

## Logistical information and Lodging

The event will take place at the New York State Legislative Office Building, Concourse Level of the Empire State Plaza.

### Area Hotels

The current State hotel rate for Albany is \$104. Some hotels will offer a lower rate. You should check online for lower rates, if available.

### **Downtown Albany**

The Hotel Albany (closest to the Empire State Plaza)

[www.cpalbany.com/](http://www.cpalbany.com/)

formerly the Crowne Plaza Hotel

40 LODGE STREET

ALBANY, NY 12207 UNITED STATES

518-462-6611

For Reservations: 1 877 2 CROWNE (1 877 227 6963)

### **Holiday Inn Express**

<http://www.hiealbanydowntown.com/>

300 BROADWAY

ALBANY, NY 12207 UNITED STATES

518-434-4111

### **Hampton Inn Downtown**

<http://hamptoninn.hilton.com/en/hp/hotels/index.jhtml;jsessionid=UIHHOD2HTSRIECSGBJC32EQ?ctyhocn=ALBHSHX>

25 Chapel Street, Albany, New York, USA 12210

Tel: 1-518-432-7000

### **Near University at Albany (next closest area to downtown Albany)**

Best Western Sovereign Hotel - \$\$

1228 Western Avenue, Albany, NY 12203

518/489-2981 Toll Free: 800-780-7234

Courtyard by Marriott Albany Thruway - \$\$\$\$

1455 Washington Avenue, Albany, NY 12205

518-435-1600 Toll-free: 866-541-5900

Cresthill Suites - \$\$\$

1415 Washington Avenue, Albany, NY 12206

518-454-0007 Toll Free: 888-723-1655

Days Inn SUNY - \$\$\$\$

1230 Western Avenue, Albany, NY 12210  
518-489-4423

Extended Stay America - \$\$  
1395 Washington Avenue, Albany, NY 12206  
518-446-0680 alb@extendedstay.com

Fairfield Inn by Marriott - \$\$\$  
1383 Washington Avenue, Albany, NY 12206  
518-435-1800

Hilton Garden Inn - \$\$\$\$  
1381 Washington Avenue, Albany, NY 12206  
518-453-1300

Holiday Inn Express - \$\$\$  
1442 Western Avenue, Albany, NY 12203  
518-438-0001

TownePlace Suites by Marriott - \$\$\$  
1379 Washington Avenue, Albany, NY 12206  
518-435-1900

## Parking Information for Visitors

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The Office of General Services operates several visitor parking areas in and around the Empire State Plaza in downtown Albany, New York. The list below provides detailed information for underground parking at the Plaza. For additional information, please contact the OGS Bureau of Parking Management at (518) 474.8118, or e-mail [parking.courier@ogs.state.ny.us](mailto:parking.courier@ogs.state.ny.us).

### **V LOT (P-3 NORTH)**

Located beneath the Empire State Plaza and accessed through I-787 Empire State Plaza exit. Visitors are required to show photo identification upon entry and all vehicles are subject to search by the State Police.

•Monday – Friday

6:00 a.m. – 3:59 p.m.

Park & Pay: \$2.00 per hour, \$20.00 maximum, 30 minutes or less, free

4:00 p.m. - 5:59 a.m.

\$5.00 flat fee

Handicap parking available

### **Cathedral Lot**

Located on Madison Avenue between the Cultural Education Center and Albany Cathedral, and within easy walking distance to the Empire State Plaza and New York State Museum.

•Monday – Friday

6:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

For entry between 6:00 a.m. – 9:59 a.m., \$10.00 flat rate, pay on entry

For entry between 10:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m., \$5.00 flat rate, pay on entry

No charge for entry after 3:00 p.m.

Handicap and oversized parking available

### **Madison Avenue Lot**

Located on Madison Avenue above the Cultural Education Center, and within easy walking distance to the Empire State Plaza and New York State Museum.

•Monday – Friday

6:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

For entry between 6:00 a.m. – 9:59 a.m., \$10.00 flat rate, pay on entry

For entry between 10:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m., \$5.00 flat rate, pay on entry

No charge for entry after 3:00 p.m.

Handicap and oversized parking available

Note: The Cathedral and Madison lots are a 5-7 minute walk to the Legislative Office Building through the underground Empire State Plaza concourse or via the Plaza.

Visitor and Parking Map

[http://ogs.ny.gov/BU/BA/Parking/Visitor/Docs/ParkingMap\\_NWE.pdf](http://ogs.ny.gov/BU/BA/Parking/Visitor/Docs/ParkingMap_NWE.pdf)

From the North	Take Interstate I-87 (Northway) to Interstate I-90 East (exit # 1E). Take Interstate I-90 East to Interstate 787 South. Take Exit #3A for the Empire State Plaza.
From the South	Take New York State Thruway (Interstate 87) to Exit 23 - straight through Toll Booth to Interstate 787, then take Exit #3 for the Empire State Plaza.
From the East	Take Interstate 90 West to Exit # B1 (I-90). Continue on I-90 to Interstate 787 South. Follow I-787 South to Exit #3A for the Empire State Plaza.
From the West	Take the New York State Thruway (Interstate 90) to Exit 24 (Albany), proceed east on Interstate 90 to Interstate 787 South. Take exit # 3A for the Empire State Plaza.

***Rules and regulations for entering the Legislative Office Building:***

Visitors to the LOB will be required to pass through metal detectors and have any bags or parcels scanned through an x-ray machine.

General rule: if you can't carry it on an airplane, you can't bring it into the Legislative Office Building.