



**2018 United States Urban Arts Federation Winter Meeting
Washington, DC; January 24-26, 2017**

MEETING AGENDA

TUESDAY, JANUARY 23 – BLACK JACK; 1612 14TH ST NW; WASHINGTON, DC; 20009

8:00p *Optional*
Emerging Arts Leaders DC and AFTA Emerging Leaders Council mixer

Please consider purchasing your metro card in advance of Thursday morning – you will need approximately \$5 to cover round trip fare.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 26 – THE MAYFLOWER

8:00a – 9:00a **Breakfast**

9:00a – 9:15a **Welcome and remarks**
Lead: Randy Engstrom, Vice Chair, USUAF; Seattle, WA

9:15a – 10:15a **Getting to know you**
Lead: Dave Lawrence, Indianapolis, IN; Sally Dix, Des Moines, IA

10:15a – 10:30a **Break**

10:30a – 11:45a **Social Impact update**
Speaker: Clay Lord, Vice President, Local Arts Advancement

12:00p – 2:30p **Joint Session: Lunch and Speaker**

2:30p – 5:00p **Joint Session: Review strategic plan and Communications Training**

6:30p – 8:30p **Joint Reception**

THURSDAY, JANUARY 25 – Various

8:00a – 9:00a **Breakfast**

9:00a – 9:15a **Travel to AFTA offices**
10-minute walk from The Mayflower

9:15a – 9:45a **Office tour**

9:45a – 10:00a **Travel to NEA offices**
METRO – Bring cash for metro card purchase

Silver line (Largo Town Center) from McPherson Square to L'Enfant Plaza
Use D ST SW BETWEEN 6TH & 7TH STS station exit

10:00a – 11:30a

Tour and discussion

11:30a – 12:00p

Travel to hotel

METRO

Blue line (Franconia-Springfield) from L'Enfant Plaza to Farragut West
Use 17TH & I (EYE) ST NW station exit

12:00p – 1:00p

Joint lunch: USUAF and Emerging Leaders Council

See bios included

1:00p – 5:00p

ADVOCACY/CITY REPORTS EXERCISE AND DISCUSSION

Americans for the Arts

*Nina Ozlu Tunceli, Chief Counsel of Government and Public Affairs & Executive Director,
Americans for the Arts Action Fund*

Narric Rome, Vice President of Government Affairs and Arts Education

Elisabeth Dorman, State and Local Government Affairs Manager

State Arts Action Network representatives

Click hyperlinks or see bios included

[Sarah Triplett](#) (Chair of SAAN Council), Michigan

[Ann Graham](#) (Vice Chair of SAAN Council), Texas

[Donna Russell](#) (Programs Committee Chair of SAAN Council), Alabama

[Waduda Muhammad](#), Georgia

[GP McLeer](#), South Carolina

[Julie Richard](#), Maine

5:00p – 5:30p

Review schedule for the next day and instructions for evening activity

7:00p

Reception at Bob's House

Bus will transport from The Mayflower to Residence

FRIDAY, JANUARY 26 - VARIOUS

7:00a

Meet in the lobby

7:15a

Travel to Capital Hilton Hotel

6-minute walk from The Mayflower

7:30a – 9:00a

USCM Arts Breakfast

9:15a – 10:15a

The Burning Man Effect: Lessons that Mayors Can Learn from Black Rock City

10:30a

Travel to The Mayflower

6-minute walk from Capital Hilton Hotel

2:00p

Site visit/tour: National Museum of African American History and Culture

Prior RSVP required