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Mark September 29 – October 2, 2013 on your calendar for an edifying conference and we trust that your stay with us will be both enjoyable and memorable!

Kind Regards - Your 2013 Annual Conference Host Committee,

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SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 29, 2013

ILGL Faculty Breakfast
7:30am – 8:45am
Franciscan B - “B” Ballroom Level

Registration & Exhibitors
8:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.
(Closed for Lunch from 1:30 pm to 2:30 pm)
Yosemite - “B” Ballroom Level

IMLA’s 2013 Golf Outing
San Francisco Presidio Golf Course
8:30 a.m. (Modified Shotgun Start)
(Separate and advance registration required)
(Bus will depart at 7:30 a.m. from the Hilton’s Taylor Street Exit)

Institute for Local Government Lawyers
(Separate Registration Required)
9:00 a.m. – 4:20 p.m.
Franciscan D - “B” Ballroom Level
Moderator: Frank B. Gummey, III
City Attorney
New Smyrna Beach, Florida

9:00am – 9:40am
Land Use
Dwight H. Merriam
Partner
Robinson & Cole, LLP
Hartford, Connecticut

9:40am – 10:20am
Personnel Law
Daniel Crean
Executive Director/General Counsel
New Hampshire Municipal Lawyers Association
Pembroke, New Hampshire

COFFEE BREAK (20 minutes)

10:40am – 11:20am
You Have Just Been Appointed the City or County Attorney: Now What? You Gotta Serve Somebody!
Robert J. Alfton
Cummins and Cummins, LLP
Minneapolis, Minnesota

11:20am - Noon
Sunshine Laws – Key Concepts and Hot Topics
Frayda Bluestein
Professor of Public Law and Government
Associate Dean of Faculty Development
School of Government
University of North Carolina
Chapel Hill, North Carolina

LUNCH BREAK (ILGL registrants ONLY)
12:00 Noon – 1:00pm
(Orientation & Brown Bag Luncheon)

1:00pm – 1:40pm
A Review of Negotiation Skills
DeWitt “Mac” McCarley
Partner
Parker Poe
Charlotte, North Carolina

1:40pm – 2:20pm
Municipal Finance – It Drives the System
Julia “Rita” McNeil Danish
Founder and CEO of JD2 Strategists, LLC
Dayton, Ohio

COFFEE BREAK (20 minutes)

2:40pm – 3:20pm
Herding Cats: Things About Parliamentary Procedure They Did Not Teach You in Law School
A. Fleming Bell, II
Professor of Public Law and Government
School of Government
The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

3:20pm – 4:00pm
Legal Ethics - A Peek Inside the Orphanage
Phillip M. Sparkes
Director, Local Government Law Center, and Assistant Professor of Law
NKU Chase College of Law
Highland Heights, Kentucky

CONCLUDE
Substantive Programming including IMLA Section and Department Workshops
9:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

REGULAR PROGRAM IMLA WORKSHOPS
IMLA’s Sunday Section and Department Workshops are smaller forums that allow attendees to ask questions, exchange ideas and discuss solutions to problems that they are facing in their community. Section and Workshop participants also review recent case law in each practice area, and the implications for local government law.

Technology Section Workshop
9:15 a.m. – 10:45 a.m.
Imperial B - “B” Ballroom Level
Chair: Peter B. Haskel
Executive Assistant City Attorney
Dallas, Texas

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Dallas, Texas

Telecommunication & Franchise Section Workshop
9:15 a.m. – 10:45 a.m.
Imperial A - “B” Ballroom Level
Chair and Moderator: Michael Watza
Kitch Drutchas Wagner
Valitutti & Sherbrook

Municipal Broadband and Opportunities for Public Private Partnerships.
Gail Karish
Best Best & Krieger LLP
Ontario, California

Cable Television Renewals in an IP Era—What are the issues? What are communities achieving in the current round of renewals?
Brian Grogan
Moss & Barnett
Minneapolis, Minnesota

Developments in Public Safety Wireless Deployments—FirstNet; 800MHz rebanding; 700MHz narrow-banding; FCC proceeding on RF radiation health risks
James Hobson
Best Best & Krieger LLP
Washington, DC

WiFi Everywhere—What’s the plan? How will it affect local governments? Broadband Adoption in low income households—How is it going?
Michael Ruger
Executive Director, Government Affairs
Comcast Cable Communication
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

Finance Section Workshop
9:15 a.m. – 10:45 a.m.
Franciscan C - “B” Ballroom Level
Co-Chair: Robert W. Doty
President
AGFS
Sacramento, California

Co-Chair: Julian Grant
Senior Assistant City Attorney
Corpus Christi, Texas

Economic Development Success In Texas
Julian Grant
Senior Assistant City Attorney
Corpus Christi, Texas

The Death of Redevelopment in California
Stephen Melikian
Jones Hall
San Francisco, California

State League Counsel and Municipal Attorneys Association Department Meeting
10:00 a.m. – 12 Noon
Franciscan A/B - “B” Ballroom Level
Chair: William C. Mathewson
General Counsel
Michigan Municipal League
Ann Arbor, Michigan

Vice Chair: Robert S. Croom
Deputy General Counsel & Director of Legal and Legislative Affairs
South Carolina Association of Counties
Columbia, South Carolina
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Coffee Break - Networking
10:45 a.m. – 11:05 a.m.
Yosemite Foyer - “B” Ballroom Level
(Mad Hatter Giveaway – Must be present to win)

Legal Hold and E/Discovery
Working Group
11:05 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.
Franciscan C - “B” Ballroom Level
Chair: Peter B. Haskel
Executive Assistant City Attorney
Dallas, Texas

Personnel Section Workshop
11:05 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.
Imperial A - “B” Ballroom Level
Chair: Daniel D. Crean
Executive Director
New Hampshire Municipal Lawyers Association
Pembroke, New Hampshire

Land Use Section Workshop
11:05 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.
Imperial B - “B” Ballroom Level
Dwight H. Merriam
Robinson & Cole LLP
Hartford, Connecticut
Timothy D. Cremin
Meyers Nave
Oakland, California

Welcome Reception
6:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.
Grand Ballroom A

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 30, 2013

Registration and Exhibitors
7:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.
(Registration Closes for Lunch)
Yosemite - “B” Ballroom Level

State/Province Breakfast
7:00 a.m. – 7:45 a.m.
Grand Ballroom B - “GB” Grand Ballroom Level
(Advance Ticket Purchase Required)

Speaker’s Ready Room (Monday Speakers Only)
7:30 am-5:00 pm
Yosemite

Opening Ceremonies
7:45 a.m. – 8:00 a.m.
Grand Ballroom A - “GB” Grand Ballroom Level

CANADIAN DEPARTMENT
MEETING PROGRAM
8:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.
Plaza A - Lobby Level
– Separate program track
See page 22 for full details.
All day Canadian Content Program is Open to all
Conference Registrants
Work Session I: Current Environmental Contamination Issues Affecting Municipalities – PCBs in Caulk and TCP in Groundwater  
8:00 a.m. – 9:25 a.m.  
Imperial A/B - “B” Ballroom Level  
Moderator: **Kevin Madonna**  
Kennedy and Madonna LLP  
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Work Session II: Municipal Bonds – Lookout! SEC Enforcement Actions against Municipalities  
8:00 a.m. – 9:25 a.m.  
Grand Ballroom A - “GB” Grand Ballroom Level  
Moderator: **Julia “Rita” McNeil Danish**  
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JD2 Strategists, LLC  
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**Robert W. Doty**  
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AGFS  
Sacramento, California  
and  
**Jim Burr**  
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**Stephen Taber**  
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What Issues are Building and How do they Affect Local Governments?  
— *What are Local Government’s interests in telecommunications policies?*  
— *More industry consolidation is coming in wireline*  
— *Federal regulatory dropouts*  
— *Prospects for meaningful competition in delivery networks*  

**Nicholas P. Miller**  
Managing Partner  
Best Best & Krieger LLP  
Washington, DC

Coffee Break - Networking  
9:25 a.m. – 9:45 a.m.  
Yosemite Foyer - “B” Ballroom Level  
(Mad Hatter Giveaway – Must be present to win)
Federal and State Preemption of Local Authority and Some Strategic Responses

— Arlington v FCC
— Preemption of taxes and fees, information services, and zoning
— Some suggested responses

JOSEPH VAN EATON
Director
Best Best & Krieger LLP
Washington, DC

The Wheeler Federal Communications Commission—What Can We expect? An Update on Congress and the FCC:
— E Rate and help for broadband adoption
— Demise of Title II regulation and the rise of net neutrality?
— "Best Practices" or Federal Preemption and shot clocks for zoning and permitting?
— FCC “Process Reform” proposals

GERARD L. LEDERER
Of Counsel
Best Best & Krieger LLP
Washington, DC

Work Session V: Construction Contract Drafting Initiative (CCDI) – Recommended Modifications to the A-201 Contract
11:15 a.m. – 12:25 p.m.
Grand Ballroom A - “GB” Grand Ballroom Level
Moderator: JOHN MARKOVSK
Deputy County Attorney
Montgomery County, Maryland

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Nashville, Tennessee

Work Session VI: Panhandlers, Papers and Prayers
11:15 a.m. – 12:25 p.m.
Imperial A/B - “B” Ballroom Level
Moderator: MUJEEB SHAH-KHAN
City Attorney
Greensboro, North Carolina

First Amendment vs. Public Safety—The Contributor vs. City of Brentwood Story

ROGER A. HORN
City Attorney
Brentwood, Tennessee
and ROBERT M. BURNS
Howell & Fisher PLLC
Nashville, Tennessee

Recent Developments in First Amendment Law: Exploring Panhandling and Invocations

DEBORAH J. FOX
Sr. Principal
Meyers Nave
Los Angeles, California
and DAVID S. WARNER
Meyers Nave
Santa Rosa, California

Networking Luncheon
12:30 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.
Grand Ballroom B - “GB” Grand Ballroom Level

Concurrent Afternoon Session
2:15 p.m. – 3:15 p.m. and
REPEAT at 3:40 p.m. – 4:40 p.m.
Break: 3:15 p.m. - 3:40 p.m.

1. Construction Insurance — 8 Traps for the Unwary, etc.
Grand Ballroom A - “GB” Grand Ballroom Level

Eight Construction Insurance Traps Every Project Owner Should Avoid

RYAN K. COCHRAN
Waller Lansden Dortch & Davis LLP
Nashville, Tennessee
and
CHRISTOPHER S. DUNN
Waller Lansden Dortch & Davis LLP
Nashville, Tennessee
2. Brownfields and Urban Redevelopment
Franciscan C - “B” Ballroom Level

*Using Affirmative Litigation to Turn Brownfields Green (In More Ways Than One)*

**WILLIAM C MATSIKOIDIS**  
Former Corporation Counsel  
Jersey City, New Jersey

3. Land Use – Zoning, “Big Box” retail, variances, eminent domain, etc.
Plaza B - Lobby Level

**DWIGHT H. MERRIAM**  
Robinson & Cole LLP  
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**ROBERT THOMAS**  
Pacific Legal Foundation  
Honolulu, Hawaii

**CECILY T. BARCLAY**  
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4. RICO - How Municipalities Can Collect Damages under RICO Statutes
Franciscan D - “B” Ballroom Level

Civil RICO and Municipal Officials and How Municipalities Can Be Subject to Damages Under RICO Statutes

**EVERETTE “BUZZ” M. HILL, JR.**  
Klein Thorpe and Jenkins, Ltd  
Chicago, Illinois

and **JOHN ALLEN WALL**  
Klein Thorpe and Jenkins, Ltd  
Chicago, Illinois

5. HIPAA
Imperial A/B - “B” Ballroom Level
Moderator: **DONNA LOWE**  
Assistant City Attorney  
Dallas, Texas

**KIRSTEN POIRIER-WHITLEY**  
Jones Day  
Los Angeles, California

**RUSSELL L. JONES**  
Deloitte & Touche LLP  
San Francisco, California

6. Beyond 3 Minutes: Expanded Legal Framework for Public Participation
Franciscan A - “B” Ballroom Level

**WENDY WILLIS**  
Executive Director of Policy Consensus Initiative and National Director of Research and Development for National Policy Census Center  
Portland, Oregon

7. Ohio DOT and Public Private Partnerships
Franciscan B - “B” Ballroom Level

**PATRICK J. PICCININNI**  
Deputy Director & Chief Legal Counsel  
Ohio Department of Transportation  
Columbus, Ohio

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Columbus, Ohio

**PHILLIP K. HARTMANN**  
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Columbus, Ohio

**Lexis Nexis Focus Group #1**  
2:15 p.m. – 3:15 p.m.
Golden Gate 5 – Lobby Level

**Coffee Break - Networking**  
3:15 p.m. – 3:40 p.m.
Yosemite Foyer - “B” Ballroom Level

**Repeat of Afternoon Concurrent Sessions**  
3:40 p.m.-4:40 p.m.
A Repeat of the above Numbered Concurrent Sessions

**IMLA – MCC ListServ Meeting**  
4:40pm – 5:30pm
Golden Gate 3 - Lobby Level

**LAWTON LANGFORD**  
President/CEO  
Municipal Code Corporation  
Tallahassee, Florida

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**TUESDAY, OCTOBER 1, 2013**

**Registration and Exhibitors**  
7:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.  
(Registration Closes for Lunch)  
Yosemite - “B” Ballroom Level

**Past President's Breakfast**  
7:00a.m. – 8:00 a.m.  
Franciscan A - “B” Ballroom Level
Wonk Breakfast
7:00 a.m. – 8:00 a.m.
Grand Ballroom B - “GB” Ballroom Level
(Advance Ticket Purchase Required)

Speaker’s Ready Room (Tuesday Speakers Only)
7:30 am-5:00 pm
Yosemite

Work Session VII: Design Immunity – Protecting Public Facilities and Operations on an Ongoing Basis
8:00 a.m. – 9:25 a.m.
Grand Ballroom A - “GB” Ballroom Level
Moderator: JOAN CASSMAN
Hanson Bridgett LLP
City Attorney
Millbrae, California

A New Look at Design Immunity: Expanding Protections for Public Entities
KIMON MANOLIUS
Hanson Bridgett LLP
San Francisco, California
and JOAN CASSMAN
Hanson Bridgett LLP
City Attorney
Millbrae, California

Work Session VIII: “I’m A Joker, I’m A Smoker, I’m A Midnight Toker,” Islands of Legalization In A Sea of Criminality – The Marijuana Conundrum Legalization
8:00 a.m. – 9:25 a.m.
Plaza A/B - Lobby Level
Moderator: TYRONE E. COOPER
City Attorney
Beaumont, Texas

Legalized Marijuana
DOUGLAS J. FRIEDNASH
City Attorney
Denver, Colorado
RUTHANN G. ZIEGLER
Meyers Nave
Sacramento, California
GREGORY P. PRIAMOS
City Attorney
Riverside, California

Coffee Break - Networking
9:25 a.m. – 9:45 a.m.
Yosemite Foyer - “B” Ballroom Level
(Mad Hatter Giveaway – Must be present to win)

Work Session IX: Open Meetings Act—Changing Times in a World of Electronic Records
9:45 a.m. – 11:15 a.m.
Plaza A/B - Lobby Level
Moderator: ROSE HUMWAY-WARMUTH
City Solicitor
Wheeling, West Virginia

Public Information Acts and their Adaptation (or lack thereof) to Electronic Documents
HILARY BALDWIN RULEY
Assistant City Solicitor
Baltimore, Maryland

Virtual Rocks & Shoals
PETER HASKEL
Executive Assistant City Attorney
Dallas, Texas

Electronic Communications and Open Meeting Laws
ANN TAYLOR SCHWING
Best Best & Krieger LLP
Sacramento, California

The California Public Records Act: Challenges in the Electronic Age
RUTHANN G. ZIEGLER
Meyers Nave
Sacramento, California

Work Session X: Water Quality Planning—How to Avoid “Poodles” when it Rains Cats and Dogs
9:45 a.m. – 11:15 a.m.
Grand Ballroom A - “GB” Ballroom Level
Moderator: SHAWN HAGERTY
Best Best & Krieger LLP
San Diego, California

Topics to be covered:
-What Is Integrated Water Quality Planning and How Does it Work?
-What Benefits and Challenges Does Integrated Water Quality Planning Present for Municipalities?

Continued on next page
-Is Integrated Planning Really Feasible Under the Current Language of the Clean Water Act and Regulations?
-Why Should My Municipality Care?
-What Can Legal Counsel Do to Help?

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Director—Water Enforcement Division
Office of Civil Enforcement
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
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Mayor
Monrovia, California
Former Board Member of the LA Regional Water Quality Control Board

JANE K. HICKMAN
Senior Legal Policy Analyst
Oregon Department of Environmental Quality
Water Quality Division
Portland, Oregon

Work Session XI: Drafting Effective Ordinances—The Virtue of Clarity
11:15 a.m. – 12:25 p.m.
Plaza A/B - Lobby Level
Moderator: HEATHER PRICE
County Attorney
Caroline County, Maryland

Drafting With Clarity
KIMBERLY MICKELSON
Olson & Olson LLP
Houston, Texas

DOROTHY G. PALUMBO
City Attorney
Galveston, Texas

Five Tips for Better Legislative Drafting
BRIAN DAY
Lead Staff Attorney
Illinois Municipal League
Springfield, Illinois

Work Session XII: Collective Bargaining—How to get to YES with any Union
11:15 a.m. – 12:25 p.m.
Grand Ballroom A—“GB” Ballroom Level
Moderator: IGNACIO RAMIREZ
City Attorney
Baytown, Texas

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Gold River, California

IMLA Awards Luncheon
12:30 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.
Grand Ballroom B - “GB” Ballroom Level

Concurrent Afternoon Session
2:15 p.m. – 3:15 p.m. and REPEAT at 3:40 p.m. – 4:40 p.m.
Break: 3:15 p.m. - 3:40 p.m.

1. National Public Safety Network
Franciscan D

Adrian E. Herbst
Baller Herbst Law Group
Minneapolis, Minnesota

2. Social Media – Facebook Firings: The NLRB’s Do’s and Don’ts
Grand Ballroom A - “GB” Ballroom Level

Camille Hamilton Pating
Meyers Nave
Oakland, California

3. Design-Build: The Mechanics of Alternative Project Delivery
Franciscan C - “B” Ballroom Level
4. Pipelines: Critical Infrastructure Primer for Communities in Need of Education
Plaza B

Federal, Local and Energy Industry Stakeholders will present and discuss the state of pipeline infrastructure in America including its strengths, weaknesses and what can happen when the Perfect Storm of Worst Circumstances Develops.

Moderator: Michael J. Watza
Kitch Drutchas Wagner
Valitutti & Sherbrook
Detroit, Michigan

Connie Jackson
City Manager
San Bruno, California

Sam Hall
Pipeline & Hazardous Materials Safety Administration U.S. Department of Transportation
Washington, DC

Craig A. Potts
Marathon Petroleum Corporation
Chair, API Public Awareness Group

5. Railroads
Plaza A

Local Regulation of Railroads and the Establishment of “Quiet Zones”
Michael N. Conneran
Hanson Bridgett LLP
San Francisco, California

6. Mediation
Franciscan B - “B” Ballroom Level

Mediation Strategies for Public Entities
Hon. Patrick J. Mahoney (Ret.)
JAMS
San Francisco, California

7. Second Amendment
Franciscan A - “B” Ballroom Level
Joseph Tartakovsky
Gibson, Dunn & Crutcher LLP
San Francisco, California

Lexis Nexis Focus Group #2
2:15 p.m. – 3:15 p.m.
Golden Gate 5 – Lobby Level

International Committee Meeting: Report on Legislative Fellows Outbound Program in Kiev and Lviv, Ukraine, sponsored by American Councils for International Education.
2:15 p.m. – 3:15 p.m.
Golden Gate 6 – Lobby Level

Chair: Benjamin E. Griffith
Griffith & Griffith
YMD Joint Water Management District
Cleveland, Mississippi

Large Population Centers Meeting
2:15 p.m. – 4:15 p.m.
Golden Gate 3 – Lobby Level

Coffee Break - Networking
3:15 p.m. – 3:40 p.m.
Yosemite Foyer - “B” Ballroom Level

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IMLA Softball Tournament
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Wednesday, October 2, 2013

Registration and Exhibitors
7:00 a.m. – 12 Noon
Grand Ballroom B Foyer - “GB” Ballroom Level

General Business Meeting
7:30 a.m. – 8:00 a.m.
Grand Ballroom B Foyer - “GB” Ballroom Level
Work Session XIII: Taxation – Getting Your Fair Share from Cyber-Sellers  
8:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.  
Grand Ballroom B - “GB” Ballroom Level  
Moderator: Herman Morris  
City Attorney  
Memphis, Tennessee  
Timothy R. Van Valen  
Brownstein Hyatt Farber and Schreck  
Albuquerque, New Mexico  

Coffee Break - Networking  
9:00 a.m. – 9:15 a.m.  
(Exhibitor Prize Drawing – Must be present to win)  
Grand Ballroom B - “GB” Ballroom Level  

Work Session XIV: Productivity Solutions – How to do More with Less  
9:15 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.  
Grand Ballroom B - “GB” Ballroom Level  
Moderator: Thompson Reuters – Representative  
Jeff Arvidson  
Director of New Product Development  
Thomson Reuters  
Eagan, Minnesota  
Peter B. Haskel  
Executive Assistant City Attorney  
Dallas, Texas  
Matthew Reynolds  
IT Director  
Meyers Nave  
Oakland, California  

Work Session XV: Legal Ethics—Why the IRS Scandal Matters for Municipal Lawyer Ethics (Rules 1.1 to 4.1)  
10:20 a.m. – 11:20 a.m.  
Grand Ballroom B - “GB” Ballroom Level  
Moderator: Diane C. Wetherbee  
City Attorney  
Plano, Texas  
Phillip M. Sparkes  
Director, Local Government Law Center, Assistant Professor of Law  
NKU Chase College of Law  
Highland Heights, Kentucky  

Work Session XVI: Federal Case Law—A Year in Review  
11:25 a.m. – 12:25 p.m.  
Grand Ballroom B - “GB” Ballroom Level  
Douglas C. Haney  
City Attorney  
Carmel, Indiana  

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IMLA CANADIAN DEPARTMENT MEETING  
Monday, September 30th Program: Full Details  

Welcome and Opening Remarks  
Canadian Department Program Chair  
8:30 a.m.-8:45 a.m.  
David Boghosian  
Boghosian + Allen LLP  
Toronto, Ontario  

Term Limits for Municipal Politicians  
8:45 a.m. – 9:15 a.m.  
Leo Longo  
Arid & Berlis LLP  
Toronto, Ontario  

Accountability, Transparency and Me  
9:15 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.  
Robert Swayze  
Integrity Commissioner for Municipalities  
Caledon, Ontario  

Coffee Break – Networking  
10:00 – 10:20 am  

How to Fulfill Municipalities’ Human Rights Obligations  
10:20 a.m. – 11:05 a.m.  
Chrystal Atchison (Canadian Scholarship Winner)  
Legal Counsel  
Regina, Saskatchewan  

22 IMLA CONFERENCE
Panel Discussion: Managing a Municipal Law Department
11:05 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.
Moderator: **Neil Robertson, Q.C.**
Legal Counsel
Regina Police Service
Regina, Saskatchewan

Panelists:
**John “Jack” Robert Basey, Q.C.**
Barrister and Solicitor
Victoria, British Columbia

**Anna Kinastowski**
City Solicitor
Toronto, Ontario

**Phyllis Carlyle**
General Manager Law & Community Safety
Richmond, British Columbia

**Short Snappers**
12:00 p.m. – 12:15 p.m.
(Audience Participation – Share Your Ware Stories, Success Stories, and Other Developments in a 5-Minute-or-Less Presentation)

**IMLA Business and Elections**
12:15 p.m. – 12:30 p.m.

**General Lunch Break**
12:30 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.

**Closed Meetings - Clerks Survey**
2:00 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.

**Jason Reynar**
Director of Legal Services/Town Clerk
Town of Innisfil, Ontario

**Regulating Sex, Drugs and Rock & Roll**
2:30 p.m. – 3:15 p.m.

**May K. Leung** (Canadian Scholarship Winner)
Staff Solicitor
Richmond, Ontario

**Afternoon Break**
3:15 p.m. – 3:40 p.m.

Procurement Issues
3:40 p.m. – 4:10 p.m.

**Jennifer Feren**
Legal Counsel, Acting Director Legal Services
Regional Municipality of Niagara, Ontario

and **Paul De Melo**
Kagan Shastri
Toronto, Ontario

**CAGE MATCH**
4:10 p.m. – 4:20 p.m.
This allows audience members to debate the topic, “What was the most important municipal case decided in Canada since October 2012?” Pick your case, bring some copies to distribute, and come prepared to defend your choice!

**Closing Remarks**
Canadian Department Program Chair
4:20 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.

**David Boghosian**
Boghosian + Allen LLP
Toronto, Ontario

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CANADIAN DEPARTMENT MEETING PROGRAM
8:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.
Plaza A - Lobby Level
– Separate program track See page 22 for full details.
All day Canadian Content Program is Open
to all Conference Registrants

Work Session I: Current Environmental Contamination Issues Affecting Municipalities –
PCBs in Caulk and TCP in Groundwater
8:00 a.m. – 9:25 a.m.
Imperial A/B - “B” Ballroom Level

Work Session II: Municipal Bonds – Lookout!
SEC Enforcement Actions against Municipalities
8:00 a.m. – 9:25 a.m.
Grand Ballroom A - “GB” Grand Ballroom Level

Coffee Break - Networking
9:25 a.m. – 9:45 a.m.
Yosemite Foyer - “B” Ballroom Level
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Work Session III: Health Care Reform –
Regulation Roll Out for 2014
9:45 a.m. – 11:15 a.m.
Imperial A/B - “B” Ballroom Level

Work Session IV: Telecommunications –
Big Issues Regarding Cell Tower Leases and Shot Clocks
9:45 a.m. – 11:15 a.m.
Grand Ballroom A - “GB” Grand Ballroom Level

Work Session V: Construction Contract Drafting Initiative (CCDI) – Recommended Modifications
to the A-201 Contract
11:15 a.m. – 12:25 p.m.
Grand Ballroom A - “GB” Grand Ballroom Level

Work Session VI: Panhandlers, Papers and Prayers
11:15 a.m. – 12:25 p.m.
Imperial A/B - “B” Ballroom Level

Networking Luncheon
12:30 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.
Grand Ballroom B - “GB” Grand Ballroom Level

Concurrent Afternoon Session
2:15 p.m. – 3:15 p.m. and
REPEAT at 3:40 p.m. – 4:40 p.m.
Break: 3:15 p.m. - 3:40 p.m.

1. Construction Insurance—8 Traps for the Unwary, etc.
Grand Ballroom A - “GB” Grand Ballroom Level

2. Brownfields and Urban Redevelopment
Franciscan C - “B” Ballroom Level

3. Land Use – Zoning, “Big Box” retail, variances, eminent domain, etc.
Plaza B - Lobby Level

4. RICO - How Municipalities Can Collect Damages under RICO Statutes
Franciscan D - “B” Ballroom Level

5. HIPAA
Imperial A/B - “B” Ballroom Level

6. Beyond 3 Minutes: Expanded Legal Framework for Public Participation
Franciscan A - “B” Ballroom Level

7. Ohio DOT and Public Private Partnerships
Franciscan B - “B” Ballroom Level

Lexis Nexis Focus Group #1
2:15 p.m. – 3:15 p.m.
Golden Gate 5 – Lobby Level

Coffee Break - Networking
3:15 p.m. – 3:40 p.m.
Yosemite Foyer - “B” Ballroom Level

Repeat of Afternoon Concurrent Sessions
3:40 p.m.-4:40 p.m.
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IMLA – MCC ListServ Meeting
4:40pm – 5:30pm
Golden Gate 3 - Lobby Level
TUESDAY, OCTOBER 1, 2013

Registration and Exhibitors
7:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.
(Registration Closes for Lunch)
Yosemite - "B" Ballroom Level

Past President’s Breakfast
7:00 a.m. – 8:00 a.m.
Franciscan A - “B” Ballroom Level

Wonk Breakfast
7:00 a.m. – 8:00 a.m.
Grand Ballroom B - “GB” Ballroom Level
(Advance Ticket Purchase Required)

Speaker’s Ready Room (Tuesday Speakers Only)
7:30 a.m.-5:00 p.m
Yosemite

Work Session VII: Design Immunity – Protecting Public Facilities and Operations on an Ongoing Basis
8:00 a.m. – 9:25 a.m.
Grand Ballroom A - “GB” Ballroom Level

Work Session VIII: “I’m A Joker, I’m A Smoker, I’m A Midnight Toker.” Islands of Legalization In A Sea of Criminality – The Marijuana Conundrum Legalization
8:00 a.m. – 9:25 a.m.
Plaza A/B - Lobby Level

Coffee Break - Networking
9:25 a.m. – 9:45 a.m.
Yosemite Foyer - “B” Ballroom Level
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Work Session IX: Open Meetings Act – Changing Times in a World of Electronic Records
9:45 a.m. – 11:15 a.m.
Plaza A/B - Lobby Level

Work Session X: Water Quality Planning – How to Avoid “Poodles” when it Rains Cats and Dogs
9:45 a.m. – 11:15 a.m.
Grand Ballroom A - “GB” Ballroom Level

Work Session XI: Drafting Effective Ordinances—The Virtue of Clarity
11:15 a.m. – 12:25 p.m.
Plaza A/B - Lobby Level

Work Session XII: Collective Bargaining – How to get to YES with any Union
11:15 a.m. – 12:25 p.m.
Grand Ballroom A - “GB” Ballroom Level

IMLA Awards Luncheon
12:30 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.
Grand Ballroom B - “GB” Ballroom Level

Concurrent Afternoon Session
2:15 p.m. – 3:15 p.m. and
REPEAT at 3:40 p.m. – 4:40 p.m.
Break: 3:15 p.m. - 3:40 p.m.

1. National Public Safety Network
Franciscan D

2. Social Media – Social Media Firings: NLRB’s Do’s and Don’ts
Grand Ballroom A - “GB” Ballroom Level

3. Design-Build: The Mechanics of Alternative Project Delivery
Franciscan C - “B” Ballroom Level

4. Pipelines: Critical Infrastructure Primer for Communities in Need of Education - Plaza B

5. Railroads
Plaza A

6. Mediation
Franciscan B - “B” Ballroom Level

7. Second Amendment
Franciscan A - “B” Ballroom Level

Lexis Nexis Focus Group #2
2:15 p.m. – 3:15 p.m.
Golden Gate 5 – Lobby Level

International Committee Meeting: Report on Legislative Fellows Outbound Program in Kiev and Lviv, Ukraine, sponsored by American Councils for International Education.
2:15 p.m. – 3:15 p.m.
Golden Gate 6 - Lobby Level

Large Population Centers Meeting
2:15 p.m. – 4:15 p.m.
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Adjournment

IMLA CANADIAN DEPARTMENT MEETING
Monday, September 30th Program:
Full Details

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(Concurrent Program)
8:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.
2:00 p.m. – 4:40 p.m.

Plaza A - Lobby Level

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Closing Remarks
Canadian Department Program Chair
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If you are interested in presenting a paper at one of these future conferences or seminars, please mail information to IMLA or contact IMLA at info@imla.org.
JEFF ARVIDSON is the Director of New Product Development for Thomson Reuters. He has over 20 years of experience in development and management of products for legal professionals. Jeff has an MBA in Information Management from the University of St. Thomas and undergraduate degree in Communication and Political Science. When Jeff is not actively developing legal products for Thomson Reuters, he is chauffeuring his two boys to Boy Scouts and sporting events.

CHRISTAL ATCHISON is legal counsel with the City of Regina. Chrisy has been with the City, and following two years in private practice, returned to the City in 2009. She holds a Bachelor of Science, a Juris Doctor and a Masters of Public Administration (October 2013). Chrisy enjoys spending her free time with her daughters, ages two and five.

CECILY BARCLAY, a Perkins Coie Real Estate and Land Use partner, represents developers and public agencies in complex land use matters, emphasizing mixed-use, infill, redevelopment and biotechnology projects. Cecily co-authors Curtin's California Land Use and Planning Law, which definitively summarizes California's land use and planning laws; and regularly speaks and writes on land use and local government law. Cecily graduated from Harvard Law School and University of California, Berkeley.

MARK BELL is an attorney in the Nashville office of Waller, Lansden, Dortch & Davis. His experience includes representing policyholders in insurance-coverage disputes. He has written extensively on insurance-coverage matters and has been published in the Connecticut Insurance Law Journal, Appleman on Insurance, and numerous other online and print publications. He also contributes an expert column on construction liability insurance for IRMI.com.

JOHN R. “Jack” BASEY QC, has represented local governments in British Columbia, Alberta and Ontario. He is presently counsel to a law firm representing local governments. He is a member of the Municipal Law and Aboriginal Law sections of the Canadian Bar Association. Jack has a special interest and ongoing experience as a lawyer with the legal issues of development on aboriginal lands and the legal relationships with existing municipalities. Jack is actively involved in both a community and as well international outreach volunteer.

JUDY BOYETTE has experience as a law firm partner, a corporate deputy general counsel, and as an administrator in the public sector. Prior to joining Hanson Bridgett, Judy was responsible for human resources for the entire University of California system, including managing a $40 billion pension system, three large defined contribution plans, and the third largest health plan in California.

PHYLLIS L. CARLYLE is the General Manager of Law and Community Safety for Richmond, British Columbia. She is a graduate of the University of Toronto (B.Sc. Hons.), the University of Calgary (M.Sc.) and the University of British Columbia (LL.B.). Ms. Carlyle is a Local Government Fellow of the International Municipal Lawyers’ Association.

JOAN CASSMAN has experience representing a wide spectrum of municipal agencies and has developed expertise in a number of areas, including election law, environmental/land use/real property issues, franchise agreements, public works projects, municipal finance, rate setting, government reorganization/annexation, railroad operations, and purchase of service arrangements. Joan has served as the Millbrae City Attorney for 24 years.

ROBERT M. BURNS is managing attorney at Howell & Fisher, PLLC in Nashville, Tennessee. He attended Hirosaki University in Japan, graduated from the University of Tennessee-Martin, and received his law degree from the University of Tennessee in 1992. Bob has successfully defended civil rights and municipal liability claims, professional liability, and claims alleging discrimination, harassment and negligence.

JIM BURR is with the firm of Chapman and Cutler in Salt Lake City, Utah.

JEFFREY S. CHAPMAN is a construction lawyer in Austin, Texas. He is a shareholder with the construction law boutique firm of Ford Nassen. He regularly represents municipalities in matters facilitating construction procurement during the design and construction of projects. Additionally, he represents municipal clients in matters involving performance disputes and claims. He received his J.D. from the University of Texas and his B.A. from Emory University.

TIMOTHY CREMIN practices in all areas of land use and environmental law, including local planning, zoning and subdivision laws; greenhouse gas and climate change regulations; and state and federal environmental statutes. He represents public and private clients in administrative and litigation matters. He has served as lead counsel on significant development projects and important court cases throughout California.

RYAN K. COCHRAN is a partner with Waller Lansden Dortch & Davis, LLP. He was a contributing author to two books published by the American Bar Association's Forum on Construction: Construction Insurance: A Guide for Attorneys and Other Professionals and Construction Defects. Mr. Cochran graduated from Auburn in 1997 and Cumberland School of Law at Samford University in 2000.
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This year’s recipients are the eleventh and twelfth to be chosen. The 2013 Canadian Scholarship recipients are Chrystal Atchison legal Counsel Regina, Saskatchewan and May K. Leung Staff Solicitor, Richmond, Ontario. Recipients will present a paper at the 2013 Annual conference, Chrystal will present a paper on Human Rights Obligations in the Provision of Municipal Services and May will present a paper on Municipal Jurisdiction: The Law of Sex, Drugs and Rock & Roll.

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