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**Celebrating a Life and a Legacy: Raymond C. Sittig 1929-2012**

Last month I didn't know that this month would bring such sorrow; sometimes a few weeks change everything. Longtime Florida League of Cities' Director Emeritus Ray Sittig died Monday, November 12th at the age of 83. Many of you might not know that it was Ray's generosity that led FCCMA to place the Association's administration within the League in 1978 beginning a wonderful partnership. [\(Read more\)](#)

**Strategic Planning Webinar Tomorrow**

Don't miss the webinar "Simplified Strategic Planning - What All Agencies Can Do" on November 15 from 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm Eastern. This will cover ICMA Practice Area 13: Strategic Planning.

Over the last five years, local governments have seen reduced revenues, cuts in personnel, frozen wages, unfunded mandates, and plenty of uncertainty about expectations for future budgets. Changing citizen expectations and advancements in technology has caused professional managers, more than ever, to ready themselves and their organizations to meet these challenges. [\(Read more\)](#)

**Sarasota Symposium - Sign Up by Friday, November 16!**



The Florida City and County Management Association will hold its second symposium in Sarasota. The topic is "The Challenge of Providing Services for the Next Five Years." The symposium will be held in conjunction with the Florida Association of Counties' Legislative Conference on November 30, 2012 from 10:00 am - 4:00 pm at the Sarasota Hyatt. You can register online at [http://fccma-members.flcities.com/Core/Events/eventdetails.aspx?iKey=FCCMA\\_S212&TemplateType=A](http://fccma-members.flcities.com/Core/Events/eventdetails.aspx?iKey=FCCMA_S212&TemplateType=A).

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**November New Members**

The following membership applications have been received. If no current member comes forth with a reason why this applicant should not be approved



as a member, they will be invoiced for dues. **Cheryl S. Atkins**, District II, Grants Coordinator, City of Deltona, Affiliate Member; **Heather Bacus**, District VI, Director of Human Resources, Charlotte County, Affiliate Member; ([Read more](#))

### Supervisor to Leader

The [Florida Institute of Government at the Florida State University](#) is proud to announce that its highly acclaimed and popular **Supervisor to Leader** training program is being offered as a webinar series for the first time this December.

Normally a three-day long program taught in a seminar setting, the Institute has adapted the **Supervisor to Leader** curriculum to develop a series of interactive webinar sessions to accommodate those who may not have the time, travel and training funds, or ability to participate in the traditional program. ([Read more](#))

### "Save the Date" - The Future of Credentialing

Are you an ICMA Credentialed Manager? Used to be? Wanna be? Not eligible yet? Join this session to discuss your likes, dislikes, ideas for the future, and what ICMA should do for members who are not yet eligible. ([Read more](#))

### B. Harold Farmer and Conference Scholarships

FCCMA offers two scholarships. The B. Harold Farmer Scholarship is a scholarship for students who are pursuing a public administration or related degree at a Florida-based university during the summer or fall of 2013. The scholarship recipient will receive a \$2,500 scholarship toward his/her education and an all-expense paid trip to attend the FCCMA Annual Conference. The attendance at the Conference allows the student a networking opportunity to meet people working in the field.

The FCCMA Annual Conference Emerging Leaders Scholarship is designed to allow public administration students and entry-level city and county management professionals interested in continuing their academic and professional development as professional public managers to attend the annual conference. The FCCMA conference is a professional development program designed to promote continued education and networking opportunities in the municipal and county management profession. The scholarship is awarded to individuals once per lifetime. ([Read more](#))

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