Mayors Urge U.S. Senate to Act on Jobs Bill

71 Mayors from 30 States and District of Columbia Call for Action on Jobs

Washington, DC – The following statement was released by U.S. Conference of Mayors President, Los Angeles Mayor Antonio Villaraigosa:

“Mayors across the nation urge the Senate to pass the American Jobs Act and put people ahead of politics.

"The plan includes common-sense ideas which have historically been supported by both parties. It would invest in infrastructure jobs, keep teachers in the classroom, and help businesses hire more workers.

"Americans deserve these jobs. It's time for the Senate to act." 

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The USCM Jobs Pledge and list of supporting mayors is found below (As of Oct. 11):

“I PLEDGE to do one activity each week to help push Congress to pass comprehensive legislation to help put people back to work.”

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KASIM REED  Atlanta, GA
DENNY DOYLE  Beaverton, OR
JOHN CALLAHAN  Bethlehem, PA
TOM MENINO  Boston, MA
BILL FINCH  Bridgeport, CT
JIM BRAINARD  Carmel, IN
MARK KLEINSCHMIDT  Chapel Hill, NC
MICHAEL BISSONNETTE  Chicopee, MA
FRED ARMSTRONG  Columbus, IN
MICHAEL COLEMAN  Columbus, OH
MICHAEL RAWLINGS  Dallas, TX
ROY BUOL  Dubuque, IA
KITTY PIERCY  Eugene, OR
MICHAEL TETREAU  Fairfield, CT
GEORGE HEARTWELL  Grand Rapids, MI
PEDRO SEGARRA  Hartford, CT
PETER CARLISLE  Honolulu, HI
SHAWN HOGAN  Hornell, NY
ANNISE PARKER  Houston, TX
HARVEY JOHNSON, JR.  Jackson, MS
SYLVESTER "SLY" JAMES  Kansas City, MO
LUCY JOHNSON  Kyle, TX
RAUL SALINAS  Laredo, TX
BERNARD CARVALHO  Lihue, HI
DAVID BERGER  Lima, OH
MARK STODOLA  Little Rock, AR
BOB FOSTER  Long Beach, CA
ANTONIO VILLARAIGOSA  Los Angeles, CA
GREG FISCHER  Louisville, KY
PAUL SOGLIN  Madison, WI
AC WHARTON, JR.  Memphis, TN
R.T. RYBAK  Minneapolis, MN
JOHN ENGEN  Missoula, MT
BOBBY KILGORE  Monroe, NC
MARY ANN LUTZ  Monrovia, CA
JOE MARINE  Mukilteo, WA
DOUGLAS ENGLAND  New Albany, IN
SCOTT LANG  New Bedford, MA
MICH L ANDRIEU  New Orleans, LA
NOAM BRAMSON  New Rochelle, NY
PATRICK HAYS  North Little Rock, AR
ANDRE PIERRE  North Miami, FL
BUDDY DYER  Orlando, FL
FRANK ORTIS  Pembroke Pines, FL
MICHAEL NUTTER  Philadelphia, PA
PHIL GORDON  Phoenix, AZ
JENNIFER HOSTERMAN  Pleasanton, CA
MIKE GIN  Redondo Beach, CA
RON LOVERIDGE  Riverside, CA
ARDELL BREDE  Rochester, MN
KEVIN JOHNSON  Sacramento, CA
SUSAN KLUTTZ  Salisbury, NC
RALPH BECKER  Salt Lake City, UT
EDWIN LEE  San Francisco, CA
STEPHEN CASSIDY  San Leandro, CA
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