

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency's 2009 Federal Facilities Leadership Council National Meeting

New Orleans, Louisiana
January 14-15, 2009

General Information

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) Federal Facilities Restoration and Reuse Office (FFRRO) and the Federal Facilities Enforcement Office (FFEO) will host the 2009 Federal Facilities Leadership Council (FFLC) National Meeting at the Astor Crowne Plaza New Orleans Hotel in New Orleans, LA, January 14-15, 2009. Registration will begin on Wednesday, January 14 at 8:00 a.m. and the meeting will start at 8:30 a.m. We will adjourn at 5:15 p.m. on Thursday, January 15.

Lodging

Please make your room reservations by **COB Monday, January 5, 2009**. To be guaranteed the government rate you must say that you are with the **EPA FFLC CONFERENCE**.

Please make your reservations by calling the calling the Astor Crowne Plaza Hotel reservations line at 504-962-0500 -1 866 750-4202 or book online @ <http://www.astorneworleans.com>.

- Lodging per diem of \$140.00 per night We are tax exempt from paying taxes for the guest rooms. Check-in begins at 4:00 p.m. Check out 12 noon.

What to Pack

Dress is casual. Normal temperatures High 62's/ Low 43's degrees. Cloudy skies are predicated.

Travel/Ground Information

The Astor Crowne Plaza Hotel is located 12 miles from the Louis Armstrong Int'l Airport: 30 minutes taxi ride - \$30.00 fare or Airport shuttle - \$15.00 one way

Driving from the New Orleans International Airport, Take I-10 East bound to I-10 New Orleans Business District, continue for approximately 2 miles to the St Charles Avenue Exit.

As you exit, stay in the left hand lane and at the first traffic light, take a left onto Carondelet Street. Stay on Carondelet until you reach Canal Street. Take a right onto Canal Street (the hotel is on your left as you make this turn) and get into the left lane. **Make the first u-turn available on Canal Street and circle back to the hotel on the corner of Bourbon and Canal Street (739 Canal Street).**

Miscellaneous Information

During your stay, you can be contacted at:
Astor Crowne Plaza Hotel
739 Canal Street at Bourdon
New Orleans, Louisiana 70130
Direct Dial: 504-962-0500
Fax: 504-962-0503

Please have all telephone calls and faxes addressed to the U.S. EPA FFLC and to your attention.

Entertainment and Dining

You will be delighted with our \$11M Renovation! **The Astor Crowne Plaza** is located at the **Gateway to the French Quarter** where **Canal Street** meets **Bourbon Street**. The excitement of the French Quarter awaits you right outside our door. Whether it be world renowned dining or the intoxicating sounds of New Orleans' Jazz or Blues – you are in the heart of it all. The Astor Crowne Plaza offers easy access to nearby attractions like **Harrhahs Casino**, the **Aquarium of the Americas**, **Jackson Square**, **Morial Convention Center**, **Riverwalk Shopping**, the **New Orleans Sports Arena** and the **Superdome**.

This grand hotel is the **“Place to Meet”** for business or pleasure. The **Astor Crowne Plaza** hosts over 30k square feet of elegant meeting and function space – perfect for a Board Meeting of twelve or a social gathering of over 700 guests. The hotel's services include a business center, fitness room, outdoor pool and terrace, executive level accommodations and a concierge to assist you with your plans for the day or evening. The hotel is home to **Dickie Brennans Bourbon House Restaurant** and **Seafood Bar**. Enjoy true Southern Cuisines and Fresh Seafood Selections – for breakfast, lunch, or dinner. The staff at the Astor is truly versed in Southern Hospitality and ready to not just meet your expectations – but to exceed them. Mix a little pleasure into your next business trip or if your agenda is for pleasure only – then let the good times roll!

For More Information

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