



## 2008 Republican Convention Tip Sheet

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### ***THE CREATIVE COALITION DELEGATION:***

The Creative Coalition will host members of the entertainment industry at various events at the 2008 Republican National Convention. The delegation's members will host all Creative Coalition events during the convention. All events are invitation only.

### **Monday, September 1**



#### **Housing Industry Award**

**Palomino 12:00 – 1:30 pm**

Details to follow.



#### **Bank of America Goes Green**

**University Club Penthouse 4:00 – 6:00 pm**

The Creative Coalition will host a reception honoring Bank of America's Environmental Initiative and their commitment to help stop the negative effects of climate change.

**Tuesday, September 2**



**Balancing Housing Issues Luncheon**

**History Center – Capitol Concourse 12:00 – 1:30 pm**

In association with the National Apartment Association, The Creative Coalition will host a luncheon with representatives of the housing industry to discuss balanced housing policy issues in the nation today.



**Working Together: Artists & Policymakers United to Help Diabetes Patients**

**St. Paul Hotel Hotel – James Hill Room 1:00 – 2:30 pm**

In association with Eli Lilly, The Creative Coalition will host a luncheon with prominent members of the entertainment industry, policy leaders, elected officials, business leaders and national opinion leaders to increase awareness of the challenges facing patients with diabetes.

**Wednesday, September 3**



**A Voice for Mental Health Luncheon**

**Windows 12:00 – 2:00 pm**

The Creative Coalition and AstraZeneca host a luncheon to honor The Campaign for Mental Health Reform.



### **Shining Star Award Reception**

**Café' Lurcat 4:00 – 6:00 pm**

The Creative Coalition and *Congressional Quarterly* present the 2008 Shining Star Award to the Dave Thomas Foundation for Adoption for its significant work to find forever families for children in foster care.



### **Gala Benefit Evening**

**The Depot Minneapolis (225 Third Avenue South, Minneapolis) 10:00 pm – 1:00 am**

***Special Musical Performance by The Charlie Daniels Band***

***For tickets and sponsor packages, go to [www.thecreativecoalition.org](http://www.thecreativecoalition.org)***

### **Thursday, September 4**



### **From Hollywood to the Hill: Speak Out – If I Had A Minute With The Next President On Healthcare Town Hall Reception**

**Hard Rock Café (600 Hennepin Ave. South, Minneapolis) 12:00 – 2:00 pm**

In association with the American Association of Nurse Anesthetists, American Nurses Association, American Health Care Association, National Center for Assisted Living and AARP, The Creative Coalition will host a special event and town hall discussion with notables from policy, healthcare and the media.