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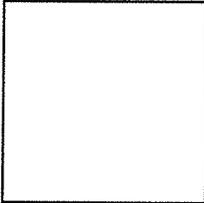
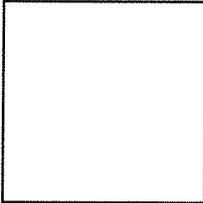
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Sequestration Webinar: What Happened (or didn't) and What's Next for Local Governments

Wednesday, February 6th from 3:00pm to 4:00pm (EST)

On New Year's Day Congress and the President approved legislation that prevented or delayed the worst consequences of the "fiscal cliff" from taking effect. Among other things, the legislation:

- Prevented the expiration of emergency unemployment benefits for one year;
- Permanently "fixed" the Alternative Minimum Tax to stop looming tax increases on middle-income families, and extended the child tax-credit and earned income tax-credit for five years;
- The legislation also permitted the expiration of some tax-cuts on high-income earners which were enacted under the Bush Administration.

On Wednesday, February 6 from 3:00pm to 4:00pm (EST) join the National Association of Regional Councils and the National League of Cities for a free webinar discussing the details of the sequestration process. Learn how city leaders from across the country can join together to urge Congress to find a bipartisan and balanced solution to reducing the deficit, not one like sequestration that will undermine the economy.

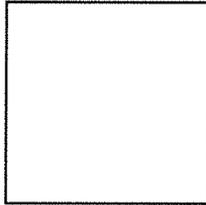
If Congress takes no action on these issues, the cuts required by sequestration will take effect on March 1st; and the federal government will shut down when the temporary spending resolution for Fiscal Year 2013 expires on March 27th.

To sign up for the webinar, please go to: <http://www.nlc.org/sequestration-webinar>

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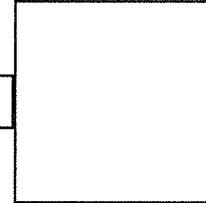
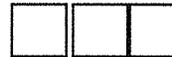
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