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### Transitions and Traditions



It was wonderful to see so many FCCMA members and guests at the conference in May! We had one of our largest turnouts since the recession, causing me to have hope that all of you are returning your own educational and professional goals to your budgets. I also want to thank the membership for giving Lynn Lovallo such a loving send-off for her retirement - she has been beaming since we returned. Carol

Russell will assume Lynn's post this week, becoming the FCCMA Executive Assistant. I know it will be a very smooth transition and am glad that Carol and Lynn had time this year to really work on improving some internal procedures as Carol learned her new role from Lynn. Not many associations can boast of a 19+year staff member! [\(Read more\)](#)

### Congratulations to Lee Feldman



Lee Feldman, Fort Lauderdale City Manager, was recently selected as president-elect of ICMA. He will begin his one-year term in September 2015 at the ICMA 101st Annual Conference in Seattle, WA. Mr. Feldman will assume the role of president at the 102nd Annual Conference in Kansas City in September 2016.

Mr. Feldman previously served as a Vice President for the Southeast Region of ICMA and served as FCCMA President in Program Year 2006-2007.

He will be the second person from Florida to serve as ICMA President.

### Thank You FCCMA



Greetings:

I want to thank FCCMA in general and the Interview Committee in particular for bestowing the honor of receiving the Raymond C. Sittig Academic Scholarship, and for having the opportunity to meet each of you.

I wish to wholeheartedly thank Alachua County Deputy Manager Angela Montgomery for writing a letter of recommendation and Dr. Robert Lee of Florida Gulf Coast University for his guidance and support. [\(Read more\)](#)

### FCCMA Announces Annual Awards



The Florida City and County Management Association (FCCMA) presented its annual awards on May 29 during its conference, held at the Loews Royal Pacific Hotel, Universal Studios, Orlando.

President Jill Silverboard (2014-15), assistant city manager of Clearwater, presided over the awards ceremony and was assisted by the chair and co-chair of the awards committee: Ryan Leavengood, city manager of Lake Alfred, and Micah Maxwell, town manager of Belleair.

The awards included (a description of the award is written below each recipient): ([Read more](#))

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