



Utility Payment Conference

Honorary Host Information

Consider being our next Honorary Host

Utilities (referred to as cooperatives, communications companies, electric, gas, municipalities and utilities throughout the United States are invited to consider being an honorary host for our conference.

Each year we seek a “utility” to consider hosting our conference in their city. There is no cost or planning required when serving as our honorary host. In fact, there are plenty of benefits.

How can I qualify to be an honorary host?

A staff member must have attended the conference or a previous year's conference.

How much does it cost to host the conference?

There is no cost to you!

What would I have to do?

We do not require anytime or preparation from you. We take care of all planning, organizing and costs. Although we'd like to have a person from your company be a designated a contact for the conference for communication purposes only, it is not necessary. Below are a few items that are optional.

1. With your permission, your company name and logo is listed in a letter announcing your company as the Honorary Host.
2. We'd welcome your contact person's participation in our occasional planning committee meetings (15 - 30 minutes).
3. We'd welcome your participation in the selection of our speaker proposals which can be completed in minutes.
4. A representative from your company to welcome the conference attendees to your city and introduce them to what your company does is always well received by the attendees. We typically allow (15 - 20 minutes) for your representative on Tuesday morning.
5. Volunteers are appreciated (2-3 per day):
 - 2 staff on Day 1 for our reception desk
 - 3 staff on Day 2; (1) for the reception desk and (2) for microphones in our general session
 - 2 staff on Day 4 for microphones in our general session

Note: Volunteers are invited to attend the conference at no cost.
6. Promote the conference where possible to encourage attendance to your city

What benefits do I receive?

1. Complimentary registration for one staff member.
2. Complimentary hotel room for a staff member of your choice for the duration of the conference; typically (2- 3 days)
3. Employees of the company are able to attend the conference where normally they may not have been able to attend due to travel expenses.
4. Volunteers receive a complimentary registration and meals for the day they assist
5. Honorary host employees wanting to attend receive \$50 off of their registration rate.
6. Your company name and logo is listed on our attendee pad folio and on our website
7. An employee of your choice will have the option of being on the following year's planning committee.

What do I do if I Want to Be an Honorary Host?

Contact us by email at info@paymentconference.com and let us know you'd like to be a host.

Prize Drawings

The honorary hosting company, its employees and subsidiary employees are not eligible to participate in the conference prize drawings during the time they are hosting the conference.