



Employee Post-Travel Disclosure Form

Original Amendment

This form is for disclosing the receipt of travel expenses from private sources for travel taken in connection with official duties. This form does not eliminate the need to report privately-funded travel on the annual *Financial Disclosure Statements* of those employees required to file them. In accordance with House Rule 25, clause 5, **you must complete this form and file it with the Clerk of the House, B-81 Cannon House Office Building, within 15 days after travel is completed.** Please **do not** file this form with the Committee on Ethics.

NOTE: Willful or knowing misrepresentations on this form may be subject to criminal prosecution pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 1001.

1. Name of Traveler: Colin Carr
2. a. Name of Accompanying Relative: _____ OR None
 b. Relationship to Traveler: Spouse Child Other (specify): _____
3. a. Dates: Departure: 9.30.19 Return: 10.2.19
 b. Dates at Personal Expense, if any: _____ OR None
4. Departure City: Washington, D.C. Destination: St. Louis, MO Return City: Washington, D.C.
5. Sponsor(s), Who Paid for the Trip: Conference of State Bank Supervisors
6. Describe Meetings and Events Attended: This was a conference jointly hosted by the Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis. It featured presentations from academic researchers and bankers on community banking policy issues.
7. Attached to this form are **each** of the following, *signify that each item is attached by checking the corresponding box*:
 - a. a completed *Sponsor Post-Travel Disclosure Form*;
 - b. the *Primary Trip Sponsor Form* completed by the trip sponsor **prior** to the trip, **including all** attachments **and** the *Grantmaking or Non-Grantmaking Sponsor Forms*;
 - c. page 2 of the completed *Traveler Form* submitted by the employee; **and**
 - d. the letter from the Committee on Ethics approving my participation on this trip.
8. a. I represent that I participated in each of the activities reflected in the attached sponsor's agenda.
Signify statement is true by checking the box:
 b. If not, explain: I was unable to attend the final conference session because I had to depart to go to the airport for my return flight to Washington, D.C.

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I certify that the information contained on this form is true, complete, and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Signature of Traveler: Date: 10.15.19

I authorized this travel in advance. I have determined that all of the expenses listed on the attached *Sponsor Post-Travel Disclosure Form* were necessary and that the travel was in connection with the employee's official duties and would not create the appearance that the employee is using public office for private gain.

Name of Supervising Member: Barry Loudermilk Date: 10.15.19

Signature of Supervising Member:



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This form must be completed by an officer of any organization that served as the primary trip sponsor in providing travel expenses or reimbursement for travel expenses to House Members, officers, or employees under House Rule 25, clause 5. **A completed copy of the form must be provided to each House Member, officer, or employee who participated on the trip within ten days of their return.** You must answer all questions, and check all boxes, on this form for your submission to comply with House rules and the Committee's travel regulations. Failure to comply with this requirement may result in the denial of future requests to sponsor trips and/or subject the current traveler to disciplinary action or a requirement to repay the trip expenses.

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1. Sponsor(s) who paid for the trip: Conference of State Bank Supervisors

2. Travel Destination(s): St. Louis, MO (Community Banking Research Conference)

3. Date of Departure: September 30, 2019 Date of Return: October 2, 2019

4. Name(s) of Traveler(s): Colin Carr


Note: You may list more than one traveler on a form only if *all* information is *identical* for each person listed.

5. Actual amount of expenses paid on behalf of, or reimbursed to, each individual named in Question 4:

	Total Transportation Expenses	Total Lodging Expenses	Total Meal Expenses	Total Other Expenses (dollar amount per item and description)
Traveler	\$466.69	479.52	32.57	0
Accompanying Family Member	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a

6. All expenses connected to the trip were for actual costs incurred and not a *per diem* or lump sum payment. Signify statement is true by checking box:

I certify that the information contained in this form is true, complete, and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Signature:  Date: 10/11/2019

Name: Michael Stevens Title: Senior Executive Vice President

Organization: Conference of State Bank Supervisors (CSBS)

I am an officer of the above-named organization. Signify statement is true by checking box:

Address: 1129 20 Street, NW, Suite 900; Washington, DC 20036

Telephone: 202.407.7160 Email: mstevens@csbs.org

Committee staff may contact the above-named individual if additional information is required.

If you have questions regarding your completion of this form, please contact the Committee on Ethics at 202-225-7103.



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TRAVELER FORM

1. Name of Traveler: Colin Carr +

2. Sponsor(s) who will be paying for the trip: Conference of State Bank Supervisors

3. City and State **OR** Foreign Country of Travel : St. Louis, Missouri

4. a. Date of Departure: September 30, 2019 Date of Return: October 2, 2019

b. Will you be extending the trip at your personal expense? Yes No

If yes, list dates at personal expense: _____

5. a. Will you be accompanied by a family member at the sponsor's expense? Yes No **If yes:**

(1) Name of Accompanying Family Member: _____

(2) Relationship to Traveler: Spouse Child Other (specify): _____

(3) Accompanying Family Member is at least 18 years of age: Yes No

6. a. Did the trip sponsor answer "Yes" to Question 8(c) on the *Primary Trip Sponsor Form* (i.e., travel is sponsored by an entity that employs a registered federal lobbyist or a foreign agent)? Yes No

b. **If yes**, and you are requesting lodging for two nights, explain why the second night is warranted:

7. *Primary Trip Sponsor Form* is attached, including agenda, invitee list, and any other attachments and contributing sponsor forms: Yes No

NOTE: The agenda should show the traveler's individual schedule, including departure and arrival times and identify the specific events in which the traveler will be participating.

8. Explain why participation in the trip is connected to the traveler's individual official or representational duties. **Staff should include their job title and how the activities on the itinerary relate to their duties.**

I handle my boss's work on the House Financial Services Committee. As a Legislative Director, this conference will help strengthen my understanding of community banks and how they are regulated.

Banking is one of the main industries that the Financial Services Committee oversees.

9. **Is the traveler aware of any registered federal lobbyists or foreign agents involved planning, organizing, requesting, or arranging the trip?** Yes No

10. For staff travelers, to be completed by your employing Member:

ADVANCED AUTHORIZATION OF EMPLOYEE TRAVEL

I hereby authorize the individual named above, an employee of the U.S. House of Representatives who works under my direct supervision, to accept expenses for the trip described in this request. I have determined that the above-described travel is in connection with my employee's official duties and that acceptance of these expenses will not create the appearance that the employee is using public office for private gain.

Signature of Employing Member

Date August 23, 2019



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Primary Trip Sponsor Form

This form should be completed by private entities offering to provide travel or reimbursement for travel to House Members, officers, or employees under House Rule 25, clause 5. A completed copy of the form (and any attachments) should be provided to each invited House Member, officer, or employee, who will then forward it to the Committee together with a *Traveler Form* at least 30 days before the start date of the trip. The trip sponsor should NOT submit the form directly to the Committee. The Committee website (ethics.house.gov) provides detailed instructions for filling out the form.

NOTE: Willful or knowing misrepresentations on this form may be subject to criminal prosecution pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 1001. Failure to comply with the Committee's Travel Regulations may also lead to the denial of permission to sponsor future trips.

1. Sponsor who will be paying for the trip: Conference of State Bank Supervisors (CSBS)

2. I represent that the trip will not be financed, in whole or in part, by a registered federal lobbyist or foreign agent. Signify that the statement is true by checking box:
3. **Check only one.** I represent that:
 - a. The primary trip sponsor has not accepted from any other source, funds intended directly or indirectly to finance any aspect of the trip: OR
 - b. The trip is arranged without regard to congressional participation and the primary trip sponsor has accepted funds only from entities that will receive a tangible benefit in exchange for those funds: OR
 - c. The primary trip sponsor has accepted funds from other source(s) intended directly or indirectly to finance all or part of this trip and has enclosed disclosure forms from each of those entities.
If "c" is checked, list the names of the additional sponsors: _____

4. Provide names and titles of ALL House Members *and* employees you are inviting. For each House invitee, provide an explanation of why the individual was invited (include additional pages if necessary): Lucas West w Rep. Luetkemeyer, Zach Gates with Rep. Wagner, Ben Johnson w Rep. Williams, added page
5. Is travel being offered to an accompanying family member of the House invitee(s)? Yes No
6. Date of Departure: September 30 or October 1 Date of Return: October 2
7.
 - a. City of departure: Washington, DC
 - b. Destination(s): St. Louis
 - c. City of return: Washington
8. **Check only one.** I represent that:
 - a. The sponsor of the trip is an institution of higher education within the meaning of section 101 of the Higher Education Act of 1965: OR
 - b. The sponsor of the trip does not retain or employ a registered federal lobbyist or foreign agent: OR
 - c. The sponsor employs or retains a registered federal lobbyist or foreign agent, but the trip is for attendance at a one-day event *and* lobbyist / foreign agent involvement in planning, organizing, requesting, or arranging the trip was *de minimis* under the Committee's travel regulations.
9. **Check only one of the following:**
 - a. I checked 8(a) or (b) above:
 - b. I checked 8(c) above but am not offering any lodging:
 - c. I checked 8(c) above and am offering lodging and meals for one night: OR
 - d. I checked 8(c) above and am offering lodging and meals for two nights: If you checked this box, explain why the second night of lodging is warranted: _____



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10. Attached is a detailed agenda of the activities House invitees will be participating in during the travel (i.e., an hourly description of planned activities for trip invitees). *Indicate agenda is attached by checking box:*
11. **Check only one of the following:**
 a. I represent that a registered federal lobbyist or foreign agent will not accompany House Members or employees on any segment of the trip. *Signify that the statement is true by checking box:* **OR**
 b. *Not Applicable.* Trip sponsor is a U.S. institution of higher education:
12. For *each* sponsor required to submit a sponsor form, describe the sponsor's interest in the subject matter of the trip *and* its role in organizing and/or conducting the trip:
 answer on attached sheet.

13. **Answer parts a and b. Answer part c if necessary:**
 a. Mode of travel: Air Rail Bus Car Other (specify: _____)
 b. Class of travel: Coach Business First Charter Other (specify: _____)
 c. If travel will be first class, or by chartered or private aircraft, explain why such travel is warranted:

14. I represent that the expenditures related to local area travel during the trip will be unrelated to personal or recreational activities of the invitee(s). *Signify that the statement is true by checking box:*
15. **Check only one.** I represent that either:
 a. The trip involves an event that is arranged or organized *without regard* to congressional participation and that meals provided to congressional participants are similar to those provided to or purchased by other event attendees: **OR**
 b. The trip involves events that are arranged specifically *with regard* to congressional participation:
 If "b" is checked:
 1) Detail the cost *per day* of meals (approximate cost may be provided): _____

 2) Provide the reason for selecting the location of the event or trip: _____

16. Name, nightly cost, and reasons for selecting each hotel or other lodging facility:
 Hotel Name: Hyatt City: St. Louis Cost Per Night: \$210
 Reason(s) for Selecting: close proximity to event
 Hotel Name: _____ City: _____ Cost Per Night: _____
 Reason(s) for Selecting: _____
 Hotel Name: _____ City: _____ Cost Per Night: _____
 Reason(s) for Selecting: _____
17. I represent that all expenses connected to the trip will be for actual costs incurred and not a per diem or lump sum payment. *Signify that the statement is true by checking box:*



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18. Total Expenses for each Participant:

<input type="checkbox"/> Actual Amounts	Total Transportation Expenses per Participant	Total Lodging Expenses per Participant	Total Meal Expenses per Participant
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Good Faith Estimates			
For each Member, Officer, or Employee	\$400	\$470	\$165
For each Accompanying Family Member			

	Other Expenses (dollar amount per item)	Identify Specific Nature of "Other" Expenses (e.g., taxi, parking, registration fee, etc.)
For each Member, Officer, or Employee	\$200	cab rides
For each Accompanying Family Member		


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19. Check only one:

- a. I certify that I am an officer of the organization listed below: OR
- b. *Not Applicable.* Trip sponsor is an individual or a U.S. institution of higher education.

20. I certify that I am not a registered federal lobbyist or foreign agent for any sponsor of this trip.

21. I certify by my signature that the information contained in this form is true, complete, and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Signature:  Date: 8-23-2019

Name: Michael Stevens

Title: Senior Executive Vice-President

Organization: Conference of State Bank Supervisors

Address: 1129 20th Street, N.W. Suite 900

Telephone: 202-407-7160

Email: mstevens@csbs.org or ssussman@csbs.org

If there are any questions regarding this form, please contact the Committee at the following address:

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U.S. House of Representatives

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September 24, 2019

Mr. Colin Carr
Office of the Honorable Barry Loudermilk
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Washington, DC 20515

Dear Mr. Carr:

Pursuant to House Rule 25, clause 5(d)(2), the Committee on Ethics hereby approves your proposed trip to St. Louis, Missouri, scheduled for September 30 to October 2, 2019, sponsored by Conference of State Bank Supervisors.

You must complete an Employee Post-Travel Disclosure Form (which your employing Member must also sign) and file it, together with a Sponsor Post-Travel Disclosure Form completed by the trip sponsor, with the Clerk of the House within 15 days after your return from travel. As part of that filing, you are also required to attach a copy of this letter and both the Traveler and Primary Trip Sponsor Forms (including attachments) you previously submitted to the Committee in seeking pre-approval for this trip. If you are required to file an annual Financial Disclosure Statement, you must also report all travel expenses totaling more than \$390 from a single source on the "Travel" schedule of your annual Financial Disclosure Statement covering this calendar year. Finally, Travel Regulation § 404(d) also requires you to keep a copy of all request forms and supporting information provided to the Committee for three subsequent Congresses from the date of travel.

If you have any further questions, please contact the Committee's Office of Advice and Education at extension 5-7103.

Sincerely,

Theodore E. Deutch
Chairman

Kenny Marchant
Ranking Member

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Addendum to House Ethics Form

Answer to Question #4—Additional Staff—Conor Carney with Rep. Rose, Rep. Mulder with Rep. McHenry, Glen Sears with Rep. Waters, Colin Carr with Rep. Loudermilk, Catherine Kuerbitz with Rep. Scott, Richard Erkel with Rep. Velazquez, Diem-Mi Lu, with Rep. Foster, Ashley Gunn with Rep. Hill; Stephane LeBouder with Rep. Meeks, Mitch Wilkinson with Rep. Lucas, Kevin George with Rep. Lynch, Pierre Whatley with Rep. Waters, and Darrell Doss with Rep. Clay.

The invitation is to attend the Community Banking in the 21st Century Research and Policy Conference. The purpose of the conference is to bring together community bankers, academics, policymakers and bank regulators to discuss the latest research on community banking. These House employees staff members of the House Financial Services Committee. They were invited for education on community banking and hear about new research and development in this area.

Answer to Question #10. Link to agenda for Community Bank Research Conference can be found here: <https://www.communitybanking.org/conferences/2019/agenda>

Answer to # 12—CSBS is the nationwide organization of banking regulators from all 50 states and U.S. territories. The research conference is consistent with the mission of CSBS which is to support the leadership role of state banking supervisors in advancing the state banking system; ensuring safety and soundness; promoting economic growth and consumer protection; and fostering innovative state regulation of the financial services industry. In conjunction with the Federal Reserve and the FDIC, CSBS is hosting and sponsoring the research conference.

Conference Agenda

*Gateway Auditorium, 6th Floor | Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis
October 1-2, 2019*

Tuesday, October 1

- 8:15 a.m.

Welcoming Remarks

- 8:30 a.m.

Opening Keynote Address

Michelle Bowman

Governor, Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System

- 9:15 a.m.

2019 National Survey of Community Banks Presentation of Results

Presenter: Andrew Meyer

Senior Economist, Federal Reserve Bank of St Louis

Presenter: Michael Stevens

Senior Executive Vice President, Conference of State Bank Supervisors - CSBS

- 9:45 a.m.

Break

- 10:00 a.m.

Research Paper Session 1

Small Business Lending

Who's Holding the Bag? Regulatory Compliance Pressure and Bank Risk-Shifting

To Ask or Not to Ask? Bank Capital Requirements and Loan Collateralization

Is There a Benefit from Reduced Regulation on Small Banks?

- 11:30 a.m.

Lunch

- 12:30 p.m.

FDIC Chairman Keynote

Jelena McWilliams

Chairman, Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation

- 1:15 p.m.

Research Paper Session 2

Local Shocks and Spillover Effects

Capital Mobility and Regulation Frictions: Evidence from U.S. Lottery Winners

Natural Disasters, Loan Loss Accounting and Subsequent Lending: Does Pro-Cyclical Loss Accounting Intensify Capital Constraints?

Bank Branching Networks and Geographic Contagion of Oil Price Shocks

- 2:45 p.m.

Break

- 3:00 p.m.

Research Paper Session 3

Responses to Changes in Regulation or Supervision

Risk-shifting, Regulation and Government Assistance

Deregulation, Market Structure and the Demise of Old School Banking

Reliance on Third Party Verification in Bank Supervision

- 4:30 p.m.

2019 CSBS Community Bank Case Study Winner Presentation and Video

- 5:30 p.m.

Dinner Reception

- 7:00 p.m.

Evening Keynote Address

Julieann Thurlow

President and CEO, Reading Cooperative Bank, Reading, Mass.

Wednesday, October 2

- 7:15 a.m.

Breakfast and Networking

- 8:00 a.m.

Morning Keynote Address

Patrick Harker

President and CEO, Federal Reserve Bank of Philadelphia

- 8:45 a.m.

Break

- 9:00 a.m.

Research Paper Session 4

Technology and Banking

Small Bank Lending amidst the Ascent of Fintech and Shadow Banking: A Sideshow?

What is Fueling the FinTech Lending Revolution? Local Banking Market Structure and FinTech Market Penetration

Bank Technology: Productivity and Employment

- 10:30 a.m.

Break

- 10:45 a.m.

Panel Discussion

- 11:45 a.m.

Conference Wrap-up

- 12:00 p.m.

Lunch (optional)