## **Free Public Engagement Training Opportunity**

ILG's Public Engagement Program is holding two beta trainings in early 2017.

The beta trainings will take place:

- Central Valley, January 11<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup>
- Inland Empire, January 31<sup>st</sup>-February 1<sup>st</sup>

Participating jurisditions are encouraged to bring a team of two to five people including:

- Leadership
- Elected officials
- Those who are responsible for or execute public engagement
- An up-and-coming 'rising star'



## **Training Objectives**

Local government elected officials and staff will:

- Learn to utilize a step-by-step framework to successfully plan and implement public engagement
  whether it's a one-time single event or an ongoing, holistic approach.
- Discuss strategies to overcome a wide variety of barriers and challenges often seen in public engagement work.
- Work through a relevant, local public engagement example to better understand resource related choices (e.g., staffing, money, time).
- Connect with others from cities, counties and special districts in the region to provide mutual support for successful public engagement efforts.
- Learn more about how to access ILG's technical assistance, including training, coaching and other resources

For more information about the training, please contact Madeline Henry at <a href="mailto:mhenry@ca-ilg.org">mhenry@ca-ilg.org</a> or (916) 658-8205.

To access the Institute's resources on public engagement, visit www.ca-ilg.org/engagement

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