



# National Federalism

## ~~PHOENIX CORRESPONDENCE COMMISSION~~

STATE LEGISLATURES AT WORK

### **NEW NAME — SAME MISSION & FUNCTION!**

**What is the National Federalism Commission?** Federalism involves collaboration among states. The NFC is the official government entity formed in 2017 by the states to facilitate communication among the states and between the states and Congress.

Originally named the Phoenix Correspondence Commission (PCC) because the originating convention was held in Phoenix, Arizona and the US historical significance of “correspondence” bodies. However, the Arizona centric name did not fully reflect the national scope and purpose of this one-of-a-kind government commission.

The NFC is nonpartisan and each state legislative chamber is entitled to send a delegate to the NFC. The issues facing our nation are structural and not politically based.

**Listen to a brief welcome to the NFC here:**

<https://nfcommission.gov/2025/06/welcome-to-the-national-federalism-commission/>

### **NEW and BOLDER PROGRAMS:**

- Federalism Education for Legislators - Brief, Free, Live, Virtual, Empowering
- Monthly Real-Time Federalism News in Review
- Monthly “Roundtables” - Informal Legislator Conversations Across State Lines
- Congressional Monitoring and Audits
- Model Policies for States
- Legislator Assistance
- Legislative Progress Reports and Article V Library
- Plus .....

**Dr. Lawrence Lessig, Professor of Law & Leadership, Harvard School of Law:** *“I am grateful for the work you (NFC) are doing, in particular what you’ve done to set an example of responsible reflection on Article V and how federalism works. Your work is essential ....”*

**Governor/Ambassador Mike Huckabee:** *“What the NFC is doing is an extraordinary valuable part of raising the issues ... but is also a mechanism for getting things done.”*



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