



Missouri Municipal League
74th Annual Conference
Program

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Welcome to the 74th Annual Conference of your Missouri Municipal League.

The program has been designed to be interesting and informative, and to help you do a better job as a municipal official. The Conference starts with registration on Sunday, September 7. An opening reception is scheduled for Sunday evening where you can meet the MML officers, board, and staff.

Collective bargaining, eminent domain, dangerous dogs, municipal courts, Sunshine Law, annexations, and immigration are just some of the diverse and timely issues to be covered during the Conference. All are designed to be beneficial. Take advantage of the expertise being provided by attending as many sessions as possible.

Let me stress the importance of the annual Business Meeting on Tuesday, September 9. At this meeting, we will adopt the 2008-2009 Municipal Policy Statement and have the election of officers. These are important matters and deserve your attention.

Enjoy the Conference and be proud to return home and tell your colleagues that it was a very worthwhile experience.

Kevin Wood
President

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- 1985 **Clark Ferguson**, *Mayor*, North Kansas City
- 1984 **George Hartsfield**, *Mayor*, Jefferson City
- 1983 **John Cooper, Jr.**, *Mayor*, Webster Groves
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- 1981 **Richard Berkley**, *Mayor*, Kansas City
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University City
- 1979 **Joanne Collins**, *Councilmember*, Kansas City
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- 1973 **Charles B. Wheeler**, *Mayor*, Kansas City
- 1972 **Phil K. Weeks**, *Mayor*, Independence
- 1971 **A.J. Cervantes**, *Mayor*, St. Louis
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 1937 **L.C. Pitkin**, *Mayor*, Memphis
 1936 **Charles A. Shaw**, *Mayor*, Clayton
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 1934 **Homer L. Pruett**, *Mayor*, Centralia

CONFERENCE NOTES

CONFERENCE LAYOUT: Most Conference events will take place in the University Plaza Hotel, with the exception of the Exhibit Hall which is located at the Expo Center across St. Louis Street from the University Plaza Hotel. Diagrams of the meeting rooms can be found on page 51.

SHUTTLE BUSES: Shuttle buses will run between the hotels and the Springfield Expo Center throughout the Conference. Shuttle schedules will be provided at each hotel and the Conference registration desk.

MEAL TICKETS: Tickets for the group meals: Monday and Tuesday Luncheons, Tuesday Banquet, and Wednesday Morning Buffet Breakfast – can be purchased at the League’s registration desk. Meal tickets will be collected each time a meal is served. To assist us in making accurate meal guarantees, it would be appreciated if tickets could be purchased as far in advance as possible.

EXHIBIT HALL: Commercial exhibits of the latest products and services of interest to municipal officials will be on display in the Expo Center. The Expo Center is located diagonally across St. Louis Street from the University Plaza. Exhibiting will take place in Expo Center rooms AB (Expo AB).

- ❖ **A list of exhibitors** including: the firm name, address, telephone number, and a description of their products and services, can be found on pages 25-46 of this program.
- ❖ **Exhibit Hall Grand Opening Reception** - 6:00 to 7:30 p.m. on Sunday. Enjoy hot hors d’oeuvres that will be hand-passed throughout the aisles of the Exhibit Hall as delegates visit with the many vendor representatives. Cash bar, complementary food, and soft drinks.
- ❖ **Monday** - The Exhibit Hall will be open 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., on Monday. Complementary coffee, soft drinks, and pastries will be available in the morning.
- ❖ **Exhibit Hall Snack Party** - Complementary snacks, soft drinks, and beer – 3:30 p.m. to 5:00 p.m., on Monday
- ❖ **Delegates** are encouraged to stop by the Exhibit Hall to meet and talk with the company representatives.
- ❖ ***Note:** The Exhibit Hall will only be open Sunday evening through Monday evening.

HOSPITALITY HOSTS: A **Hospitality Hour**, prior to our Annual Banquet, will be held in the Arizona Ballroom from 6 p.m. to 7 p.m., on Tuesday. During the reception, please take the time to say *thank you* to the representatives of the firms hosting the reception; they will be wearing special ribbons with name tags. A list of the firms hosting the Hospitality Hour is located on pages 47-50 of this program.

HIGHLIGHTS: Many exciting events and speakers have been planned for delegates during the Conference.

- ❖ **Guest Tour** - A roundup of fun Springfield activities. Tour includes: stops at the Askinosie Chocolate Factory, The Ronald and Nancy Reagan Auditorium at the historic Gillioz Theatre, Springfield Hot Glass Studio, and Hickok's Steakhouse and Brewery. The tour departs Monday morning. Tickets are available at the MML registration desk.
- ❖ **Yakov Smirnoff** - "*What a Country!*" The famous Russian comedian whose comedic style is firmly grounded within his mission statement "to experience happiness and teach it with passion through comedy and sensitivity" will be the banquet speaker and also will conduct a concurrent session on Tuesday.
- ❖ **Gubernatorial Candidates** - The Republican and Democratic candidates for Governor have been invited to address the Conference during the business meeting.
- ❖ **Chris Gates** - The former president of the National Civic League and current executive director for PACE, Philanthropy for Active Civic Engagement, will be a general session speaker and will conduct a session sponsored by the Missouri City/County Management Association.
- ❖ **Eric Grietens** - A Navy Seal, a Rhodes Scholar, and currently the chairman of the Center for Citizen Leadership will speak at the business meeting on "Citizen Leadership."
- ❖ **Bob Holden's Reflection Combo** - A local jazz quartet will be performing during the hospitality hour.
- ❖ **Four \$500 U.S. savings bonds** - will be given away as door prizes at the Wednesday breakfast.

MONDAY EVENING: Delegates will be free to enjoy Springfield's many restaurants and activities on Monday night, as there is no scheduled Conference event.

***Thanks to our
Special Sponsors
of the
74th MML Annual Conference***

The Special Sponsor Program, established for firms desiring to increase their participation in the Missouri Municipal League Annual Conference, has enabled the League to provide enhanced special events, including door prizes (four \$500 U.S. savings bonds), the grand opening reception, and coffee breaks.

- **Alliance Water Resources**
- **Allied Waste Services**
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- **Environmental Management Corporation**
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- **Laserfiche**
- **Missouri Consolidated Health Care Plan**
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NOMINATING COMMITTEE

The Missouri Municipal League Board is composed of a president, vice president, all past presidents who hold continuous elective office in a member city, 12 elected municipal officials, and five appointed municipal officials.

League bylaws require that at least one board member represent each of the nine congressional districts.

The nominating procedure, as outlined in the bylaws, states that at least 24 hours before the annual Business Meeting, the Nominating Committee will recommend a slate of municipal officials for election to the Board, and the slate will be posted in the registration area. Not later than 10 hours prior to the annual Business Meeting, other nominations may be made by petition to the chairman of the Nominating Committee. Any such petition must be signed by at least 10 municipal officials representing at least 10 municipalities. If the Committee deems the petitions valid, it will submit the names at the annual Business Meeting for consideration along with the Committee's slate. The vote on any contested election will be by written ballot with each member city present allowed one vote.

Members of the 2008 Nominating Committee are:

Chairman Ron Monnig, *Councilmember*, Slater

Joe Adams, *Mayor*, University City

Tom Carlson, *Mayor*, Springfield

T. R. Carr, *Mayor*, Hazelwood

Gary Lathrop, *Alderman*, Belton

Karen Messerli, *Mayor*, Lee's Summit

Raeanne Presley, *Mayor*, Branson

Jim Schultz, *Councilmember*, Independence

Earle Teegarden, *Councilmember*, Chillicothe

Donald Licklider, *Mayor*, Weldon Spring

Patti York, *Mayor*, St. Charles

RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE

The Resolutions Committee has a key role in the development of the Missouri Municipal Policy. The resolutions, which are approved by the Committee and the general membership at the Business Meeting, serve as guidelines for MML officers, other municipal officials, and MML staff in supporting legislative proposals and in relations with state and federal agencies. The Resolutions Committee met on August 21 to formulate the policy recommendations. Those recommendations will be presented to delegates at the Conference at the 9:00 a.m. Business Meeting on Tuesday. Members may offer resolutions from the floor, however any such resolutions must be submitted 24 hours before the annual Business Meeting (200 copies) with copies provided to the president, the resolutions chair, and the executive director.

Members of the 2008 Resolutions Committee are:

Chairman, T. R. Carr, *Mayor*, Hazelwood
Vice Chair, Arthur Sharpe, Jr., *Councilmember*,
University City
Barry Alexander, *City Administrator*, Shrewsbury
Donna Baringer, *Alderman*, St. Louis
Conrad Bowers, *Mayor*, Bridgeton
Gene Bruns, *Mayor*, North Kansas City
John Butz, *City Administrator*, Rolla
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Kevin Wood, *Mayor*, Harrisonville

PROGRAM

74th MML ANNUAL CONFERENCE

NOTE: A map of the meeting rooms is provided in the back of this program.

Sunday, September 7, 2008

12:00 noon **REGISTRATION** – Expo AB Lobby

12:00 noon - **CCFOA ADVANCED ACADEMY**
6:00 p.m. – Oklahoma/Illinois

“Laying an Egg or Leaving a Legacy: The Leadership Challenge”

In this highly-interactive workshop, participants will have the opportunity to work with a variety of models that will help them gain perspective and move forward toward creating their legacy. The presenter will explain his theories of “True Leadership and the Courage to Lead,” – Erik Erikson’s adult stages of adult development. The Academy is open to all Conference attendees, but registration is through the Missouri Local Government Program at MSU.

Speaker: David Jones Ph.D, President, Sentient Systems, Inc.

12:00 noon **GOLF** – Rivercut Golf Course
Luncheon at noon. Shotgun start at 1:00 p.m.
*Fees must have been prepaid.

4:00 p.m. **ORIENTATION FOR FIRST-TIME ATTENDEES/OVERVIEW OF MML SERVICES** – Colorado A

This session explains how to get the most out of the MML Conference as well as the purpose and services of the League.

Speaker: Richard Sheets, Deputy Director, MML

4:00 p.m. **VILLAGES AND SMALL CITIES ROUNDTABLE** – Kansas A

This roundtable session is intended to provide municipal officials from villages and small cities (under 1,000 population) with an opportunity to meet and network.

Presider: Kevin Williams, Chairman, Milo

5:00 p.m. **NOMINATING COMMITTEE**
(Open Session) – Colorado B

5:30 p.m. **NOMINATING COMMITTEE**
(Closed Session) – Executive Boardroom

6:00 p.m. OPENING RECEPTION – Expo AB
-7:30 p.m.

Hors d'oeuvres and soft drinks compliments of the Special Sponsors listed on page 9 of this program. Cash bar available.

Monday, September 8, 2008

8:00 a.m. REGISTRATION – Expo AB Lobby

8:00 a.m. EXHIBITS OPEN – Expo AB

9:00 a.m. CONCURRENT SESSIONS

LEGAL ISSUES AND COUNCIL PROCEDURES

(Part I) – Colorado

This session provides municipal officials an opportunity to discuss legal issues and council procedures with two experienced attorneys.

Presider: Dale Bagley, Mayor, Macon and Member, MML Board of Directors

Speakers: Nancy Thompson, City Attorney, Raytown and Christine Treat Bushyhead, City Attorney, Belton

COLLECTIVE BARGAINING: The New Missouri and Federal Laws – Illinois

This session will review what cities need to do to prepare for the impact of the new collective bargaining laws.

Presider: Bill Skaggs, Mayor Pro Tem, Kansas City and Vice President, MML Board of Directors

Speaker: Ivan Schraeder, Attorney, The Lowenbaum Partnership, LLC

PLANNING AND ZONING: The Basics – Oklahoma

A nuts and bolts look at how planning and zoning works in Missouri.

Presider: Donald Licklider, Mayor, Weldon Spring and Member, MML Board of Directors

Speaker: Tom Cunningham, Attorney, Cunningham, Vogel and Rost PC

PUBLIC WORKS AND RED TAPE – Kansas

This session will provide attendees with an awareness of the multitude of legal hurdles they must clear when contracting for public works projects. Subjects to be addressed include: bidding requirements, bonding, prevailing wage compliance, prompt pay, and design build.

Presider: Mark Randall, City Administrator, Pleasant Hill and Member, MML Board of Directors

Speakers: Joseph G. Lauber, Attorney, Williams and Campo P.C. and William C. Carter Jr., P.E., Principle, George Butler Associates, Inc.

10:15 a.m. BREAK – Expo AB

10:45 a.m. CONCURRENT SESSIONS

LEGAL ISSUES AND COUNCIL PROCEDURES

(Part II) – Colorado

This is a continuation, not a repeat, of the 9 a.m. session.

GREENING YOUR INFRASTRUCTURE: For A More Successful And Healthy Future – Illinois

(Sponsored by MPRA)

Exploring how the greening of communities, both large and small, can have positive impacts on economics, improved community identity, social well being, and improved natural habitats.

Presiding: Jan Neitzert, Executive Director, Missouri Park and Recreation Association

Speaker: Ted Spaid, ASLA, CLARB; SWT Design, St. Louis

WHAT DNR CAN DO FOR YOUR CITY – Oklahoma

We're from the government and we're here to help. A comprehensive review of assistance programs that DNR provides for municipalities.

Presider: Gary Shaw, Mayor, Joplin and Member, MML Board of Directors

Speaker: Doyle Childers, Director, DNR

CITY OFFICIALS AS LOBBYISTS: Make Your Voice Heard – Kansas

A panel of former state legislators and others will discuss the best way to advance legislative goals.

Presider: Patti York, Mayor, St. Charles and Member, MML Board of Directors

Panel: Steve Stoll, City Administrator, Festus; Bill Skaggs, Mayor Pro Tem, Kansas City and Vice President, MML Board of Directors; Bob Johnson, Councilmember, Lee's Summit; and Dan Wichmer, City Attorney, Springfield

12:00 Noon GENERAL LUNCHEON
– Expo AB

Box lunch provided in Exhibit Hall. One complementary luncheon ticket is provided to each municipal delegate in their registration packet. Additional guest luncheon tickets may be purchased at the MML registration desk (Expo Lobby). This luncheon provides another excellent opportunity to visit with the Conference exhibitors; seating for luncheon will be available in area adjacent to Exhibit Hall.

1:15 p.m. CONCURRENT SESSIONS

MISSOURI POLITICS – Colorado

(Sponsored by CCFOA)

A MSU professor will discuss the uniqueness of Missouri politics.

*Presider: **Becky Dolby**, City Clerk, Eldon*

*Speaker: **George Conner Ph. D.**, Chair, Department of Political Science, Missouri State University*

TRUMPET YOUR SUCCESSES – Illinois

This session will review ways to re-focus your communications to tell your whole story to citizens.

*Presider: **Norman McCourt**, Mayor, Black Jack and Member, MML Board of Directors*

*Panel: **Robert Heacock**, City Administrator, Independence; **Louise Whall**, Public Information Officer, Springfield; **Gerry Welch**, Mayor, Webster Groves, and Member, MML Board of Directors; and **Donna Baringer**, Alderman, St. Louis, and Member, MML Board of Directors*

PIT BULLS AND VICIOUS DOGS – Oklahoma

This session will look at the various mechanisms municipalities may enact to protect the public from the threat of dog attacks.

*Presider: **Don Reimal**, Mayor, Independence*

*Speakers: **Larry Jones**, Director, Independence Department of Health, and **Brian Hall**, City Attorney, Cities of Kearney, Lawson, Lexington, Richmond, and Smithville*

DEALING WITH ANGRY CITIZENS AND DIFFICULT PEOPLE – Kansas

A panel will discuss techniques for managing unruly council meetings, methods of conflict resolution, as well as practical ways to improve city hall safety.

*Presider: **Joseph Adams**, Mayor, University City and Member, MML Board of Directors*

*Panel: **Stephen Cohen**, Consultant & CEO, Labor Management Advisory Group; **Darwin Hindman**, Mayor, Columbia; **T. R. Carr**, Mayor, Hazelwood; **John Wiley**, Councilmember, Springfield; and **Maj. Ron Hartman**, Springfield Police Department*

2:30 p.m. CONCURRENT SESSIONS

EMINENT DOMAIN: The Controversies Continue – Colorado

An attorney will review the impact the new law would have on municipalities.

Presider: Dale Bagley, Mayor, Macon and Member, MML Board of Directors

Speaker: Tom Cunningham, Attorney, Cunningham, Vogel and Rost PC

MUNICIPAL COURTS: EVERYTHING YOU WANTED TO KNOW (and then some) – Illinois

An experienced municipal judge will share his knowledge about what municipalities should do to maintain and improve their courts.

Presider: Terry McVey, City Counselor, Kennett and Member, MML Board of Directors

Speaker: Kevin Kelly, Municipal Judge, Hazelwood

VIRTUAL SUNSHINE: Complying With the Missouri Open Meetings and Records Law in the Information Age – Oklahoma

Session will look at how the Sunshine Law applies to e-mails, Internet chat rooms, and other technological innovations.

Presider: Colleen Klos, City Clerk, Hazelwood and Member, MML Board of Directors

Speakers: James Klahr, Asst. Attorney General and Dan Wichmer, City Attorney, Springfield

INVOLUNTARY ANNEXATIONS – Kansas

A nuts and bolts look at the hurdles a city must jump through when it comes to forced annexation.

Presider: John Butz, City Administrator, Rolla and Member, MML Board of Directors

Speaker: Chris Williams, Attorney, Williams and Campo P.C.

3:30 p.m. EXHIBIT HALL RECEPTION
– Expo AB

(Last chance to visit with exhibitors.)

Tuesday, September 9, 2008

7:30 a.m. REGISTRATION – Ballroom Lobby

9:00 a.m. GENERAL/BUSINESS SESSION
– Illinois/Colorado

Presider: Kevin Wood, Mayor, Harrisonville and President, Missouri Municipal League

Address: “Citizen Leadership”

Speaker: Eric Greitens, Chairman, Center for Citizen Leadership

Recognition of the MML Leadership Program Participants

**BUSINESS MEETING/ADOPTION OF 2008-2009
MISSOURI MUNICIPAL POLICY/PRESIDENT'S
ADDRESS/ELECTION OF OFFICERS**

*Address: Republican and Democratic Candidates for
Governor (Invited)*

12:00 Noon GENERAL LUNCHEON
– Nebraska/Iowa/Georgia

*Presider: Bill Skaggs, Mayor Pro Tem, Kansas City and
Vice President, MML Board of Directors*

*Welcome: Thomas Carlson, Mayor, Springfield and
Member, MML Board of Directors*

*Address: "Civic Engagement: Reinventing Democracy at
the Local Level"*

*Speaker: Chris Gates, Executive Director, PACE –
Philanthropy for Active Civic Engagement*

**MML INNOVATION AWARDS
CCFOA AWARDS
DISTINGUISHED SERVICE AWARD**

2:00 p.m. CONCURRENT SESSIONS

**CIVIC ENGAGEMENT: Reinventing Democracy One
Community at a Time – Colorado**
(Sponsored by the Missouri City/County Management
Association)

The executive director of the PACE foundation will discuss
methods for improving community involvement.

Presider: Richard Noll, Asst. City Manager, Kansas City

*Speaker: Chris Gates, Executive Director, PACE –
Philanthropy for Active Civic Engagement*

**THE SKY IS FALLING – And I have to Worry About
the Rain, Too? – Illinois**

(Sponsored by the Missouri Public Utility Alliance)

It could happen to you. Three cities will share their
experiences with EPA wet weather enforcement. Expert
observers and government officials share what's at stake,
what to avoid, and what needs to be done.

*Presider: Vern Kincheloe, Senior Engineer and Project
Manager, MPUA*

*Panel: Eric McPeak, Utility Director, El Dorado
Springs, Ron Mersch, City Administrator, Bolivar;
and Darrell Dunlap, Superintendent of Utilities,
Fulton*

**EVALUATING ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT
PROPOSALS – Oklahoma**

A fast-paced, lighthearted, and informative look at
reviewing economic development proposals. The presenters

will portray real life situations to demonstrate the tools and techniques necessary to assure that economic development projects meet the community's goals at a reasonable cost.

*Presider: **Gerry Welch**, Mayor, Webster Groves and Member, MML Board of Directors*

*Speakers: **Tom Kaleko**, Senior Vice President, Springsted, Inc.; **Tony Schertler**, Vice President, Springsted, Inc.; and **Chris Williams**, Attorney, Williams and Campo, P.C.*

OOPS! YOU MEAN I SHOULDN'T HAVE DONE THAT? – Kansas

A lighthearted look at the pitfalls of municipal service; an experienced attorney will review the things officials should not do.

*Presider: **Donna Baringer**, Alderman, St. Louis and Member, MML Board of Directors*

*Speaker: **Kevin O'Keefe**, Attorney, Curtis, Heinz, Garrett and O'Keefe, P.C.*

3:15 p.m. BREAK

3:30 p.m. CONCURRENT SESSIONS

HUMOR AND GOVERNMENT – Illinois

(Sponsored by CCFOA)

“What a country!” A well known humorist will provide his insights into where humor fits within our system of government.

*Presider: **Karen Goodwin**, City Clerk, Florissant*

*Speaker: **Yakov Smirnoff***

WORKFORCE ISSUES – Kansas

(Sponsored by GFOA)

Panel will discuss current work force trends and innovative benefits. Topics to be addressed include: talent management, wellness, and four-day work weeks.

*Presider: **Bette Wordelman**, Treasurer, Columbia and Member, MML Board of Directors*

*Panel: **Karen Robinson**, City Clerk, Black Jack; **John Rutledge**, Gallagher Benefits; and **Margrace Buckler**, Director of Human Resources, Columbia*

THE NEW IMMIGRATION LAW – Oklahoma

Session will explore all the red tape that municipal officials will have to comply with under Missouri's new immigration law.

*Presider: **Ron Monnig**, Councilmember, Slater and Member, MML Board of Directors*

*Speaker: **Allen Garner**, City Attorney, Independence*

4:45 p.m. ADJOURN

6:00 p.m. HOSPITALITY HOUR – Arizona

Complementary hors d'oeuvres and drinks. The Hospitality Hour is partially funded by firms desiring to show interest in and support of Municipal officials. See pages 46-49 for a list of the hospitality hosts.

Entertainment: Reflections Combo featuring Bob Holden

7:00 p.m. ANNUAL BANQUET
– Nebraska/Iowa/Georgia

*Presider: Kevin Wood, Mayor, Harrisonville and
President, MML Board of Directors*

Entertainment: Yakov Smirnoff

Wednesday, September 10, 2008

7:30 a.m. REGISTRATION – Outside Kansas

7:30 a.m. BREAKFAST BUFFET

– Kansas / Oklahoma

*Presider: Bill Skaggs, Mayor Pro Tem, Kansas City and
Vice President, MML Board of Directors*

Address: “2008 Ballot Measures”

Speaker: Robin Carnahan, Secretary of State, Missouri

**COMPLETION OF EVALUATION FORMS
DRAWING FOR DOOR PRIZES
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9:00 a.m. MML BOARD COMMITTEES

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PROGRAMS OF AFFILIATE GROUPS

MISSOURI GOVERNMENT FINANCE OFFICERS ASSOCIATION

Tuesday, September 9, 2008

3:30 p.m. WORKFORCE ISSUES – Kansas

Panel will discuss current work force trends and innovative benefits. Topics to be addressed include: talent management, wellness, and four-day work weeks.

Presider: Bette Wordelman, Treasurer, Columbia and Member, MML Board of Directors

Speakers: Karen Robinson, City Clerk, Black Jack; John Rutledge, Gallagher Benefits; Margrace Buckler, Director of Human Resources, Columbia

MISSOURI CITY/COUNTY MANAGEMENT ASSOCIATION

Tuesday, September 9, 2008

7:30 a.m. MCMA BREAKFAST – Oklahoma

9:00 a.m. BOARD MEETING – Taneycomo

**2:00 p.m. CIVIC ENGAGEMENT: Reinventing
Democracy One Community at a Time
– Colorado**

The executive director of the PACE foundation will explore methods for improving community involvement.

Presider: Richard Noll, Asst. City Manager, Kansas City

Speaker: Chris Gates, Executive Director, PACE – Philanthropy for Active Civic Engagement

MISSOURI PARK AND RECREATION ASSOCIATION

Monday, September 8, 2008

**10:45 a.m. GREENING YOUR INFRASTRUCTURE:
For a More Successful and Healthy Future – Illinois**

Exploring how the greening of communities, both large and small, can have positive impacts on economics, improved community identity, social well being, and improved natural habitats.

Presiding: Jan Neitzert, Executive Director, Missouri Park and Recreation Association

Speaker: Ted Spaid, ASLA, CLARB; SWT Design, St. Louis

**MISSOURI CITY CLERKS AND FINANCE
OFFICERS ASSOCIATION**

Sunday, September 7, 2008

12:00 noon - CCFOA ADVANCED ACADEMY

6:00 p.m. – Oklahoma/Illinois

“Laying an Egg or Leaving a Legacy: The Leadership Challenge”

In this highly interactive workshop, participants will have the opportunity to work with a variety of models that will help them to gain perspective and move forward toward creating their legacy. The presenter will explain his theories of “True Leadership and the Courage to Lead,” – Erik Erikson’s adult stages of adult development. The Academy is open to all Conference attendees, but registration is through the Missouri Local Government Program at MSU.

Speaker: David Jones Ph.D, President, Sentient Systems, Inc.

6:00 p.m. EDUCATION COMMITTEE
– Bull Shoals

Monday, September 8, 2008

7:30 a.m. BUDGET COMMITTEE – Bull Shoals

9:00 a.m. CERTIFICATION COMMITTEE
– Taneycomo

11:00 a.m. AUDIT COMMITTEE – Bull Shoals

1:15 p.m. MISSOURI POLITICS – Colorado

A MSU professor will discuss the uniqueness of Missouri politics.

Presider: Becky Dolby, City Clerk, Eldon

Speaker: George Conner Ph. D., Chair, Department of Political Science, Missouri State University

2:30 p.m. BYLAWS COMMITTEE
– Taneycomo

4:00 p.m. BOARD MEETING
– Bull Shoals

Tuesday, September 9, 2008

7:30 a.m. CCFOA BREAKFAST
– Kansas

3:30 p.m. HUMOR AND GOVERNMENT
– Illinois

“What a Country!” A well known humorist will provide his insights into where humor fits within our system of government.

Presider: Karen Goodwin, City Clerk, Florissant
Speaker: Yakov Smirnoff

MISSOURI PUBLIC UTILITY ALLIANCE

Tuesday, September 9, 2008

2:00 p.m. THE SKY IS FALLING – And I have to Worry About the Rain, Too? – Illinois

It could happen to you. Three cities will share their experiences with EPA wet weather enforcement. Expert observers and government officials share what’s at stake, what to avoid, and what needs to be done.

Presider: Vern Kincheloe, Senior Engineer and Project Manager, MPUA

Panel: Eric McPeak, Utility Director, El Dorado Springs, Ron Mersch, City Administrator, Bolivar; and Darrell Dunlap, Superintendent of Utilities, Fulton

THE CONFERENCE AT A GLANCE

► Sunday, September 7, 2008

- 12:00 noon** REGISTRATION – Expo AB Lobby
12:00 noon CCFOA Avanced Academy
– Oklahoma/Illinois
12:00 noon GOLF – Rivercut Golf Course
4:00 p.m. ORIENTATION FOR FIRST-TIME
ATTENDEES – Colorado A
4:00 p.m. VILLAGES AND SMALL CITIES
ROUNDTABLE – Kansas A
5:00 p.m. NOMINATING COMMITTEE
(Open Session) – Colorado B
5:30 p.m. NOMINATING COMMITTEE
(Closed Session) – Executive Boardroom
6:00 p.m. OPENING RECEPTION – Expo AB

► Monday, September 8, 2008

- 8:00 a.m.** REGISTRATION – Expo AB Lobby
8:00 a.m. EXHIBITS OPEN – Expo AB
9:00 a.m. CONCURRENT SESSIONS
Legal Issues and Council Procedures (Part I)
– Colorado
Collective Bargaining – Illinois
Planning and Zoning the Basics – Oklahoma
Public Work Projects and Red Tape – Kansas
10:15 a.m. BREAK – Expo AB
10:45 a.m. CONCURRENT SESSIONS
Legal Issues and Council Procedures (Part II)
– Colorado
Greening Your Infrastructure – Illinois
What DNR Can Do For Your City – Oklahoma
City Officials as Lobbyists – Kansas
12:00 Noon GENERAL LUNCHEON – Expo AB
1:15 p.m. CONCURRENT SESSIONS
Missouri Politics – Colorado
Trumpet Your Successes – Illinois
Pit Bulls – Oklahoma
Dealing with Angry Citizens – Kansas
2:30 p.m. CONCURRENT SESSIONS
Eminent Domain – Colorado
Municipal Courts – Illinois
Virtual Sunshine – Oklahoma
Involuntary Annexations – Kansas
3:30 p.m. EXHIBIT HALL RECEPTION – Expo AB

► **Tuesday, September 9, 2008**

7:30 a.m. REGISTRATION – Ballroom Lobby

9:00 a.m. GENERAL/BUSINESS SESSION
– Illinois/Colorado

Address “**Citizen Leadership**”

Speaker: **Eric Greitens**, *Chairman*, The Center for Citizen Leadership

Recognition of the MML Leadership Program

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Address: “**Republican and Democratic Candidates for Governor**” (invited)

12:00 Noon GENERAL LUNCHEON

– Nebraska/Iowa/Georgia

Address: “**Civic Engagement: Reinventing Democracy at the Local Level**”

Speaker: **Chris Gates**, *Executive Director*, PACE – Philanthropy for Active Civic Engagement

2:00 p.m. CONCURRENT SESSIONS

Civic Engagement – Colorado

The Sky is Falling – Illinois

Evaluating Economic Development Proposals

– Oklahoma

Oops! You Mean I Shouldn’t Have Done That?

– Kansas

3:15 p.m. BREAK

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Humor and Government – Illinois

Workforce Issues – Kansas

The New Immigration Law – Oklahoma

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