

Dear [Immediate Supervisor/Board],

The California HR Conference® is the foremost HR event in California. For education, networking and professional development, this event simply has no equal. I believe my participation is critical to bring new ideas and approaches to our organization and further my professional development. I would like to request approval to attend.

The event runs August 26 - 29, 2018 in Long Beach, at the Long Beach Convention & Entertainment Center. I’ll be among 2,400+ industry professionals to hear HR experts and innovators talk about employment law and legislation, strategic management, leadership development and global HR, and I’ll learn about practical tools pertaining to compensation and benefits, talent management and diversity. The exposition hall offers opportunities for networking and business that could have a positive impact on our organization. By meeting with industry partners, I can find solutions to everyday issues, as well as strengthen existing relationships. A full schedule of events can be found at [cahrconference.org](http://www.cahrconference.org/).

I plan to attend the following sessions to strengthen my professional development. (List the sessions you plan to attend as well as the learner outcomes and how they will benefit you, your team and your organization.) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Following are exhibitors I plan to speak with that I think can help our organization: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Here are my projected costs for attending the California HR Conference®:

Registration Fee $ xx.xx

Hotel $ xx.xx

Airfare $ xx.xx

Miscellaneous (meals/taxi) $ xx.xx

This investment will pay off in more efficient practices, proven solutions, new insights and ideas. After returning, I will provide a summary of key takeaways and recommended actions.

I would appreciate your approval of this request, and will work to ensure we get the full value of this event.

[Your Name]