

# 2026

ACI-NA/AAAE

# WASHINGTON LEGISLATIVE CONFERENCE



 March 18 - 19, 2026

 Washington, D.C.

## 2026 ACI-NA/AAAE WASHINGTON LEGISLATIVE CONFERENCE AGENDA

All sessions and events will take place at Hilton Washington DC National Mall The Wharf.

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### WEDNESDAY, MARCH 18, 2026

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7:30 AM – 1:00 PM	<b>Registration</b>
8:00 AM – 9:00 AM	<b>Networking Breakfast</b>
9:00 AM – 11:00 AM	<b>Congressional Leaders Forum</b> Key Members of Congress will share their legislative priorities and insights on what the airport industry can expect from Capitol Hill in the year ahead.
11:00 AM – 11:15 AM	<b>Break</b>
11:15 AM – 11:45 AM	<b>Surface Reauthorization Panel</b> Representatives from trade groups in the surface transportation industry will discuss the latest efforts to reauthorize federal highway and transit programs.
11:45 AM – 1:00 PM	<b>Networking Lunch</b>
12:00 PM – 1:00 PM	<b>Administration Official Luncheon Keynote</b>
1:00 PM – 5:00 PM	<b>Capitol Hill Visits</b> Before your visit, reach out to your congressional delegation to set up in-person meetings in their Capitol Hill offices to talk about your airport and the industry's policy priorities for the coming year.
5:30 PM – 6:30 PM	<b>Reception and Networking Event</b> This happy hour is an opportunity to meet and mingle with your favorite ACI-NA/AAAE government affairs staff and airport colleagues from around the country.

## THURSDAY, MARCH 19, 2026

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7:30 AM – 11:00 AM	<b>Registration</b>
8:00 AM – 9:00 AM	<b>Networking Breakfast</b>
9:00 AM – 11:00 AM	<b>Regulatory Updates</b> Leading administration officials from FAA/DOT, TSA, and CBP will provide updates and answer your questions on the regulatory outlook for airport issues in 2026.
11:00 AM – 11:15 AM	<b>Break</b>
11:15 AM – 11:45 AM	<b>Case Studies in Issue-Based Airport Advocacy</b> Hear from and engage with airport government affairs peers on successful strategies to advance airport priorities.
11:45 AM – 12:45 PM	<b>Networking Lunch</b>
12:15 PM – 12:45 PM	<b>Administration Official Luncheon Keynote</b>
1:00 PM	<b>Conference Adjourns</b>
1:00 PM – 5:00 PM	<b>Additional Capitol Hill Visits</b> After the conference adjourns, if you need more time to visit your congressional delegation, use this block to set up in-person meetings in members' Capitol Hill offices to talk about your airport and the industry's policy priorities for the coming year.