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MONDAY, APRIL 15

11:00 AM

DOORS OPEN

11:30 AM–2:15 PM

WELCOMING LUNCH & OPENING PLENARY

▶ 11:30 AM–12:00 PM

WELCOMING REMARKS

From NewDEAL Forum CEO **Debbie Cox Bultan** and Phoenix Mayor **Kate Gallego**

▶ 12:00–1:00 PM

DEMOCRACY: HOW TO ENSURE A SMOOTH ELECTION IN THIS ERA OF PHYSICAL AND DIGITAL THREATS

Moderated by **Yvonne Wingett Sanchez**, The Washington Post, with speakers Arizona Secretary of State **Adrian Fontes**; Maricopa County Supervisor **Bill Gates**; and Jefferson County, CO, Clerk & Recorder **Amanda Gonzalez**

▶ 1:00–1:30 PM

FIRESIDE CHAT WITH CLEVELAND MAYOR JUSTIN BIBB ON MAKING THE MOST OF BIDEN-ERA INITIATIVES

Moderated by **Ryan Coonerty**, City of San José

▶ 1:30–2:30 PM

EDUCATION: SOLUTIONS TO IMPROVE ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITIES

Moderated by **Alisha Thomas Searcy**, Democrats for Education Reform, with speakers **Jorge Elorza**, Democrats for Education Reform; FL Representative **Christine Hunschofsky**; and MA Senator **Pavel Payano**

2:45–3:45 PM

BREAKOUT SESSIONS

HOUSING: NAVIGATING BARRIERS TO EXPAND AFFORDABILITY AND QUANTITY OF HOUSING OPTIONS

Co-led by IL Treasurer **Michael Frerichs**; Mesa, AZ, Vice Mayor **Francisco Heredia**; Albuquerque, NM, Mayor **Tim Keller**; and **Christine Mackay**, City of Phoenix

HEALTH CARE: EXPANDING ACCESS AND EQUITY

Co-led by IA Representative **Megan Srinivas**; **Laura Cohen**, Eli Lilly; and **Pedro Cons**, Adelante Healthcare

PUBLIC SAFETY: UNDERSTANDING PUBLIC PERCEPTIONS AND PRACTICAL SOLUTIONS

Led by Albuquerque, NM, Mayor **Tim Keller**

4:00–5:00 PM

AFTERNOON PLENARY

▶ CLIMATE CHANGE: INNOVATIVE STATE AND LOCAL SOLUTIONS

Moderated by NH Senator **Rebecca Perkins Kwoka** with speakers **Nicole Darnall**, ASU Sustainable Purchasing Research Initiative; **Jennifer Pett-Ridge**, Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory; and MI Senator **Sam Singh**

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6:30 PM

DINNER

By invitation only

TUESDAY, APRIL 16

7:30–8:30 AM

BREAKFAST

8:30–9:30 AM

MORNING PLENARY

▶ LESSONS FROM ARIZONA: UNDERSTANDING THE ISSUES THAT WILL DEFINE 2024

Moderated by **Emily Cain**, Senior Advisor to the NewDEAL Forum, with speakers **Tony Cani**, Slingshot Campaigns; AZ Corporation Commissioner **Anna Tovar**; and **Joshua Ulibarri**, Lake Research Partners

9:45–10:45 AM

BREAKOUT SESSIONS

TRANSPORTATION: THE FUTURE OF TRANSPORTATION

Co-led by Phoenix Mayor **Kate Gallego**; **Aidan Ali-Sullivan**, Waymo; **Krista Glotzbach**, Via; and **Jessica Mefford-Miller**, Valley Metro

EDUCATION: UNDERSTANDING PUBLIC OPINION AND MESSAGING THAT WORKS

Co-led by AZ Representative **Laura Terech**; **Harrison Farnsworth**, DFER; and **Dr. Edward Vargas**, BSP Research

WATER: SECURING ACCESS TO CLEAN AND SUSTAINABLE WATER SUPPLIES

Co-led by Norfolk, VA, Councilmember **Andria McClellan**; Salt Lake City, UT, Mayor **Erin Mendenhall**; and **Kevin Moran**, Environmental Defense Fund

11:00 AM–12:00 PM

CLOSING PLENARY

▶ ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE: HOW CITIES AND STATES CAN USE AI TO MAKE GOVERNMENT WORK BETTER

Moderated by **Ahmad Thomas**, Silicon Valley Leadership Group, with speakers **Stephen Caines**, City of San Jose; and **Colleen Schwab**, ASU Cloud Innovation Program & Amazon Web Services