



Join the NCSA at tomorrow's Congress of Neighborhoods!

Coming up TOMORROW, Saturday, September 9, the NCSA is excited to participate in the always value-packed, annual [Congress of Neighborhoods](#) at LA City Hall. There are three great ways to connect with us there:

1. [Register now](#) for the free, all-day event, and enroll in the **Session 1* (9:25 AM)* workshop, Building Coalitions to Advance Environmental Justice**, to be moderated by NCSA board member Lisa Hart. The session will explore environmental justice efforts in LA, how environmental advocates can best work with each other and others, and why this matters to every Neighborhood Council in the city. (**Note to current registrants: Session timeslot has changed from Session 4 to 1.*)
2. **Visit the NCSA exhibit table from 7:45 am to 4 pm**, learn about NCSA involvement opportunities and resources for your Neighborhood Council, and find out if you or your community members are eligible to receive free, deep home upgrade services -- up to and including windows, HVAC, and solar PV installations -- through a brand new [Low Income Weatherization Program](#) offered through our nonprofit partner Build It Green and the California Department of Community Services & Development. (More below.)
3. **Come relax with the LA Neighborhood Council Coalition (LANCC) and the NCSA at an informal, NCSA-hosted mixer** immediately following the Congress. We'll meet up on the patio of Justice Urban Tavern, an easy walk from City Hall, from 4:30 - 6:30 pm. We have a few complimentary passes left

for Congress attendees; these are available on a first-come, first-served basis, so please stop by the NCSA exhibit table early in the day to grab one. Mixer walk-ins will pay \$20 at the door (cash only please), as space permits.

We hope to see you tomorrow!

FREE home improvements in your neighborhood!

A new State of California program will provide FREE rooftop solar and energy efficiency home improvements to more than 5,000 homes in Los Angeles County. Will your neighborhood get its fair share before funds run out?

The NCSA is a community partner to help promote the [Low-Income Weatherization Program](#) (LIWP) and bring its benefits to your community. Dozens of your neighbors' homes could receive thousands of dollars in home improvements, at no cost to them. To learn more, visit www.LIWPLA.org, stop by the NCSA table at the Congress of Neighborhoods tomorrow, call 833.609.5190, or [email NCSA](#).

Upcoming events and opportunities

- Sept. 9.** [Congress of Neighborhoods](#), City Hall, DTLA
- Sept. 9.** [Sunstock Solar Arts & Music Festival](#), DTLA
- Sept. 15.** [City Sidewalk Repair Program - EIR Scoping: Public comment deadline](#)
- Sept. 18.** [Draft Clean Air Action Plan \(CAAP\): Public comment deadline](#)
- Sept. 19.** [Presentation: Closing the SoCalGas Playa del Rey facility](#), Marina del Rey
- Sept. 23.** [Ballona Watershed Bus Tour](#), Echo Park to Baldwin Hills
- Oct. 5 - Nov. 16.** [A Climate Series for the Ages](#), La Brea Tar Pits & Museum
- Oct. 8.** [CicLAvia - Heart of LA](#), DTLA
- Oct. 17.** [Dockweiler Beach Cleanup](#), Playa del Rey
- Oct. 21.** [Topanga Beach Cleanup](#), Topanga

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