



Municipal Institute

When: Nov. 21, 1-5 p.m.

Where: Lake of the Ozarks, MO

Institute registration fee: FREE

How to Support Afterschool Programs in Your Community

The National League of Cities and the Missouri AfterSchool Network (MASN) are excited to present the inaugural MASN Municipal Institute! This half-day session is for city leaders looking to support and increase access to afterschool programs in their communities. Afterschool program access is a challenge for cities across the country; mayors and other city leaders play a crucial role in shaping the landscape of afterschool programs in their communities through allocating resources, advocating for policies, and mobilizing stakeholders.

Mayors, City Managers, City Councilmembers, Superintendents, city staff, and program providers are invited to come together to learn about supporting sustainable afterschool programming in their communities. This special opportunity will feature a half day session led by national experts, discussing promising practices, funding and system-building strategies, and ways that cities are expanding access to and quality of afterschool programs around the country.

City leaders are invited to bring 2 partners to the Institute. Partners could include a school district administrator, such as a Superintendent; another city staff member, such as the Director of the Parks and Recreation Department; or a community-based organization leader, such as the Director of the local afterschool program. The partners should be those who will be collaborating with the mayor's office to support afterschool programs in their cities.

To register or for more information, please contact Brandis Stockman at stockman@nlc.org.



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Schedule

1:00-2:15

Introduction to MASN and high-quality OST programs

- What do high-quality OST programs look like
- How OST programs can advance municipal priorities
- Intro to citywide OST systems
- Where to start
- Elevating your parks and rec/library programs

2:15-2:30 Break

2:30-3:45

- Supporting the OST workforce
- Funding, community investment (events like day on the hill)

3:45-4:00 Break

4:00-5:00 Closing, action planning

- Intro to action plans
- “Team time” with partners to make a plan for the city
- Reflections and take aways

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