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## **Economic Club's National Summit Offers New Ticket Options**

The Detroit Economic Club's National Summit event this week announced a new ticket plan and pricing structure that will allow more people and businesses challenged by the troubled economy to participate.

In addition to reduced prices for three-day tickets, the National Summit is now offering one-day tickets, as well as a Walk Around ticket rate that will allow access to the new technology showcase.

"The goal of The National Summit is to convene an inclusive gathering to address the economic challenges facing this country, so it's important that we recognize the financial difficulties many potential participants are going through," said Beth Chappell, president and CEO of the Detroit Economic Club. "With that in mind, we have reduced prices and created alternative ticket options so that more people can add their voices to this crucial conversation."

Pricing for a three-day ticket will now be \$600 for a DEC member and \$695 for a non-member. One-day tickets will be \$250 for a DEC member and \$295 for a non-member. Walk Around tickets, which will allow access to the Innovation Celebration technology showcase and workshop, will be \$65 for a member and \$75 for a non-member.

More than 1,000 tickets have already been sold for The National Summit, which will be held June 15-17 at Ford Field in Detroit. It will bring the country's business leaders together with government officials and academic experts to discuss and advance a national economic agenda.

William Clay Ford Jr., executive chairman, Ford Motor Co. and Andrew Liveris, chairman and CEO of the Dow Chemical Co. will co-chair The National Summit.

Currently, 45 speakers, including leaders from energy, technology, communications, transportation and other sectors have agreed to address The National Summit.

For the complete list, visit <http://nationalsummit.org>.