

10:00 A.M.	STATE AID STREET MEETING	MANNING ROOM, MH
12:30 P.M. to 2:30 P.M.	ACCRTA TRAINING <i>Orientation for City Clerks, City Recorders, City Treasurers. This training session is especially helpful for individuals who are newly elected.</i>	ARKANSAS BALLROOM, MH
1:00 P.M. to 7:00 P.M.	REGISTRATION	CADDO ROOM (PRE-REGISTERED) OSAGE ROOM (ON-SITE), SCC
1:00 P.M. to 7:00 P.M.	VISIT WITH GOVERNMENTAL AGENCIES IN EXHIBIT HALL <i>Governmental agencies have been invited to exhibit in Governor's Hall I and II. Drop by during breakfast and breaks to visit with the various exhibitors regarding services their agencies have to offer and learn how their services might benefit your municipality. Be sure to stop by League Services and visit with the AML staff as well.</i>	GOVERNOR'S HALLS I & II, SCC
2:00 P.M.	MUNICIPAL LEAGUE WORKERS' COMPENSATION TRUST BOARD MEETING <i>The January 2019 quarterly meeting of the Municipal League Workers' Compensation Trust Board will meet.</i>	MANNING ROOM, MH
*3:00 P.M. to 6:45 P.M.	CITY GOVERNMENT 101: WHAT IS LOCAL GOVERNMENT AND WHAT DO I NEED TO KNOW? Presiding: Mayor Joe A. Smith, North Little Rock President, Arkansas Municipal League Speakers: Charlie Camp, Senior Auditor Arkansas Legislative Audit Mark R. Hayes, Executive Director Arkansas Municipal League John Wilkerson, General Counsel Arkansas Municipal League Tracey Pew, Director of Human Resources Arkansas Municipal League Dave Mims, Consultant, League's IT in a Box *Scanning for the five (5) hours of core credit will take place on Thursday, January 17, after the session.	GOVERNOR'S HALL IV, SCC

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7:00 P.M.
to
8:30 P.M.



OPENING NIGHT BANQUET

Legislators, Constitutional Officers and the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court have been invited to attend. Municipal officials who have obtained their "Certified Municipal Official" status and "Continuing Certified Municipal Official" status will be recognized after we hear from the President Pro Tempore and the Speaker of the House. The League will recognize outgoing municipal officials who have achieved Life Member status. Lastly, but not least, the Dean's Chair will be awarded to the outgoing municipal official who has served the League for the longest time through participation on various Committees, Councils, and Boards.

Presiding: Mayor Joe A. Smith, North Little Rock
President, Arkansas Municipal League

Invocating: Mayor Darrel Kirby, Bay
Vice President, District 1

- Speakers: Honorable Jim Hendren, State Senator
President Pro Tempore, District 92
Honorable Matthew J. Shepherd
State Representative
Speaker of the House, District 6
Honorable Dan Kemp, Chief Justice
Arkansas Supreme Court
Honorable Tim Griffin, Lieutenant Governor
State of Arkansas
Honorable Leslie Rutledge, Attorney General
State of Arkansas
Honorable Tommy Land, Commissioner of State
Lands, State of Arkansas
Honorable John Thurston, Secretary of State
State of Arkansas
Honorable Andrea Lea, State Auditor
State of Arkansas
Honorable Dennis Milligan, Treasurer of State
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8:30 P.M.
to
10:00 P.M.




OPENING NIGHT DESSERT RECEPTION

After the Opening Night Banquet walk across the street to the beautiful Capital Hotel and meet AML President Joe Smith, First Vice President Harold Perrin, and our hosts from Stephens Inc. Delicious desserts and beverages will be provided as well as an opportunity for you to tour the Capital Hotel.

Opening Night Dessert Reception Sponsored by Stephens Inc.











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<p>7:00 A.M. to 5:00 P.M.</p>	<p>REGISTRATION</p>	<p>OSAGE ROOM, SCC</p>
<p>7:00 A.M. to 8:45 A.M.</p>	<p>HOST CITY BREAKFAST</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Sponsored by: City of Little Rock & Little Rock Convention & Visitors Bureau</p> <div style="text-align: center; background-color: #0056b3; color: white; padding: 10px; font-family: cursive; font-size: 2em; margin: 10px 0;"> <i>Little Rock</i> </div>	<p>GOVERNOR'S HALLS I & II, SCC</p>
<p>7:00 A.M. to 5:00 P.M.</p>	<p>VISIT WITH GOVERNMENTAL AGENCIES IN EXHIBIT HALL</p> <p><i>Governmental agencies have been invited to exhibit in Governor's Hall I and II. Drop by during breakfast and breaks to visit with the various exhibitors regarding services their agencies have to offer and learn how their services might benefit your municipality. Be sure to stop by League Services and visit with the AML staff as well.</i></p>	<p>GOVERNOR'S HALLS I & II, SCC</p>
<p>7:15 A.M. to 7:45 A.M.</p>	<p>VOLUNTARY PRAYER SESSION</p> <p><i>This session is devoted to gather and pray for those who lead our great nation, states, and municipalities.</i></p>	<p>FULTON ROOM, SCC</p>
<p>8:45 A.M. to 10:00 A.M.</p> <div style="display: flex; flex-direction: column; gap: 5px;">    </div>	<p>OPENING GENERAL SESSION</p> <p><i>The Winter Conference officially begins with the Presentation of Colors and the singing of the National Anthem. Host City Mayor Frank D. Scott, Jr. will welcome delegates. Arkansas Business will present the 2018 Trendsetter City Awards to cities and towns that have shown themselves to be innovative and creative at the local government level. These awards are presented in partnership with Arkansas Business Publishing Group, Crews & Associates, and the Arkansas Municipal League.</i></p> <p>Presiding: Mayor Joe A. Smith, North Little Rock President, Arkansas Municipal League</p> <p>Color Guard: Little Rock Fire Department</p> <p>National Anthem: Officer Allison Walton, Little Rock Police Department</p> <p>Host City Welcome: Mayor Frank D. Scott, Jr., Little Rock</p> <p>Emceeding: Mitch Bettis, President Arkansas Business Publishing Group</p>	<p>GOVERNOR'S HALL IV, SCC</p>

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<p>10:00 A.M. to 10:15 A.M.</p>	<p>BREAK</p>	<p>GOVERNOR'S HALLS I & II, SCC</p>
<p>10:15 A.M. to 11:15 A.M.</p>      	<p>GENERAL SESSION II: THE 92ND GENERAL ASSEMBLY AND WHAT'S IMPORTANT TO CITIES AND TOWNS</p> <p><i>The 92nd General Assembly convenes this week and legislative priorities of the cities and towns in Arkansas have to be made known to state legislators. This session will focus on the ideas, thoughts, and concepts that will serve to further and to protect cities and towns.</i></p> <p>Presiding: Mayor Harold Perrin, Jonesboro First Vice President, Arkansas Municipal League</p> <p>Speakers: Mark R. Hayes, Executive Director, Arkansas Municipal League Dan Douglas, State Representative, District 91 Randy Ort, Assistant Chief - Administration Arkansas Department of Transportation Joe Quinn, Executive Director, Arkansas Good Roads Foundation Chris Villines, Executive Director, Association of Arkansas Counties</p>	<p>GOVERNOR'S HALL IV, SCC</p>
<p>11:15 A.M. to NOON</p>     	<p>GENERAL SESSION III: THE 92ND GENERAL ASSEMBLY AND HOW LOCAL LEADERS CAN BEST ADVOCATE FOR YOUR HOMETOWNS</p> <p><i>As local leaders, you must be engaged with the League and the Legislative process during the 92nd General Assembly. Hear from League staff on reasons why your engagement is needed and learn all the ways in which you can be completely engaged in this important process.</i></p> <p>Presiding: Mayor Joe A. Smith, North Little Rock President, Arkansas Municipal League</p> <p>Speakers: Mark R. Hayes, Executive Director Arkansas Municipal League John Wilkerson, General Counsel Arkansas Municipal League Jack Critcher, Legislative Liaison Arkansas Municipal League Whitnee Bullerwell, Deputy Director Arkansas Municipal League</p>	<p>GOVERNOR'S HALL IV, SCC</p>

<p>NOON</p>     	<p>VOLUNTEER COMMUNITY OF THE YEAR AWARDS LUNCHEON</p> <p><i>The 2018 Volunteer Community of the Year Award winners will be recognized. The Honorable Asa Hutchinson, Governor of Arkansas, will speak and present the awards. Bruce Davis, Commission Chair, will assist the Governor in presenting the awards.</i></p> <p>Presiding: Mayor Joe A. Smith, North Little Rock President, Arkansas Municipal League</p> <p>Invocating: Reverend Truman Tolefree, Pastor Bethel A.M.E. Church, Little Rock, AR</p> <p>Speaker: Honorable Asa Hutchinson, Governor State of Arkansas</p> <p>Presenter: Bruce Davis, Chair, The Governor's Advisory Commission on National Service and Volunteerism</p> <p>Emceeding: Ashley Ketz, News Anchor, KARK</p>	<p>WALLY ALLEN BALLROOM, SCC</p>
<p>2:00 P.M. to 3:15 P.M.</p>   	<p>GENERAL SESSION IV: HOW DO YOU MAKE YOUR CITY/TOWN ATTRACTIVE TO POTENTIAL BUSINESSES AND WHAT CAN YOU DO TO CREATE A STRONG WORKFORCE?</p> <p><i>There is a process offered by AEDC that municipalities can undergo to make their hometowns more attractive to outside industries. As important as this is, strengthening your workforce also plays a major role when outside entities look at potential locations in our state. This session will outline the specific steps cities/towns can take to enhance economic development.</i></p> <p>Presiding: Mayor Harold Perrin, Jonesboro First Vice President, Arkansas Municipal League</p> <p>Speakers: Matt Twyford, Senior Manager, Community Development Division, Arkansas Economic Development Commission W.J. Monagle, Executive Director, Little Rock Workforce Development Board</p>	<p>GOVERNOR'S HALLS IV, SCC</p>
<p>3:15 P.M. to 3:30 P.M.</p>	<p>BREAK</p>	<p>GOVERNOR'S HALLS I & II, SCC</p>

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CITY GOVERNMENT 101: WHO IS THE ARKANSAS MUNICIPAL LEAGUE AND HOW DO WE SERVE ARKANSAS CITIES AND TOWNS?



League staff will explain the varied optional programs and services offered to cities and towns. As cities' needs change, the League makes every effort to meet those needs. Hear from staff members on the comprehensive benefits that will maximize the overall efficiency of your hometown. There will be a Q&A at the conclusion of this session.

Presiding: Mayor Joe A. Smith, North Little Rock
President, Arkansas Municipal League

Speakers: Mark R. Hayes, Executive Director
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Asia Cruz, Associate Benefits Counsel
Arkansas Municipal League
John G. Wells, General Manager-MVP/MPP
Arkansas Municipal League

John Wilkerson, General Counsel
Arkansas Municipal League

Katie Bodenhamer, General Manager & Benefits
Counsel, MHBF, Arkansas Municipal League

Cindy Frizzell, Director of Finance and Program
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Tracey Pew, Director of Human Resources
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Whitnee Bullerwell, Deputy Director
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GOVERNOR'S
HALL IV, SCC

DINNER ON YOUR OWN

7:00 A.M. to NOON	REGISTRATION	OSAGE ROOM, SCC
7:00 A.M. to 8:45 A.M.	BREAKFAST	GOVERNOR'S HALLS I & II, SCC
8:30 A.M. to 4:30 P.M.	CONTINUING LEGAL EDUCATION <i>(City Attorneys will meet for six (6) hours of CLE.)</i>	ASSEMBLY HALL, LEAGUE HEADQUARTERS
**8:45 A.M. to 10:15 A.M.  	PART I OF VOLUNTARY MUNICIPAL OFFICIALS' CONTINUING EDUCATION: HOW DO YOU CULTIVATE WORKPLACES OF RESPECT AND CIVILITY? <i>Workplace incivility and harassment are expensive, persistent problems too often unreported by victims and bystanders and often poorly handled by managers and organizations. The sad truth is that uncivil behavior, whether illegal or not, is costing organizations in ways they may not even realize. This session will challenge participants to consider their entity's response to workplace incivility, and will offer essential checklists and tools to guide them in designing and modeling truly respectful communications and behaviors.</i> <i>(This session will count as 1.5 hours of continuing education credit.)</i> Presiding: Mayor Harold Perrin, Jonesboro First Vice President, Arkansas Municipal League Speaker: Sheila Krejci, M Ed. HRD, Sheila K Consulting, Inc.	GOVERNOR'S HALL IV, SCC
10:15 A.M. to 10:30 A.M.	BREAK	GOVERNOR'S HALLS I & II, SCC

<p>10:30 A.M. to **NOON</p>  	<p>PART II OF VOLUNTARY MUNICIPAL OFFICIALS' CONTINUING EDUCATION: AS LOCAL LEADERS, WHAT IS YOUR ROLE IN ACHIEVING WORKPLACES OF RESPECT AND CIVILITY?</p> <p><i>Incivility, harassment and retaliation aren't just present in corporate workplaces. Not only does a municipality's reputation, attempts to engage constituents, and ability to attract great employees suffer greatly, the resulting direct and indirect costs are staggering. This session will challenge participants to consider their personal role and responses as leaders so critically important to our citizens and staffs. Attendees will leave with a myriad of ideas, suggestions and practical steps they can begin to implement immediately in your hometowns.</i></p> <p><i>(This session will count as 1.5 hours of continuing education credit.)</i></p> <p>Presiding: Mayor Joe A. Smith, North Little Rock President, Arkansas Municipal League Speaker: Sheila Krejci, M Ed. HRD, Sheila K Consulting, Inc.</p> <p>**Scanning for the three (3) hours of continuing education credit will take place at the conclusion of the above session.</p>	<p>GOVERNOR'S HALL IV, SCC</p>
	<p>CONCLUDING REMARKS</p> <p>Speaker: Mayor Joe A. Smith, North Little Rock President, Arkansas Municipal League</p>	<p>GOVERNOR'S HALL IV, SCC</p>
<p>NOON</p>	<p>LUNCH BUFFET</p> <p><i>Before you head home, join us for a buffet in the Marriott Grand Ballrooms A-C.</i></p>	<p>MARRIOTT GRAND BALLROOMS A, B & C, MH</p>
<p>1:00 P.M.</p>	<p>MUNICIPAL HEALTH BENEFIT FUND BOARD OF TRUSTEES MEETING</p> <p><i>The January 2019 quarterly meeting of the Municipal Health Benefit Fund's Board of Trustees will meet.</i></p>	<p>MANNING ROOM, MH</p>
<p>MH = MARRIOTT HOTEL, SCC = STATEHOUSE CONVENTION CENTER,</p>		