

## 24 local leaders added to County Leadership Institute roster

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The 2010 County Leadership Institute class with NACo's Ruth Nybro (far left) and NACo Executive Director Larry Naake (far right).

Twenty-two local elected officials and two state association executive directors participated in NACo's seventh annual County Leadership Institute in Washington, D.C. They came from 22 states and represented counties as diverse in size and geography as Lee County, Fla. and Hood River County, Ore.

In his welcoming remarks, faculty director Marty Linsky of Cambridge Leadership Associates told the class, "You're here because you haven't solved all of the problems you want to solve. Here you'll learn how to deploy yourself differently so you can accomplish more." The institute was June 1-5.

Meeting in IBM's Executive Training Center in downtown Washington, the class addressed personal approaches to collaboration, communications and media relations in both large and small group discussions. The class used one morning to travel via D.C.'s Metro to Arlington County, Va. for a site visit demonstrating economic development hosted by County Board Member J. Walter Tejada (CLI 2006). After the concluding session June 5, County Commissioner Ginny Favede, Belmont County, Ohio wrote, "I found (CLI) to be one of the more rewarding conferences I've had the good fortune to attend."

The class of 2010 brings to 165 NACo's CLI alumni leadership. CLI is funded by participant registrations and the support of IBM, ESRI, NACo's Financial Services Corporation, National Council of County Association Executives and Arizona Association of Counties, and is administered by NACo's County Services Department.

### NACo County Leadership Institute

**Rogers Anderson**, county mayor, Williamson County, Tenn.

**Mark Boldt**, commissioner, Clark County, Wash.

**Barbara Briggs**, commissioner, Hood River County, Ore.

**Lawrence Emig**, commission chair, Osceola County, Mich.

**Terence Farrell**, commission chair, Chester County, Pa.

**Ginny Favede**, commissioner, Belmont County, Ohio

**Tammara Hall**, commissioner, Lee County, Fla.

**Sam Hart Sr.**, chair, Bibb County, Ga.

**Christopher L. Holley**, executive director, Florida Association of Counties

**David Hutchins**, board chair, Carroll County, Va.

**Kenneth Jenkins**, board chair, Westchester County, N.Y.

**Eric Johnson**, executive director, Washington State Association of Counties

**Randy Maluchnik**, commissioner, Carver County, Minn.

**Brian McMahan**, board chair, Jackson County, N.C.

**Sarah Merklein**, treasurer, Catron County, N.M.

**Judy Morris**, supervisor, Trinity County, Calif.

**Robert Pasley**, commissioner, Wayne County, W.Va.

**Carl Pierson Sr.**, commissioner, Caddo Parish, La.

**Jim Schmidt**, commissioner, Lincoln County, S.D.

**Lawrence Schoen**, commissioner, Blaine County, Idaho

**David Snider**, supervisor, chair, Pinal County, Ariz.

**Ingrid Turner**, council member, Prince George's County, Md.

**John Wilson**, judge/executive, Garrard County, Ky.

**David Zimmerman**, board chair, Tazewell County, Ill.