

WELCOME

EXECUTIVE
FORUM

2023

March 1st - 3rd
Helena, MT



DAY 1

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 1

11:30AM - 1:00PM Lunch Downstairs at the Brewhouse

1:00PM - 5:00PM Afternoon at the Capitol

5:15PM - 6:45PM On Your Own:
Invite your local legislators to drinks/dinner.

DAY 2

THURSDAY, MARCH 2

7:30AM - 8:30PM Registration

8:30AM - 9:15AM Welcome and Introductions

9:15AM - 9:45AM MMIA Updates
Presented by MMIA CEO, Alan Hulse, learn about current happenings with MMIA and what is being done to support their member-owners.

9:45AM - 10:00AM Break

10:00AM - 11:45AM Legislative Update
Presented by League Executive Director, Kelly A. Lynch, and Deputy Director, Thomas Jodoin, find out the latest in legislative news and actions impacting cities and towns.

11:45AM - 12:45PM Lunch Provided

12:45PM - 1:15PM MDT Update
Presented by League Deputy Director, Thomas Jodoin, find out how recent changes to the Transportation Alternatives Program may impact your infrastructure projects.

TRACKS 1:15PM - 2:15PM

Municipal Finance Program

Presented by League Deputy Director, Thomas Jodoin, and MMIA CEO, Alan Hulse, learn more about how to gain technical financial support for your local government.

City Manager Track - Montana Grown Leadership Academy

Join Troy Holt, Associate Specialist at the Local Government Center, to discuss the next level of training offered by the Montana Grown Leadership Academy.

TRACKS 2:15PM - 3:15PM

Clerk's Panel (12 Month Cycle)

Did you know? Clerk's yearly schedule explained.

Jodi Rogers - Choteau, Crystal Turner - Three Forks, Tammy Comer - Fairfield

City Manager Roundtable

Discuss successes, challenges, and best practices.

3:15PM - 3:30PM

Break

TRACKS 3:30PM - 4:30PM

Mayor's Panel

Get the Mayor's perspective. Current happenings in local government.

Mayor Rick Norby - Sidney, Mayor John Williams - Colstrip, Mayor

Sandra Jones - Roundup, Mayor Bob Kelly - Great Falls, Mayor Quincy

Dabney - Lodge Grass, Mayor Gail Leeper - Drummond

City Manager Roundtable

Discuss successes, challenges, and best practices.

5:00PM - 6:30PM

Social Hour

Mix and mingle with your fellow municipal leaders.

DAY 3

FRIDAY, MARCH 3

TRACKS 8:00AM - 9:00AM

Liability 101: What Your Dough Does For You

Presented by Jim Brandley, Risk Management Strategist, learn a general overview of liability and how your municipality can manage risk.

City Manager Roundtable

Discuss successes, challenges, and best practices.

TRACKS 9:00AM - 10:30AM

Mayor's Forum

A discussion of the roles and responsibilities of Mayors and leadership philosophies.

City Manager Roundtable

Discuss successes, challenges, and best practices.

10:30AM - 10:45AM

Break

10:45AM - 11:30AM

Safety Throughout The Treasure State

Presented by Tyler Sanders, Risk Management Strategist, strategies for minimizing risk and keeping staff safe.

11:30AM - 12:00PM

Wrap-up

2024 Executive Forum bidding information

Thomas Jodoin, Alan Hulse, and Dan Clark