



AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB

GOVERNMENT RELATIONS DEPARTMENT

Register Today for the June 22 GR Western Regional Conference

You are invited to join the American Kennel Club Government Relations Department on Saturday, June 22nd, for a Western Regional Conference in Las Vegas, Nevada:

AKC Government Relations Western Regional Conference
Saturday, June 22nd
9:00am-4:00pm PST

Hampton Inn Las Vegas Convention Center
755 Sierra Vista Dr
Las Vegas, NV 89169

Join AKC Government Relations for a day of advocacy training and networking to learn how we can work together to protect our dogs and our sports! Learn the latest legislative trends, outreach and advocacy tips, and much more!

At the conference you will:

- Network with regional club members, exhibitors, and other dog enthusiasts to fully understand the strategies and tactics used, as well as the goals and objectives of proposed animal rights legislation in the Western US.
- Learn how to effectively establish lawmaker relationships and become their recognized dog expert.
- Explore methods to cultivate legislative involvement, prepare for the future, and motivate your members to engage in grassroots advocacy.
- Learn and share ideas with others about community involvement and communicating your value and expertise to lawmakers.
- Participate in activities to hone your legislative communication skills.

Registration and Accommodations:

Registration: Please [register at this link](#).

Conference Fee: \$50 per attendee, which includes lunch on Saturday, June 22 and conference materials.

Registration will be open until June 14, 2024, or when capacity is reached. Registration is limited to AKC club members and invited guests only. Please contact AKC GR if you have any questions.

Accommodations:

We have secured a room block for \$179/night at the conference hotel for Friday, June 21 and Saturday, June 22. [Use this link](#) to book your room using our special conference rate. ***Please book no later than May 31, 2024, to guarantee this rate.***

Other details:

Meals:

The hotel offers a complimentary breakfast. Your conference fee includes lunch on Saturday, June 22.

On Friday, June 21st we are considering an optional dinner for attendees. This is a great opportunity to network and learn from other canine advocates in the region. *Please note on the registration if you are interested in participating in this dinner.* Each attendee would be responsible for the cost of their dinner.

Parking:

Parking is available on site for those who plan to drive to the event.

Pet Policy:

Pets are welcome for a fee. [Visit the hotel's website](#), and click on "Pets" under "Hotel Policies" on the home page for more information. Additional questions should be directed to the hotel. With the exception of service animals, pets will not be permitted in the conference room.

For questions or more information, contact AKC Government Relations at (919) 816-3720 or Doglaw@akc.org.