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solutions for moving communities forward

City Showcase

*an annual exhibition of successful
and creative city programs,
by city leaders, for city leaders*

2009 CITY SHOWCASE APPLICATION

"It is rewarding to attend a conference where we meet leaders from throughout the United States who we can learn from, network with and discuss the issues we are all facing today. You leave the conference with new ideas, new insights and new connections to make us more effective in our role."

Laura Cisneros
San Jose, CA

"The 2008 City Showcase was an excellent opportunity to share the mission and work of the Hampton Citizens' Unity Commission with city officials from across the country. Thank you National League of Cities for selecting us for the 2008 City Showcase."

John L. Johnson
Hampton, VA

"The NLC City Showcase provides America's cities a unique and valuable experience. The opportunity to share and learn best practices around pressing issues helps improve the quality of life for the nation's citizens."

Tyrone Westo
New Haven, CT

"It was an honor to share the Boynton Beach Police Department's web-based initiatives with city managers and city officials from across the country during the City Showcase. Since then, I have gotten emails and phone calls from many of them who are trying to duplicate our efforts in their cities. It has been a truly rewarding experience helping them do so and it's thanks to the networking and idea-sharing of the City Showcase that it's been possible."

Stephanie Slater
Boynton Beach, FL



For more information and an online application,
visit www.nlc.org ... click *Resources for Cities* >
Awards and Recognition > *City Showcase*



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City Showcase

Wednesday - Friday, November 11-13, 2009

Application – 2009 City Showcase

Complete this form and fax or mail it to NLC by July 3, 2009 or download the form at www.nlc.org (Resources for Cities > Awards and Recognition > City Showcase).

NAME OF PROGRAM: _____

PRIMARY CONTACT: _____

CITY NAME: _____

MAILING ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP: _____

PHONE: _____ FAX: _____

EMAIL: _____

Please provide a one-sentence description of your program: _____

Attach an additional one-page description of your program. Programs will be reviewed based on...

- **Innovativeness** – What makes your program new and different from other programs?
- **Adaptability** – Can your program be easily implemented in other cities?
- **Implementation Costs/Cost Savings** – Is your program cost effective to implement and maintain? Does your program result in any cost savings for the city?
- **Measurement of Success** – How do you measure the success of your program?
- **Awards and/or Recognition** from state municipal leagues and other national or professional groups.

Please be sure to include all of the above criteria in the description of your program. Programs will be chosen based solely on your written entry. Please submit the information by July 3, 2009 to:

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