Florida Local Government Coalition "Local Works Day" - October 3

The Florida City and County Management Association is a member of the Florida Local Government Coalition, which exists to connect local government associations across the state. For the second year, the coalition will promote its "Local Works" campaign as a way to help Florida citizens understand, appreciate and support local government and the services and value these governments bring to millions of lives each day. Click here to learn more. (Read more)

August 20, 2014 Newsletter

Congratulations to Howard D. Tipton

On August 15th, Howard D. "Tip" Tipton was awarded the inaugural Raymond C. Sittig Distinguished Public Service Award from the Florida League of Cities at its annual conference. This award was named in honor of Raymond "Ray" C. Sittig, executive director emeritus for the League, where he served from 1959 until his death in 2012. FCCMA is proud of Mr. Tipton as he represents the best of professional management and exemplifies FCCMA's purpose.

Mr. Tipton was the FCCMA president during Program Year 1986-87, while he was the city manager of Daytona Beach. He also served the FCCMA on the Florida League of Cities' Board of Directors in the ex-officio seat for several terms and as an ICMA-FCCMA range rider for several years.

"For nearly 40 years, Tip has shared his expertise, his experience, his vision, his commitment to ethics and excellence with Florida's city governments and with the local public management," said Florida League of Cities President and Pensacola Councilman P.C. Wu. "Florida is a better state for his service, and our cities are better for his service."

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2014 FCCMA Dinner at the ICMA Conference

FCCMA will hold its annual dinner at the ICMA Annual Conference in Charlotte at Fitzgerald's Irish Pub, 201 East 5th Street, Charlotte, NC 28202 on Monday, September 15. Dinner is scheduled for 7:00 p.m.

Dinner will include salad, choice of four entrées and a choice of two desserts. Soda, tea and water
are included in the cost. A cash bar will be available.

The cost is $40 per person. Seating will be determined on a first-come, first-served basis.

Reservations will be accepted until August 29. RSVPs will be necessary, as FCCMA will be guaranteeing a certain number of guests. A confirmation e-mail will be sent. (Read more)

FCCMA Webinar: How to Diversify Your Work Place

**Thursday, September 4, 2014, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm**

**ICMA Practice Area 9: Diversity**

Florida's population is continuing to become more and more diverse in terms of age, race, religion, gender, and numerous other celebrated differences. Local governments, in an effort to ensure their work force represents this changing population, are taking pro-active steps to appropriately create a productive workforce that represents the populations they serve. (Read more)

2014 Florida Ethics Conference and Attorney General's Sunshine Summit

Save the Date to attend the 2014 Florida Ethics Conference and Attorney General's Sunshine Summit on September 24-26, 2014 at the Rosen Shingle Creek in Orlando. Hotel accommodations are available now. The room rate is $119 per night. Call 1-(866) 996-6338. (Read more)

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