

ADDRESSING THE OPPORTUNITY GAP: HOW THE TCJA AFFECTS PEOPLE AND PLACES

Wednesday, April 18, 2018

8:30 a.m. Breakfast and registration

9:00 a.m. Welcome and overview

• Sarah Rosen Wartell, President, Urban Institute

9:15 a.m. Conversation

Congresswoman Terri Sewell (D-AL)

Maurice Jones, President and CEO, Local Initiatives Support Corporation

9:35 a.m. The Economic Impact of the Tax Bill

Panelists will discuss how provisions in the tax bill are likely to affect the nation's long-term economic growth, economic mobility opportunities for low-income families, and corporate behavior with respect to investing in facilities, equipment, and the workforce.

- Douglas Holtz-Eakin, President, American Action Forum
- Chye-Ching Huang, Deputy Director, Federal Tax Policy, Center on Budget and Policy Priorities
- Mark Mazur, Director, Urban-Brookings Tax Policy Center
- **Jeanne Sahadi**, Senior Writer, CNNMoney (moderator)

10:45 a.m. The Impact of the Tax Legislation on Community- and Place-Based Investments

Panelists will discuss the impact of the tax legislation on the ability of cities and rural communities to finance economic development.

- Matt Josephs, Senior Vice President for Policy, Local Initiatives Support Corporation
- **Brian T. Kenner**, Deputy Mayor for Planning and Economic Development, Washington, DC
- Kim Reuben, Senior Fellow and Project Director, State and Local Finance Initiative, Urban Institute
- Jerry Rickett, President and CEO, Kentucky Highlands Investment Corporation
- Jane Campbell, Director, National Development Council Washington, DC, office (moderator)

11:45 a.m. Closing remarks

Brett Theodos, Principal Research Associate, Urban Institute

12:00 p.m. Event concludes

