
DAYTON OH 45402**

Registration:

NAME: _____

TITLE: _____

ORGANIZATION: _____

ADDRESS: _____

TELEPHONE: () _____

CITY/STATE: _____

ZIP CODE: _____

I AM A CONFERENCE:

- ATTENDEE
- PRESENTER
- YOUTH PARTICIPANT

KEYNOTE LUNCHEON:

- CHECK HERE IF YOU WILL BE ATTENDING THE LUNCHEON
- CHECK HERE IF YOU PREFER A VEGETARIAN MEAL

**Early Registration Ends
August 31, 2009**

Early Registration: \$25.00
Late Registration: \$50.00
Youth Registration: Free

All payments are Non-Refundable

Registration (Continued)

PLEASE MAKE CHECKS AND MONEY ORDERS PAYABLE
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CITY OF DAYTON

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- DISCOVER

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DAYTON OH 45402

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