



Florida Defense Lawyers Association

2018 Winter Seminar

January 10-15, 2018*

*Arrive on January 10, 2018
Depart on January 15, 2018

Join FDLA for the 2018 Winter Meeting at **The Ridge Tahoe!** Experience top rate CLE programs and fellowship with FDLA at **The Ridge Tahoe**—an 11-acre resort nestled on a spectacular Sierra Nevada Mountain ridge above Lake Tahoe. The majestic panorama features Lake Tahoe to the west, and Carson Valley to the East. In addition to this feast for the eyes, **The Ridge Tahoe** offers accommodations and amenities of the highest quality, assuring an unforgettable stay at the Lake. Visit <http://www.ridgetahoeresort.com/>

Now is the time to make your plans to attend the seminar. ***A commitment from a minimum of 25 attorneys by July 11, 2017 is required in order for the meeting to happen.***

Here are important details:

- **DATES:** January 10-15, 2018 (Martin Luther King Weekend). This is one of the MAIN ski weekends so reservations and travel arrangements **MUST** be made **EARLY!**
- **LODGING:** We're holding an assortment of units (descriptions enclosed). The number of each type is limited so be sure to reserve your preferred type early. The prices include **5 nights accommodations** and current taxes. (*current fees and taxes may change*) Subject to availability, **The Ridge Tahoe** will offer the same daily rates for those wanting to come early or stay longer.
- **The Ridge Tahoe**, a full service resort, is virtually unmatched with a wide variety of complimentary amenities. Once you arrive, you will receive a weekly program that shows you all that there is to do on property. FDLA Attendees receive full use of all resort amenities/no charges for parking/no resort fee/a 10% discount on Spa/complemental shuttle service to Stateline casino area. **The Ridge Tahoe** will assist with booking discounted lift tickets at Heavenly Mountain Resort. **The Ridge Tahoe** also has an on-site ski and snowboard rental shop. See detailed amenities at http://www.ridgetahoeresort.com/resort_amenities_and_spa.html

- Nearby activities include World Class Skiing at Heavenly, Kirkwood, Sierra at Tahoe, Northstar, Mt. Rose, Squaw Valley, Alpine Ski Resort, Homewood, and Sugar Bowl--Snow Mobiling--Lake Boat Cruises (year round)--Cross Country Skiing--Heavenly Gondola Rides to Observation Deck with views of Lake Tahoe--Ice Skating--Snow Tubing--Shopping in The Village--Gaming and Nightlife at the Casinos.....
- TRAVEL: The Ridge Tahoe is 65 miles from the Reno airport (RNO) .You can rent a car or take one of various shuttle services which run between the airport and the resort. Since the seminar falls over the Martin Luther King holiday weekend, **make your plane reservations early!** If you need assistance with travel arrangements, Deanne Philhower will be glad to help
- SEMINAR: Past attendees at FDLA Winter Seminars have consistently raved about the quality and timeliness of CLE presentations. The smaller setting of this seminar promotes in-depth discussion and exchange of ideas among many of our most experienced defense lawyers. The 2018 seminar will offer more outstanding topics for CLE credit.
- GROUP ARRANGMENTS: If there are sufficient numbers, group arrangements for lift tickets and ski rental equipment may be arranged to get the best rates. If possible, we will try to assist with any special “non-skier” activities,

Deanne Philhower at Andavo Travel is working with FDLA in planning the 2018 Winter Meeting.

We need to know who wants to go, how many people are in your party, and what type of accommodations you want (described below). Your deposit will confirm your intention to attend, hold your specific accommodations, and is **due no later than July 11, 2017**. **The deposit is non-refundable** (unless the meeting is cancelled). We will work with you to try to find replacements if necessary. As unexpected emergencies can arise, and as winter travel can at times be unpredictable, you might want to consider purchasing trip insurance to provide financial protection for expenses related to trip cancellation or interruption.

For additional lodging, transportation and ski information contact Deanne Philhower at 334-395-8588.

For seminar information/FDLA information contact the FDLA Office at 813-885-9888.

Send in your completed reservation form below with your deposit today! If you have questions, please contact either the FDLA office or Deanne Philhower at 334-395-8588.

LODGING

The Ridge Tahoe is located above the top of Daggett Pass in the exclusive Ridge Resorts Complex, boasting panoramic views of Lake Tahoe, Sierra Mountains, and Carson Valley.

The rates include **5 nights accommodations** and all current hotel taxes. (*current fees and taxes may change*)

DELUXE KING HOTEL UNIT = \$1050.00 (sleeps 1 or 2)

ONE BEDROOM SUITE = \$1400.00 (sleeps 2, 3 or 4)

TWO BEDROOM SUITE = \$1850.00 (sleeps 2, 3, 4 or 6)

Detailed guestroom descriptions: <http://www.ridgetahoeresort.com/accommodations.html>

We are holding a limited number of each of the above units. Lodging preferences will be booked on a first come basis. If these do not fit your needs, please contact Deanne Philhower for other options.

DEPOSITS

In order to hold your specific size accommodations, we will need a **\$400.00 PER UNIT NON-REFUNDABLE DEPOSIT DUE NO LATER THAN JULY 11, 2017.** If the meeting is cancelled, deposits will be returned. Deposit by check (payable to ANDAVO TRAVEL) and mailed to:

ATTN: DEANNE PHILHOWER
6342 WYNWOOD PLACE
MONTGOMERY AL 36117

or by credit card (email information to Deanne Philhower at Deanne.Philhower@andavotravel.com)
NOTE: a 5% fee will be added to cover the cost of credit card processing.

If you have any questions concerning the plans for 2018, or need additional information please call Deanne Philhower at 334-395-8588 email: Deanne.Philhower@andavotravel.com

Name _____

Firm _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Email Address: _____

Phone _____ Fax _____

Assistant Name _____

Number in Party _____ adults _____ children

Type of Accommodation: _____ Deluxe Hotel Room
_____ One Bedroom Suite
_____ Two Bedroom Suite