

November 1, 2005

TO: John Szerlag, City Manager

FROM: John M. Lamerato, Assistant City Manager/Finance & Administration
Mary Redden, Administrative Assistant to City Manager

SUBJECT: Authorization to Pay 2006 Membership Dues -
National League of Cities

Attached is an invoice in the amount of \$5,953.00 for 2006 membership dues to the National League of Cities. If approved for payment, this invoice would be paid from Council's *Membership and Dues* account.



National League of Cities

1301 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW #550
Washington, DC 20004-1763
202.626.3000 - 202.626.3043 fax

**Membership Invoice
&
Current Membership Data**

{Renewal Information}

Bill To:

[
John Szerlag - City Manager
City of Troy
500 W. Big Beaver
Troy, MI 48084
]

City Customer#: 00002221

Order No: 2003445625

Invoice: 20023089

Payment:

Check # _____

Credit Card ___Visa ___Mastercard

Card # _____ **Exp:** _____

Name as it appears on Credit Card

Authorized Signature

Membership Group	Population Range	Begin Date	Amount
NLC/State League	80001 TO 90000	January 1, 2006	\$5,953.00

Total: \$5,953.00

Adjustments: \$0.00

Payment: \$0.00

Amount Due: \$5,953.00

Voluntary Contributions

Legal Defense Fund contribution: suggested (5% of annual dues)	OR Other LDF contribution: _____
Total with suggested contribution: \$6,250.00	Total Payment: _____

{Membership Information - Please review the attached survey and make any corrections necessary}

Is your city taking advantage of their NLC Membership?

- * Member discounts when you attend the 2005 Congress of Cities & Exposition in Charlotte, North Carolina, December 5-10, 2005.
- * Member Discounts when you attend the 2006 Congressional City Conference in Wasington, D.C., March 11-15, 2006.
- * Get involved with setting and advocating municipal policies.
- * Actively participate in NLC's constituency and member groups, NLC's Policy and Advocacy committees, and task forces.
- * Take advantage of the city governance support offered to NLC members: Youth Education and Families Institute, Affordable Housing Program, Racial Justice Program, and many other programs and services that are available to our members!

PLEASE REMIT PAYMENT AND COMPLETED SURVEY TO:

MEMBERSHIP LOCKBOX 4047
National League of Cities
PO Box 17425
Baltimore, MD 21298-8240

IMPORTANT MESSAGE:

A municipality must be a current member of its state league to be a member of the National League of Cities. If you have any questions about your membership, please contact our membership office at 202-626-3190.

The amount shown above is the amount of your city's annual dues for membership in the National League of Cities. It includes the cost of an annual subscription to Nation's Cities Weekly newspaper for eligible elected officials from your city. Questions or Corrections? Please contact the NLC Membership office at (202) 626-3190.