VISION
To be recognized and respected as the leading advocate for the common interests of California’s cities.

MISSION and CORE BELIEFS
To expand and protect local control for cities through education and advocacy to enhance the quality of life for all Californians.

WE BELIEVE:
- Local self-governance is the cornerstone of democracy.
- Our strength lies in the unity of our diverse communities of interest.
- In the involvement of all stakeholders in establishing goals and in solving problems.
- In conducting the business of government with transparency, openness, respect, and civility.
- The spirit of honest public service is what builds communities.
- Open decision-making that is of the highest ethical standards honors the public trust.
- Cities are vital to the strength of the California economy.
- The vitality of cities is dependent upon their fiscal stability and local autonomy.
- The active participation of all city officials increases Cal Cities’ effectiveness.
- Partnerships and collaborations are essential elements of focused advocacy and lobbying.
- Ethical and well-informed city officials are essential for responsive, visionary leadership, and effective and efficient city operations.
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- League Partner - Premier Level - This session is either planned with or includes a speaker representing a Premier League Partner.

- Institute for Local Government - This session is planned with the Institute for Local Government.
Welcome to the 2022 Annual Conference and Expo!

We are excited to welcome you to Long Beach for the 2022 League of California Cities Annual Conference and Expo! I am truly inspired that so many city officials are investing three days of their time for learning and for connecting with colleagues new and old. This is a time for us to expand our knowledge, reinvigorate the drive we all share in supporting our local communities, and celebrate accomplishments of California cities and Cal Cities.

While at the conference, be sure to visit the Expo, where you will find valuable products and solutions to help enhance city services you provide to your communities. I hope you enjoy your time over the next three days and bring back valuable insights to your cities.

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Conference Hotels

Hyatt Regency Long Beach
200 S. Pine Avenue

The Westin Long Beach
333 E. Ocean Boulevard

Renaissance Long Beach
111 E. Ocean Boulevard

Hilton Long Beach
701 W. Ocean Boulevard

Hyatt Centric The Pike Long Beach
285 Bay Street

Best Western Plus Hotel at the Convention Center
517 E. 1st Street

Residence Inn Long Beach Downtown
600 Queensway Drive

Courtyard Long Beach Downtown
500 E. 1st Street

Shuttle Information

Shuttle route runs between Residence Inn Long Beach, Hilton Long Beach, Courtyard Long Beach Downtown, Best Western Plus Hotel at the Convention Center, and the Long Beach Convention Center. For a full list of shuttle times, please visit www.calcities.org/ACshuttle. To contact shuttle dispatch, please call (714) 375-9128 ext. 2.

Wednesday 9/7

✦ First hotel pickup: 7:30 a.m.
No shuttle service between 1:30 - 3:30 p.m. Service resumes at 3:30 p.m. at the Convention Center.

✦ Last Convention Center pickup: 7:10 p.m.

Thursday 9/8

✦ First hotel pickup: 7:30 a.m.
No shuttle service between 10:15 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. Service resumes at 1:00 p.m. at the Convention Center.

✦ Last Convention Center pickup: 8:00 p.m.

Friday 9/9

✦ First hotel pickup: 7:00 a.m.
✦ Last Convention Center pickup: 2:20 p.m.

Please note: No alcohol, open or closed, is permitted to be carried on the shuttle.

Event Locations

Unless otherwise noted, all events take place in the Long Beach Convention Center.

Convention Center Amenities

Complimentary wireless internet will be available in the public areas. The network is named “Free Internet” and a password is not required.

Water stations will be available throughout the Convention Center for your convenience.

Lost and Found

For help in locating or turning in a lost item during the conference, take the item to Cal Cities conference registration. The item will be held until the conclusion of the conference, at which time the Long Beach Convention Center Security (562) 499-7525 (or x525 from a house phone) will log the items into their lost and found room, and hold it for 30 days after the conference.
Conference Information

Providing a Safe and Respectful Environment
The League of California Cities is committed to ensuring a safe and respectful environment for all participants and staff at Cal Cities events and meetings.

We expect participants and staff to:
- Be considerate and respectful in your speech and actions.
- Refrain from behavior and speech that could be perceived as demeaning, discriminatory, or harassing.
- Be mindful of your surroundings and your fellow participants.

If you experience or witness harassment during a Cal Cities event or meeting, or have any other concerns, please contact a member of Cal Cities staff immediately. All reports are confidential.

Unacceptable behavior from any participant while attending an event or meeting will not be tolerated. Cal Cities reserves the right to take any action necessary to respond to violations of this policy including immediate removal from the event or meeting without refund, loss of member benefits, or the involvement of local authorities.

Event and Meeting Policies
For a full description of Cal Cities' Event and Meeting Policies, please visit www.calcities.org/event-policies.

Brown Act and Cal Cities Conferences
The Brown Act permits the attendance of a majority of the members of a legislative body at a conference or similar gathering open to the public that addresses issues of general interest to the public or to public agencies of the type represented by the legislative body. However, a majority of the members cannot discuss among themselves, other than as part of the scheduled program, business of a specific nature that is within the local agency's subject matter jurisdiction.

Member Services Booth
Get informed! Get involved! Be a leader! The Member Services Booth, inside the Cal Cities Pavilion, will expand your knowledge about Cal Cities. Learn about your roadmap to Cal Cities leadership and how to use your membership to the fullest. Talk to a Cal Cities representative about how to participate in the professional departments, regional divisions and diversity caucuses. Get involved and make a difference.

Session Materials
Our goal is to provide exceptional educational experiences, networking opportunities, and innovative tools that will make attendees and their cities more successful. Presentation materials are an important element of the Annual Conference and will be available online at www.calcities.org/ac.
HOW TO PARTICIPATE IN CAL CITIES’ ANNUAL CONFERENCE RESOLUTIONS PROCESS

Policy development is a key part of Cal Cities’ legislative effectiveness. Cal Cities’ Annual Conference resolutions process is one way that city officials can directly participate in the development of Cal Cities policy.

Submission of Resolutions
Any elected or appointed city official, individual city, division, department, policy committee, or the board of directors may submit a resolution for consideration at the conference. Resolutions must be submitted to Cal Cities’ Sacramento office no later than 60 days prior to the opening of the conference. Resolutions should focus on direct municipal issues of statewide importance.

Resolutions submitted to the General Assembly must be concurred in by at least five cities or by city officials from at least five cities. Those submitting resolutions should be prepared to provide written documentation of concurrence by at least five cities or by city officials from at least five cities. This may be in the form of a letter from the city or the city official in support. For concurrence by a city official, the official’s city and office held must be included in the letter. All concurrences must be submitted at the time the resolution is submitted.

Consideration at the Conference
Cal Cities President refers resolutions to Cal Cities policy committees for review and recommendation at the Conference. Resolutions are next considered by the General Resolutions Committee (GRC), which consists of representatives from each division, department, policy committee and individuals appointed by Cal Cities President. Resolutions approved by the policy committee and/or GRC are next considered by the General Assembly. Resolutions disapproved or referred by both the policy committee and GRC will not proceed to the General Assembly. Resolutions approved by the General Assembly become Cal Cities policy. Other action on resolutions can be: refer back to a policy committee, amend, disapprove, or no action.

Late-Breaking Issues
Resolutions to address late-breaking issues may be introduced by petition at the Annual Conference. To qualify, a petitioned resolution must be signed by ten percent of the voting delegates and submitted at least 24 hours before the beginning of the concluding General Assembly (Deadline: 11:30 a.m., Thursday, Sept. 8). All qualified petitioned resolutions are forwarded to the General Assembly for consideration, regardless of the action recommended by the GRC.
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WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 7

8:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.
Registration Open
Promenade Lobby

8:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.
City Clerks Department Meeting and Workshop:
Fair Political Practices Commission: A Workshop for Filing Officers
Seaview Ballroom, Hyatt Regency
Additional registration of $175 per attendee from a member city/$350 per attendee from a non-member city. (Department meeting 8:30 – 9:00 a.m. followed by a four hour workshop). Accredited for one CMC/MMC Advanced Education Point.
Representatives from the Fair Political Practices Commission will conduct a multi-pronged training for filing officers about their roles and responsibilities under the Political Reform Act. Topics of review will include conflict-of-interest filings by designated employees, candidate campaign filings, and new or proposed regulations. New and seasoned professionals alike will benefit from this wholesale review as they prepare for the upcoming election.

Speakers: Chloe Hackert, Education & External Affairs Unit Manager, Fair Political Practices Commission
Adam Ramirez, Political Reform Consultant, Fair Political Practices Commission

10:00 a.m. - Noon
Understanding Public Service Ethics Laws and Principles (AB 1234)
Room 103 AB
State law requires elected and appointed officials to receive two hours of training in specified ethics laws and principles every two years. Newly elected and appointed officials must receive this training within one year of becoming a public servant. Join a panel of experts as they help navigate the ethics laws and principles. Sign-in will begin 30 minutes prior to the session and you must be present for the full two hours to receive the certification of attendance. Entry will be prohibited once the session begins.

The Institute for Local Government is a State Bar of California minimum continuing legal education (MCLE) approved provider and certifies this activity meets the standards for MCLE credit by the State Bar of California in the total amount of two hours (general credits). Provider #13881

Speakers: Aleks R. Giragosian, Esq., Colantuono, Highsmith & Whatley
Andrew Jared, Senior Counsel, Colantuono, Highsmith & Whatley

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| 11:00 a.m. - Noon | City Managers Department Meeting  
Room 104 A                                                           |
| 11:30 a.m. - 1:15 p.m. | Los Angeles County Division Lunch  
Regency A, Hyatt Regency  
Space is limited; please RSVP to your Regional Public Affairs Manager, Jennifer Quan, jquan@calcities.org. Additional fees may apply. |
| 11:30 a.m. - 1:15 p.m. | Riverside County Division General Membership Meeting  
Beacon Ballroom B, Hyatt Regency  
Space is limited; please RSVP to your Regional Public Affairs Manager, Erin Sasse, esasse@calcities.org. Additional fees may apply. |
| 11:45 a.m. - 1:15 p.m. | Sacramento Valley Division Membership Meeting  
Regency DEF, Hyatt Regency  
Space is limited; please RSVP to your Regional Public Affairs Manager, Charles Anderson, canderson@calcities.org. Additional fees may apply. |
| 11:45 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. | South San Joaquin Valley Division Lunch Meeting  
Regency B & C, Hyatt Regency  
Space is limited; please RSVP to your Regional Public Affairs Manager, Rajveer Rakkar, rrakkar@calcities.org. Additional fees may apply. |
| 11:45 a.m. - 1:15 p.m. | Inland Empire and Desert Mountain Division Lunch Meeting  
Beacon Ballroom A, Hyatt Regency  
Space is limited; please RSVP to your Regional Public Affairs Manager, Laura Morales, lmorales@calcities.org. Additional fees may apply. |
| 12:45 - 1:15 p.m. | First-Time Attendee Orientation  
Room 103 AB  
Join Cal Cities leadership and staff as you begin your first Annual Conference experience. Hear about Cal Cities and how to get the most out of your conference experience. |
OPENING GENERAL SESSION

1:30 - 3:30 p.m.

Exhibit Hall C

Welcoming Remarks: Cindy Silva, President, League of California Cities and Mayor Pro Tem, Walnut Creek

National Anthem and Presentation of the Colors

Host City Remarks: Robert Garcia, Mayor, Long Beach

State of Cal Cities Annual Report: Carolyn Coleman, Executive Director and CEO, League of California Cities

Nominating Committee Report: Randi Johl, Nominating Committee Chair and Legislative Director/City Clerk, Temecula

Past Presidents’ Lifetime Achievement Award: Cheryl Viegas Walker, Immediate Past President, League of California Cities and Council Member, El Centro

Keynote Address: We Can’t Do It Alone: Leading with Courage

Jill Ellis was the first — and only — head coach to win consecutive Women’s World Cup victories. She is also the first national team coach, men’s or women’s, to win back-to-back World Cup titles since 1938. After stepping down as head coach, Ellis established a mentoring program for the next generation of women coaches as an ambassador for the U.S. Soccer Federation. She currently serves as President of San Diego Wave FC, the newest franchise in the National Women’s Soccer League. In her “fireside chat,” Ellis will share her insights for creating unified, successful communities. In today’s environment, it can be difficult to engage people one-on-one, much less get everyone working towards a common goal. It takes personal connection, courage, confidence — and some risk-taking — to successfully lead. Drawing from her time as one of the most successful coaches in sports, Ellis will share her strategies for success, including ways to recruit top performers, respond to high-profile issues, and unite big personalities, non-conformists, and rising stars. With many stories, lessons learned, and surprising parallels, Ellis’s historic tenure will equip city leaders with new ways to lead their communities and message key priorities.

Speaker: Jill Ellis, Legendary Head Coach, U.S. Women’s National Soccer Team and President, National Women’s Soccer League San Diego
Legal Issues: Land Use, CEQA and Affordable Housing Covenants
Room 104 BC
Moderator: Dave Fleishman, City Attorney, Pismo Beach and Solvang, Richards, Watson & Gershon

Land Use and CEQA Litigation Update
Speaker: William Ihrke, City Attorney, Cerritos and La Quinta, Partner, Rutan & Tucker

Affordable Housing Covenants: Ensuring Continued Affordability
Speakers: Gabrielle Janssens, Attorney, Goldfarb & Lipman
Barbara Kautz, Partner, Goldfarb & Lipman
Erin Lapeyrolerie, Attorney, Goldfarb & Lipman

Fire Chiefs Department Meeting
Room 203 A

Fiscal Officers Department Meeting
Room 202 AB

Making Equity Stick: City Charter Revisions and Other Systemic Changes
Room 101 B
The National Civic League recently revised its 120-year-old Model City Charter to provide guidance on everything from city management to equity and public engagement. This session will explore how communities can work together to make equity and civic engagement permanent fixtures of local governance, whether in city charters, policies, or agencies. Panelists will introduce concepts from the new model regarding equity and engagement and discuss their work to make equity and engagement lasting features of their communities.
Moderator: Doug Linkhart, President, National Civic League
Speakers: Harry Black, City Manager, Stockton
Mary Casillas Salas, Mayor, Chula Vista
Barbara Halliday, Mayor, Hayward
3:45 - 5:00 p.m.  
Concurrent Session

**Climate Action Plans in Practice: San Leandro, Ontario Case Studies**  
Room 102

California cities of all sizes have adopted climate action plans to help meet the state’s long-term energy reduction targets. In both Ontario and San Leandro, sustainability goals required civic leaders to take bold action to produce positive outcomes. As a result, these cities have preserved critical services and drastically reduced annual greenhouse gas emissions. San Leandro and Ontario both demonstrate cities’ capacity to adapt and hedge against climate change. In this session, learn how these two communities envisioned and accomplished their goals — and how other cities can do the same.

**Moderator:** Tyler Girtman, Regional Manager, Climatec

**Speakers:** Tito Haes, Director of Public Works, Ontario  
Frances Robustelli, City Manager, San Leandro

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3:45 - 5:00 p.m.  
Concurrent Session

**Supporting Housing in Your Community Through Policy, Finance, and Communications**  
Room 103 AB

As cities throughout the state strive to meet aggressive RHNA goals, many are running up against obstacles. If they have land, they lack developers. If they have developers, they often have community opposition. In this session, local leaders will share creative policies, innovative financing strategies, and new marketing techniques to help you steer clear of the pitfalls on the road to encouraging more housing in your community.

**Moderator:** Karalee Browne, Assistant Executive Director, Institute for Local Government

**Speakers:** Lisa Motoyama, Mayor Pro Tem, El Cerrito  
Heather Vaikona, President and CEO, Lift to Rise
WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 7

3:45 - 4:05 p.m.  Speed Session
Scaling Up: Fostering Innovation Through Technology Pilot Projects
Room 101 A
As California cities face tight budgets, cities like Long Beach have invested in programs that procure and pilot innovative solutions to pressing civic challenges. This session will highlight three innovative, data-informed pilot projects in the city of Long Beach from the last two years. Participants will learn why pilot projects are a transformative low-cost strategy for exploring technological solutions in an accessible, equitable, and cost-effective manner, and how they can design procurement workflows to scale from idea to pilot project, and eventually, full contract.

Speaker: Ryan Kurtzman, Smart Cities Program Manager, Long Beach

3:45 - 5:00 p.m.  Concurrent Session
Ending Poverty in California Cities
Room 104 A  Planned with the African American and Asian Pacific Islander Caucuses
California cities have faced massive change over the past two years. For communities of color, the fallout of the pandemic created fear and anxiety. Black/African American and Asian American/Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander residents have experienced higher rates of violence, job loss, and rising housing costs. Community-based organizations and cities have worked on strategies to address the underlying causes of these issues, including guaranteed basic income programs. Learn how to finance the startup of a guaranteed basic income program, sustain financing over time, and evaluate the impacts of the program.

Moderator: Lois Takahashi, Director and Houston Flournoy Professor of State Government, USC Price School in Sacramento
Speakers: Mark Nagales, Mayor, South San Francisco
            Michael Tubbs, Founder, End Poverty in California (EPIC)

3:45 - 5:00 p.m.  Concurrent Session
How to Stay Out of Trouble: Avoiding Council Chaos
Grand Ballroom A
Council members are elected to be trustworthy and loyal stewards of public services. Using real-life examples, this session will cover the topics council members need to understand to avoid allegations of misconduct and to have a functional council. Join this session to learn the roles of a city council versus individual council members and who holds which privileges; and how to handle confidential material; safeguard attorney-client privileged information; and understand fair process hearing standards.

Speakers: Amy Ackerman, Partner, Renne Public Law Group
          Jenica Maldonado, Partner, Renne Public Law Group
**WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 7**

4:15 - 4:35 p.m.  
**Speed Session**  
**Infrastructure Recovery After Disaster: 2018 Camp Fire**  
Room 101 A  
The most destructive fire in California history, the Camp Fire, destroyed 90% of the town of Paradise. Public infrastructure was heavily impacted and has required creative solutions for recovery. Hear the lessons learned on the road to infrastructure recovery, and how regional cooperation and leveraging financial resources have supported the path forward.  
**Speaker:** Marc Mattox, Public Works Director/Town Engineer, Paradise

4:30 - 5:00 p.m.  
**Personnel and Employee Relations Department Meeting**  
Room 203 A

4:45 - 5:05 p.m.  
**Speed Session**  
**California’s Statewide Park Development and Community Revitalization Program**  
Room 101 A  
With over $1 billion invested, California’s Statewide Park Development and Community Revitalization Program includes a detailed public engagement process for improving park access in underserved communities. Learn how this interactive, three-step model can improve access to the community outreach process, create an authentic dialogue with residents, and lead to better outcomes for a broad range of public projects.  
**Speaker:** Sedrick Mitchell, Deputy Director, Community Engagement, California State Parks

5:00 - 7:00 p.m.  
**Grand Opening Expo Hall and Host City Reception**  
Exhibit Hall A/B  
More than 200 city government product and service-related companies have come together to help communities do a better job and provide quality opportunities and services. Meet the exhibitors inside Cal Cities' Annual Expo.  
**Host City Reception**  
The City of Long Beach welcomes the delegates to the League of California Cities Annual Conference and Expo. Please join us at the host city reception and enjoy a selection of delicious hors d’oeuvres. The reception will take place in the Expo Hall. A registration badge is required to access the event.
CATCH A WAVE
A fundraiser in support of CITIPAC

Featuring food, beverages, band, casino style gaming, photobooth and more!

WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 7, 2022
7:00 – 10:00 p.m.
Aquarium of the Pacific
100 Aquarium Way, Long Beach, CA 90802

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THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 8

7:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.
Registration Open
Promenade Lobby

8:30 - 9:45 a.m.
Concurrent Session

Cannabis and Economic Development
Room 102
In the emerging post-pandemic world, many cities are struggling to plug holes in their general fund caused by the loss of sales tax revenues. For many, it may be difficult to find funding for vital programs, including public works projects, parks, and public libraries. This panel examines in detail the revenues cannabis has brought to cities and how this funding can replace state financing programs — including redevelopment and enterprise zones — that were eliminated a decade ago. Additionally, this session will examine best practices to maximize cities’ use of cannabis revenues.

Moderator: Barigye McCoy, Chief of Communication, Culture Cannabis Club

Speakers: Trista Gonzalez, Chief Deputy Director, California Department of Tax and Fee Administration
Amy O’Gorman Jenkins, Legislative Advocate, California Cannabis Industry Association
Lamar Thorpe, Mayor, Antioch

8:30 - 9:45 a.m.
Concurrent Session

Black Education and Economics Empowerment
Room 103 AB
Planned with the African American Caucus
Black Americans continue to face systemic obstacles in education and economics, which are perpetuating the educational achievement and wealth gap throughout our nation. Building on a recent Cal Cities African American Caucus conversation about Black excellence, education, economics, and empowerment, this panel will provide insight on how we can close the educational achievement and wealth gap to empower Black Americans to thrive in communities throughout California.

Moderator: Marla Matime, Executive Director, African American Caucus
Speakers: Jovan Agee, CEO, Agee Global Solutions
Stevenna Evans, Council Member, Adelanto
Going Green By 2025: Implementing SB 1383 in California Communities
Room 104 A
New regulations went into effect this year that will force most Californians to adopt a new habit: organic waste recycling. SB 1383 (Lara, 2016) aims to reduce organic waste disposal by 75% by 2025 and recover no less than 20% of disposed edible food. These changes not only require cities to reevaluate their waste disposal services but unleash a wave of education and outreach. Experts will share lessons they have taken away from assisting jurisdictions with this issue and what public agencies should be doing now.
Moderator: Jennifer Nentwig, Principal, Tripepi Smith
Speakers: Michael Balliet, President, Michael Balliet Consulting, LLC
Mike Learakos, CEO, Abound Food Care
Cara Morgan, Branch Chief, CalRecycle
Ann Schneider, Council Member, Former Mayor, Millbrae, Commissioner, CA Statewide Commission on Recycling Markets & Curbside Recycling

Supporting Local Small Businesses to Raise Community Capital
Grand Ballroom A
There is a crisis of capital access for many small businesses: 83% of businesses do not have access to bank loans or venture capital. Hear from a securities lawyer and capital raising coach on how local governments and community-based organizations can create an ecosystem that helps small local businesses raise investment capital from their community of customers, supporters, and fans. Discover how to set up the necessary infrastructure so that capital can flow to these unsung heroes of our communities.
Facilitator: Jenny Kassan, Council Member, Fremont

Defending Institutions: Promoting Civic Debate and Rejecting Personal Attacks
Grand Ballroom B
Public discourse has become increasingly hostile in the last couple of years, at times escalating to verbal and physical threats against elected officials and city employees. When this happens, how can city leaders and administrators protect themselves and their families while fostering greater community trust? Do existing channels for public debate suffice, or are more outlets needed to make the public feel heard — particularly in the age of digitization? Attend this session to learn how transparent communication tactics can effectively diffuse situations with outraged citizens.
Moderator: Jim Lewis, City Manager, Pismo Beach
Speakers: Larry Gonzalez, Chief of Police, Riverside Police Department
Patricia Lock Dawson, Mayor, Riverside
THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 8

8:30 - 9:45 a.m.
City Attorneys Department Business Meeting and Update on the California Public Records Act
Room 104 BC
MCLE credit is available only for the presentation following the business meeting.
Moderator: Dave Fleishman, City Attorney, Pismo Beach and Solvang, Richards, Watson & Gershon

Welcoming Remarks
Speakers: Dawn McIntosh, Assistant City Attorney, Long Beach
Charles Parkin, City Attorney, Long Beach

Department Business Meeting
◆ President’s Report
◆ Bylaws Amendment
◆ Director’s Report
◆ Nominating Committee Report
◆ Election of Department Officers

The People’s Business: California Public Records Act
Speakers: Donald Larkin, City Attorney, Morgan Hill
Kelly Trujillo, Assistant City Attorney, Napa

8:45 - 9:15 a.m.
Latino Caucus Business Meeting
Room 101 B

8:45 - 9:45 a.m.
Women’s Caucus Business Meeting
Room 202 AB

9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.
Expo Open
Exhibit Hall A/B
Don’t miss your opportunity to meet businesses that can solve your product and service needs and assist your community to find budget solutions.

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THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 8

9:15 - 9:35 a.m.  
Speed Session

**EV Infrastructure at No Cost: Can’t Get Better Than That!**
Exhibit Hall A/B: Speaker Theater
Cities and other public agencies in Los Angeles County can now install electric vehicle (EV) charging infrastructure at no cost through the EV Equity Leadership program. Administered by Los Angeles County and implemented by The Energy Coalition, this program provides the infrastructure needed to improve EV charging access in disadvantaged communities and increase residents’ awareness of EV mobility options. Learn how disadvantaged communities are disproportionately burdened by the negative impacts of pollution and how they can benefit through this program.

**Speaker:** Rebecca Hausheer, Director of Energy Services, The Energy Coalition

10:00 a.m. - Noon  
General Session
Exhibit Hall C

**Welcome Remarks:** Ali Sajjad Taj, First Vice President, League of California Cities and Council Member, Artesia
National League of Cities Remarks: Vince Williams, President, National League of Cities and Mayor, Union City, GA

Cities for Workforce Health Awards
Beacon Awards

**Helen Putnam Award for Excellence**
**Outgoing President’s Remarks:** Cindy Silva, President, League of California Cities and Mayor Pro Tem, Walnut Creek

Keynote Address: The Future of California
As state and local leaders grapple with changes in our economy, workforce, and communities, now, more than ever, it’s important to understand the economic, demographic, and political trends expected in our future. Hear the latest research and data and explore how cities can use available data and resources to promote opportunity, equity, and sustainability for the state’s communities.

**Speaker:** Dr. Lande Ajose, Vice President and Walter and Esther Hewlett Chair in Understanding California’s Future and Senior Fellow, Public Policy Institute of California
A New Joint Powers Authority Investment Pool for California Public Agencies

✓ Preservation of principal and access to liquidity
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11:45 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.  Attendee Lunch In The Expo Hall
Exhibit Hall A/B

11:45 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.  Monterey Bay Division
Division Event
Yard House, 401 Shoreline Village Drive
Space is limited; please RSVP to your Regional Public Affairs
Manager, Deanna Sessums, dsessums@calcities.org. Additional
fees may apply.

12:15 - 12:35 p.m.  SB 1383 Procurement and Opportunities
Speed Session
Exhibit Hall A/B: Speaker Theater
California’s new organic waste regulations (SB 1383, 2016) went into effect at the start of the year. One of
the goals of the new regulations is to reduce harmful
methane gas emissions by composting organic waste
and returning it to the soil in the form of compost
and mulch. While meeting some of the regulation’s
requirements, cities can also enhance local landscapes
and save water. In this session, learn about the organic-
Waste-turned-soil-amendment process, the effect of
Carbon sequestration on climate change, and the
different ways jurisdictions can comply with SB 1383
procurement requirements.
Speaker: Bill Camarillo, CEO, Agromin

12:45 - 1:05 p.m.  LED Streetlight Conversions: Benefits for the
Environment and Your Budget
Speed Session
Exhibit Hall A/B: Speaker Theater
Southern California Edison’s LS-1 Option E program
provides local governments an opportunity to update
older, less efficient streetlights to LED technology. This
program offers a cost recovery mechanism, no up-front
costs to the customer, and immediate savings. Plus,
Southern California Edison manages the entire program
from beginning to end. Learn how your city can utilize
this cost-effective program.
Speaker: John King, Manager, Southern California Edison

1:00 - 1:30 p.m.  African American Caucus Business Meeting
Caucus Meeting
Room 202 AB

1:00 - 2:30 p.m.  General Resolutions Committee
Committee Meeting
Regency DEF, Hyatt Regency
THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 8

1:00 - 2:30 p.m.  
Concurrent Session

Legal Issues: Public Works Contracting and Risk Management  
Room 104 BC  
Moderator: Michael Colantuono, Managing Shareholder, Colantuono, Highsmith & Whatley, PC

- Practical Tips for Reviewing Public Works Contracts  
  Speakers: Gary Bell, Shareholder, Colantuono, Highsmith & Whatley, PC  
  Matthew Summers, Shareholder, Colantuono, Highsmith & Whatley, PC

- Transferring and Financing Risk in Public Works Contracts  
  Speaker: Joan Cox, Partner, Burke, Williams & Sorensen

1:15 - 1:35 p.m.  
Speed Session  
Cities for Workforce Health Grant Program: Lessons Learned for Your Employee Wellness Program  
Exhibit Hall A/B: Speaker Theater

The Cities for Workforce Health Grant Program, launched in 2014, provides 20 hours of consulting with a Workforce Health expert and $5,000 seed grants to 5 California cities each year. These grants help cities start, improve, and maintain employee wellness programs. In this session, speakers will share success stories, provide examples of how cities spent their grant funds, and discuss what did and did not work for the grant cities. Attendees will leave the session with ideas and suggestions for how they can implement or improve their city’s employee wellness program now, even without grant funding.

Speakers: Jennifer Castillo, Workforce Health Consultant, Kaiser Permanente  
Dayna Gowan, Health and Wellness Manager, Keenan and Associates

1:15 - 2:15 p.m.  
Issues Group Meeting  
Room 101 A

1:15 - 2:30 p.m.  
Concurrent Session

AB 602: An Essential Breakdown for Development Impact Fee Programs  
Room 102

AB 602 (Grayson, 2021) imposes significant changes to the way cities and counties administer impact fee programs by amending Government Code Section 65940.1 and the California Mitigation Fee Act. Notable changes include requirements related to internet postings and hearing information, fee calculation summaries, and annual reports. AB 602 also substantially changes how fees are justified, calculated, and adopted. During this session, attendees will learn the details of each new requirement and the steps they need to take to ensure compliance.

Moderator: Marco Martinez, Attorney, Best Best & Krieger LLP  
Speakers: Anita Gutierrez, Development Services Director, Pomona  
Scott Thorpe, Senior Vice President, Revenue and Cost Specialists, LLC
1:15 - 2:30 p.m.
Concurrent Session

Creating a Youth-Friendly City: It’s Not Just About the Money
Room 103 AB

Learn how the city of Sacramento’s efforts to create a community where all youth can thrive can be replicated in other municipalities. This session will outline a multifaceted strategy that covers how to change policy, expand infrastructure, start new programming, collaborate with key stakeholders, and find new protected sources of revenue. Engage in a dialogue that delves into the integration of authentic and meaningful youth voices, including when it is appropriate to engage with them and what authentic and meaningful youth engagement looks like.

Facilitator: Jay Schenirer, Council Member, Sacramento

1:15 - 2:30 p.m.
Concurrent Session

Creating More Equitable and Resilient Communities
Room 104 A

Communities across California are increasingly affected by climate change and face growing health concerns, safety issues, and economic impacts. Learn how cities throughout the state are engaging vulnerable residents to identify problems and solutions that advance equity and create more resilient communities for all.

Moderator: Roberto Carlos Torres, Senior Program Manager, Institute for Local Government
Speakers: Kimbley Craig, Mayor, Salinas
         Farrah Khan, Mayor, Irvine

1:15 - 2:30 p.m.
Concurrent Session

The Secrets to Building Tech Economies in Underestimated Cities
Grand Ballroom A

Planned with the Latino Caucus

How does a city like Fresno develop a powerhouse tech economy? How does a place once siloed as just another agricultural town successfully diversify its economy and become a hub for technology careers, businesses, and digital infrastructure? In this session, learn how Bitwise Industries builds tech economies outside Silicon Valley, creating jobs and strengthening digital infrastructure. By the end of the session, attendees will be able to explore specific ways to promote economic development while strengthening their city’s digital infrastructure and reducing workforce barriers.

Moderator: Laura Maristany, Vice President, External Affairs, Bitwise Industries
Speakers: Thilani Grubel, VP of Bitwise Industries, Fresno, Bitwise Industries
         Esmeralda Soria, Council Member, Fresno
THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 8

1:15 - 2:30 p.m.
Concurrent Session

CalPERS: Continuing on the Path to Sustainable Pensions
Grand Ballroom B

Although CalPERS lowered its assumed rate of return in 2021, the effects on city budgets were muted by strong returns that year. Since then, global markets have been rocked by conflict, inflation, the supply crisis, and factors beyond the control of any one investor, institution, or even nation. Yet pension obligations remain in place, a yearly cost for which cities must both account and plan for. In this session, CalPERS executives will cover the most recent developments impacting city contribution rates, actuarial assumptions, investment strategies, system funding, governance, and policy decisions.

Moderator: David Teykaerts, Assistant Division Chief, Stakeholder Relations, CalPERS
Speaker: Marcie Frost, CEO, CalPERS

1:45 - 2:05 p.m.
Speed Session

Five Steps to Take Before Applying for Federal Infrastructure Funding
Exhibit Hall A/B: Speaker Theater

Join this session to learn the five steps cities can take to better prepare to apply for federal funding made available through the 2021 federal infrastructure bill. Panelists will discuss how to prioritize the request list, align local priorities with federal funding, assess available resources and processes, and analyze the implications of funds with and without federal tracking requirements. Panelists will also discuss how to evaluate and implement new technologies and processes to ensure a sustainable, streamlined program that meets the Disadvantaged Business Enterprise program’s tracking and reporting requirements.

Speaker: Michael Parrish, Director of Business Development, B2GNow
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<td>With a stream of American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) funds and a deadline to spend them, cities have a unique opportunity to invest in critical infrastructure like never before. From energy and water system modernization to broadband and indoor air quality improvements, cities are looking to deploy innovative solutions that will pay dividends in the future. Panelists will discuss how cities are using ARPA funds, what projects have and have not worked, lessons learned, and how cities are best positioned to help the state meet its greenhouse gas reduction goals.</td>
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2:45 - 4:00 p.m.  
Concurrent Session

Dealing with Deferred Maintenance  
Room 103 AB

Building owners and local government agencies are facing a deferred maintenance crisis. This is often exacerbated by the “pay as you go” policy employed by many state and local governments to fund ongoing and capital maintenance. Without proper funding and policy correction, the cost of deferred maintenance will double every five years. During this session, attendees will learn effective methods to gather information and develop insights to make strategic decisions and develop a prioritized capital needs plan that successfully addresses the growing deferred maintenance crisis.

Facilitator: Dean Leonard, Vice President, Strategic Asset Management, Faithful+Gould

2:45 - 4:00 p.m.  
Concurrent Session

Advancing Empowerment in a Disadvantaged Community  
Grand Ballroom A

Join the city of Norwalk for an informative discussion on how a partnership with the University of California, Irvine helped Norwalk successfully engage and empower one of its most distressed neighborhoods. Attendees will learn how the city’s empathic listening-first approach helped bridge divisions and uncover meaningful, cost-effective, and context-sensitive interventions to community needs. This session will focus on how its attention to the significance of culture and art helped the city build trust and create a partnership necessary for sustained progress.

Moderator: Richard Rojas, Deputy City Manager, Norwalk

Speakers: Susan Harden, Adjunct Faculty, University of California Irvine  
Rick Ramirez, Mayor, Norwalk  
Gabriela Regalado, Director of Social Services, Norwalk
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2:45 - 4:00 p.m.  
Concurrent Session  
Fixing Prop 47  
Grand Ballroom B  
Proposition 47 promised safer neighborhoods, but the unintended consequences that followed have provided something else. In 2018, the Public Policy Institute of California reported that the passage of Proposition 47 directly correlated to the uptick in theft throughout the state. That report took on new relevance in 2022 when a flurry of “smash-and-grab” robberies and retail thefts received nationwide attention. In fact, many urban cities have reported an increase in property and violent crimes in recent months. Constituents throughout the state are feeling these impacts and looking to the Legislature for solutions. Many voters want to change Proposition 47 to address repeat theft offenders. Join this session to hear about possible legislative solutions and underlying causes of the recent increase in crime.  
**Moderator:** Elisa Arcidiacono, Lobbyist, League of California Cities  
**Speakers:**  
Jonathan Feldman, Legislative Advocate, CA Police Chiefs Association  
Robert Mestman, Assistant District Attorney, Orange County DA’s Office  
Rachel Michellin, President/CEO, California Retailers Association

3:15 - 4:15 p.m.  
Caucus Meeting  
Lesbian Gay Bisexual Transgender Queer Caucus  
Business Meeting  
Room 202 AB

4:15 - 5:30 p.m.  
Concurrent Session  
Community Capitals Policing: Rethinking Public Safety by Creating Healthy Communities  
Room 101 B  
The “community capitals policing” model helps prevent crime by addressing the essential “capitals” that make a thriving community. Much like community policing, community capitals policing is built on community input. It leverages existing community strengths; forms partnerships between local agencies; creates positive youth development opportunities; facilitates employment for formerly incarcerated individuals; and addresses priority community and local business needs while building health equity. Learn how to alleviate crime, reduce recidivism, and reenergize communities using this model through the successes, challenges, and knowledge gained in Alameda County — California’s first county to initiate this approach.  
**Moderator:** Mary Thomas, Management Analyst, Hayward  
**Speakers:**  
Dave Brown, Supervisor, Alameda County Board of Supervisors  
Martin Neideffer, Captain of the Alameda County Sheriff’s Office Youth and Family Services Bureau, Alameda County Sheriff’s Office  
Kimberly Thomas, Co-Food Hub Director, Alameda County Deputy Sheriff’s Activities League
How To Be an Effective Partner during CEQA Tribal Consultation
Concurrent Session
Room 102
The San Manuel Band of Mission Indians manages a robust regulatory program that allows the tribe to build strong relationships with agencies across their ancestral territory. These relationships have allowed California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) agencies to understand the nature of tribal cultural resources, how to avoid or appropriately mitigate impacts to those resources, and how to be effective partners to tribes during consultation. This presentation will provide an overview of the nature of tribal cultural resources, how to advocate for them at the agency level, and how to meaningfully work with tribes in pursuit of cultural preservation.

Moderator and Speaker: Jessica Mauck, Director of Cultural Resources Management, San Manuel Band of Mission Indians
Speaker: Ryan Nordness, Cultural Resource Analyst, San Manuel Band of Mission Indians

Post-Pandemic Mentorship for Women
Concurrent Session
Room 103 AB Planned with the Women’s Caucus
The pandemic has changed workplaces and roles — especially for women. Women have been significantly impacted by the pandemic, with nearly half of all women saying the pandemic has negatively impacted their careers. Today, women face increased challenges in the workplace, including evolving workplaces, career pivots, and changing leadership. During this session, women leaders will discuss and brainstorm the opportunities and benefits of mentoring that supports women. Learn how to strengthen mentoring skills and about programs that help women emerge stronger from the pandemic.

Moderator: Dr. Diandra Bremond, Vice President, California Women Lead
Speakers: Bea Dieringer, Council Member, Rolling Hills
Maggie Le, City Manager, Fountain Valley
Mona Pasquil Rogers, President, California Women Lead
Lessons Learned from the Most Destructive Fires in California History
Room 104 A
Wildfire season has now expanded to the entire year, making recovery planning vital for cities. The city of Santa Rosa and the town of Paradise experienced the two most destructive fires in California history, the 2017 Tubbs Fire and the 2018 Camp Fire. Now several years into recovery, both communities have lessons learned and best practices to share. Panelists will share their experiences and lessons learned in recovery, including employee care, communication, and regional partnerships.

Moderator: Steve Crowder, Mayor, Paradise
Speakers: Colette Curtis, Recovery and Economic Recovery Director, Paradise
          Sean McGlynn, City Manager, Escondido
          Kevin Phillips, Town Manager, Paradise

Creative Funding Strategies for Infrastructure Renewal
Grand Ballroom A
Limited resources and staffing, coupled with unfunded mandates, often hamper cities’ abilities to invest in the infrastructure necessary to meet sustainability and decarbonization goals. As a result, some local governments wait and hope for grants to be approved or revenue measures to pass. However, hope is not the best strategy. This session will focus on creative strategies to meet unfunded challenges, including sustainability and climate goals. Attendees will learn how agencies like the city of Fullerton; California State University, Fresno; and Travis Air Force Base leveraged performance contracting, public-private partnerships, and energy-as-a-service to achieve outstanding results.

Moderator: Chad Wanke, Board Chair, Orange County Sanitation District
Speakers: Darcy Immerman, Senior Vice President for Growth, NORESCO
          Fred Jung, Mayor, Fullerton
I’m Not in Charge? How to Get Things Done!
Grand Ballroom B

Excited, energized, and passionate newly elected council members want to dive into city work. However, excitement can turn into frustration, when they hear “you can’t do it that way,” “it’s not in the budget,” “you need council approval,” or “we don’t do it that way.” This session will review city governance models and discuss the roles of officials and staff. Elected officials will share their experiences and explain how they creatively get work done while balancing policies and rules. There will be a special emphasis on what motivates these elected officials to work outside of city hall and serve constituents most in need of services.

Moderator: Sonia Carvalho, City Attorney, Best Best & Krieger LLP

Speakers: Damon Alexander, Council Member, San Bernardino
Phil Bacerra, Mayor Pro Tem, Santa Ana

Legal Issues: Municipal Tort and Civil Rights Litigation and Government Claims
Room 104 BC

Moderator: Joseph Montes, Partner, Burke, Williams & Sorensen LLP

Municipal Tort and Civil Rights Litigation Update
Speaker: Timothy Coates, Partner, Greines, Martin, Stein & Richland

Getting It Right: Best Practices In Responding To Government Claims
Speakers: Alana Rotter, Partner, Greines, Martin, Stein & Richland
Nadia Sarkis, Partner, Greines, Martin, Stein & Richland

Channel Counties Division Reception
Seaview C, Hyatt Regency
Space is limited; please RSVP to your Regional Public Affairs Manager, David Mullinax, dmullinax@calcities.org. Additional fees may apply.

East Bay Division Reception
Seaview Rotunda, Hyatt Regency
Space is limited; please RSVP to your Regional Public Affairs Manager, Sam Caygill, scaygill@calcities.org. Additional fees may apply.

Women’s Caucus Reception
Beacon Ballroom A, Hyatt Regency
THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 8

5:30 - 7:00 p.m.  North Bay Division
Division Event
Shoreline, Hyatt Regency
Space is limited; please RSVP to your Regional Public Affairs Manager, Nancy Hall Bennett, nbennett@calcities.org. Additional fees may apply.

5:30 - 7:00 p.m.  Orange County Division Board Installation Reception
Division Event
Beacon Ballroom B Hyatt Regency
Space is limited; please RSVP to your Regional Public Affairs Manager, Tony Cardenas, tcardenas@calcities.org. Additional fees may apply.

5:30 - 7:00 p.m.  San Diego and Imperial Counties Division Reception
Division Event
Seaview A, Hyatt Regency
Space is limited; please RSVP to your Regional Public Affairs Manager, Catherine Hill, chill@calcities.org. Additional fees may apply.

6:00 - 8:00 p.m.  Redwood Empire Division Reception
Division Event
Harbor, Hyatt Regency
Space is limited; please RSVP to your Regional Public Affairs Manager, Sara Sanders, sanders@calcities.org. Additional fees may apply.

6:00 - 9:00 p.m.  Latino Caucus 2022 Annual Awards Gala Reception
Caucus Event
Museum of Latin American Art, 628 Alamitos Avenue

6:30 - 8:30 p.m.  African American Caucus Reception
Caucus Event
Regency A, Hyatt Regency

6:30 - 9:00 p.m.  Central Valley Division Meeting
Division Event
Parkers Light House, 435 Shoreline Village Drive
Space is limited; please RSVP to your Regional Public Affairs Manager, Stephen Qualls, squalls@calcities.org. Additional fees may apply.

7:00 - 8:00 p.m.  Lesbian Gay Bisexual Transgender Queer Caucus Reception
Caucus Event
Under the Rainbow Bridge at RISÜ, 207 E Seaside Way Ste A, Long Beach
Please RSVP to Annie Lam, Annie@Lam-Consult.com

9:00 - 10:00 p.m.  Asian Pacific Islander Caucus Reception
Caucus Event
Regency DEFH, Hyatt Regency
Join the API Caucus for a night cap at our Dessert Bar!
FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 9

7:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.  Registration Open
Promenade Lobby

7:00 - 8:30 a.m.  Peninsula Division
Division Meeting
Beacon Ballroom A, Hyatt Regency

Space is limited; please RSVP to your Regional Public Affairs Manager, Seth Miller, smiller@calcities.org. Additional fees may apply.

8:00 - 9:30 a.m.  Legal Issues: Labor and Employment Law
Concurrent Session
Room 104 BC
Moderator: Michael Colantuono, Managing Shareholder, Colantuono, Highsmith & Whatley, PC

Labor and Employment Litigation Update
Speakers: Geoffrey S. Sheldon, Partner, Liebert Cassidy Whitmore
Elizabeth Tom Arce, Partner, Liebert Cassidy Whitmore

Microaggresions vs. Dog Whistle: How to Differentiate and Investigate
Speakers: Danielle Drossel, Attorney Investigator, Oppenheimer Investigations Group
Vida Thomas, Partner, Oppenheimer Investigations Group

8:30 - 9:45 a.m.  Rural Retail: Making Your Community Competitive
Concurrent Session
Room 101 B
One common thread among all local officials is that we want our communities to grow, thrive, and prosper. Every community has its own vision for community and economic development. Offering new retail and restaurant options to citizens plays a big role in growth. Rural communities, however, face unique challenges when it comes to attracting those new businesses. Hear from three rural city managers about how they have positioned their cities to expand retail and restaurant businesses. Plus, discover key components to include when pitching your city to companies.
Moderator: Matthew Tate, Director of Business Development, Western Region, Retail Strategies
Speakers: Mallory Crecelius, City Manager, Blythe
Alan Flora, City Manager, Clearlake

Program Icons

League of California Cities  2022 Annual Conference and Expo
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8:30 - 9:45 a.m.
Concurrent Session

8:30 - 9:45 a.m.

Surplus Land Act: Know the Impact Before You Transact
Room 104 A
California is facing a housing crisis and the state has revved up efforts to accelerate the production of affordable housing, including the use of public agency-owned land. The Surplus Land Act requires all public agencies to follow a process to sell or lease any public property by first offering it to a state-controlled list of affordable housing developers. Learn how the Surplus Land Act process impacts local land use and how to navigate the sale, lease, or licensing of public agency property to pursue public-private projects that produce economic development results, all while staying in compliance with state requirements.

**Moderator**: Larry J. Kosmont, Chairman & CEO, Kosmont Companies

**Speakers**: Troy Brown, City Manager, Moorpark
Elizabeth Hull, Partner, Best Best & Krieger, LLP
David Zisser, Assistant Deputy Director, CA Dept. of Housing and Community Development

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On-Street Dining Risks: Managing Tensions between Safety and Supporting Businesses
Grand Ballroom B
The COVID-19 pandemic led to a significant increase in outdoor business activities within the public right-of-way. While dining decks, parklets, streeteries, and other similar outdoor dining areas helped local businesses survive the pandemic, their proximity to moving vehicles has created safety concerns. Public agencies are now faced with managing difficult tensions between supporting local businesses and public safety. Attend to learn best practices, resources, and safeguards that help increase sidewalk and on-street dining safety for residents and visitors.

**Moderator**: Alex Mellor, Senior Risk Manager, California JPIA

**Speakers**: Victor Manalo, Former Mayor, Artesia
Rob Reiter, Co-Founder, Storefront Safety Council
David Wilson, City Manager, West Hollywood
FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 9

9:15 - 11:15 a.m.
Check-in begins at 8:45 a.m.

Harassment Prevention Training for Supervisors and Officials (AB 1661)
Room 103 AB
This informational and interactive workplace harassment prevention training will teach officials and supervisors how to identify, prevent, and properly respond to workplace harassment, discrimination, retaliation, and abusive conduct in order to avoid personal and agency liability in compliance with AB 1825/2053/1661 and SB 396. Sign-in will begin 30 minutes prior to the session and you must be present for the full two hours to receive the certification of attendance. Entry will be prohibited once session begins.

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Speaker: Alfonso Estrada, Partner, Hanson Bridgett LLP

9:45 - 11:15 a.m.
Concurrent Session

Legal Issues: Municipal Litigation Update and Public Safety
Room 104 BC
Moderator: Joseph Montes, Partner, Burke, Williams & Sorensen

General Municipal Litigation Update
Speaker: Pamela K. Graham, Senior Counsel, Colantuono, Highsmith & Whatley, PC

Public Safety and Individual Rights in the Age of Firearms
Speakers: Kyle Brochard, Shareholder, Richards, Watson & Gershon
T. Peter Pierce, Shareholder, Richards, Watson & Gershon

10:00 - 11:15 a.m.
Concurrent Session

Creative Solutions to Reduce Homelessness
Room 101 A
Reducing homelessness is consistently ranked as a top priority by California residents and local officials. Local governments have developed creative solutions and partnerships to capitalize on the political will — and funding — to implement real solutions. Discover how three California communities leveraged state and federal funding to develop new housing, while communicating effectively at city hall and on the streets.

Moderator: Helene Schneider, Senior Regional Advisor, U.S. Interagency Council on Homelessness
Speakers: Damien Arrula, City Administrator, Placentia
Mike Callagy, County Executive, San Mateo County
Peter Radu, Assistant to the City Manager, Berkeley
FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 9

10:00 - 11:15 a.m.  Concurrent Session

Transgender Health Care
Room 101 B  Planned with the Lesbian Gay Bisexual Transgender Queer Caucus

Very few municipalities have public health programs. Learn about the realities, myths, and a path forward on transgender health care from experts who will speak on barriers to care, the present state of coverage, networks, and cultural competence. In this session, those treating patients today will share their experiences providing gender-affirming care. City leaders will gain insights while in a safe space for questions, conversations, and understanding.

Moderator: Dan Arriola, Council Member, Tracy
Speakers: Lisa Middleton, Mayor, Palm Springs
Evan Minton, LGBTQ+ Advocate/ACLU Plaintiff, Self Advocate

10:00 - 11:15 a.m.  Concurrent Session

How Bias-Free Technologies Can Play a Role in Reimagining Policing
Room 104 A

City leaders, community members, and law enforcement are reimagining how cities can reshape policing while keeping communities safe. Technologies such as vehicle fingerprint cameras can provide bias-neutral, objective investigative leads, while helping departments increase time and budget efficiencies. Gain an understanding of how these technologies can improve policing outcomes and community safety. Innovative, forward-thinking California elected officials and police leaders will share their experiences in adopting the use of cutting-edge, ethically engineered technologies to improve public safety and enhance public trust.

Moderator: Jason Potts, Public Safety Director / Chief, Las Vegas - Department of Public Safety
Speakers: Walter Allen III, Council Member, Covina
Pippin Dew, Council Member, Vallejo
Andrew Salinas, Chief of Police, Port Hueneme Police Department
FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 9

10:00 - 11:15 a.m.
Concurrent Session

Show Me Some RECOVERY! Updates on Fees, Assessments, Financing Districts
Grand Ballroom B

Fiscal sustainability is a constant challenge for cities, especially as we emerge from the COVID-19 pandemic. It is critical that cities utilize a variety of revenue tools for long-term fiscal sustainability, as well as recovery. This panel will adder ss revenue options and the importance of public engagement, and updates from recent case law and legislative changes affecting California cities, including tales of challenges and successes in Rancho Cucamonga. Attendees will leave with actionable information that can be applied to their city.

Moderator: John Gillison, City Manager, Rancho Cucamonga
Speakers: Michael Colantuono, Managing Shareholder, Colantuono, Highsmith & Whatley, PC
Tim Seufert, Managing Director, NBS
Danielle Wood, Director, NBS

10:30 - 11:15 a.m.
Department Meeting

Mayors and Council Members Department Meeting
Grand Ballroom A

11:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.
Concurrent Session

Legal Issues: Labor and Employment Law
Room 104 BC
Includes 1 hour of Elimination of Bias sub-field MCLE credit.

Moderator: Eric Danly, City Attorney, Petaluma

So you say you have DIVERSITY! Now what?
Speakers: Robert Lennox, Assistant City Manager, Carson
Simon Silva, Deputy City Attorney III, Chula Vista City Attorney’s Office
Sunny Soltani, Partner, Aleshire & Wynder

11:30 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.
Closing Luncheon and General Assembly
Exhibit Hall C

Presiding: Cindy Silva, President, League of California Cities and Mayor Pro Tem, Walnut Creek

Gather on this final day for the launch of a new Cal Cities year. Vote on bylaw amendments and resolutions and celebrate the transition to new Cal Cities leadership.

Leadership Transition

Swearing in of the Cal Cities Board of Directors

Incoming President’s Remarks: Ali Sajjad Taj, First Vice President, League of California Cities and Council Member, Artesia

General Assembly
How To Get Involved

There are many ways to be involved in helping your city, and all cities, through Cal Cities. Opportunities include:

- Be active locally in legislative advocacy
- Participate in Cal Cities educational programs
- Serve on Cal Cities task forces or committees
- Work with key organizations in your city on grassroots lobbying
- Participate in the Cal Cities policy development process
- Become an officer of your department or division
- Contribute to newsletter articles or Western City magazine
- Participate in information sharing on Cal Cities’ website and listservs
- Volunteer as a speaker or submit session ideas for Cal Cities meetings

For more information, visit [www.calcities.org/get-involved](http://www.calcities.org/get-involved).

Mayors and Council Members Leadership Academy Torch Program

The MCMLA Torch Program is for elected officials who are seeking continuing education to enhance their own knowledge and skills in order to better serve the public. Each year officials from throughout the state earn recognition as they progress upward through three sequential levels of achievement. For more information visit [www.calcities.org/mayors-and-council-members](http://www.calcities.org/mayors-and-council-members).

Private Sector Relations

Although membership in Cal Cities is restricted to the cities of California, businesses can be involved with cities through Cal Cities by numerous means such as being a League Partner, exhibiting at the Annual Conference, advertising in Western City magazine, or participating in CitiPAC. For more information, please visit [www.calcities.org](http://www.calcities.org).
2022 AWARD FOR EXCELLENCE WINNERS

This program, supported by the League Partners, recognizes outstanding cities that deliver the highest quality and level of service in the most effective manner possible. Visit the special displays, located in the Expo Hall, by cities that won the prestigious 2022 awards and learn what your city can adapt from their success.

Community Services and Economic Development

**Eureka**

**Uplift Eureka**

Uplift Eureka is a one-of-a-kind municipal social services program. The program connects community members experiencing homelessness to vital community services and resources. In addition, Uplift Eureka also operates Employment Development, Employment Placement, Outreach Services, Supportive Services and Rapid Rehousing Programs.

Contact: Jeff Davis, Program Manager, jdavis@ci.eureka.ca.gov

**Economic Development through the Arts**

**Buellton**

**Buellton Arts and Culture Committee**

The Buellton City Council created the Arts & Culture Committee to bring artistic and cultural experiences to the City of Buellton and the surrounding area. A budget of $50,000 has been provided each year since its inception for the funding of art installations (both permanent and temporary), events and performances.

Contact: Scott Wolfe, City Manager, scott@cityofbuellton.com

**Enhancing Public Trust, Ethics, and Community Involvement**

**Lakewood**

**Community Wide Race, Equity, Diversity and Inclusion Program**

In 2021, the City of Lakewood implemented its first ever community-wide Race, Equity, Diversity and Inclusion plan, developed the prior year through a Community Dialogue.

Contact: Bill Grady, Communication Director, bgrady@lakewoodcity.org

**Health and Wellness Programs**

**Montebello**

**Montebello Community Assistance Program**

The Montebello Fire Department launched the creation of the Montebello Community Assistance Program (MCAP) in November 2020 to combat the rise of homelessness in the city. The program provides supportive services via a first response model to individuals experiencing mental and physical health issues, substance abuse, and homelessness related crises. The mobile field response team is comprised of a firefighter/paramedic, social work coordinator, field-based case manager and a housing navigator. The team is integrated into the 911 system as a support service to engage, assess, serve, and house chronically homeless, high acuity adults and families in Montebello.

Contact: Angelica Palermo, Deputy Director, apalmeros@cityofmontebello.com
Housing Programs and Innovations

**Redondo Beach**

**Redondo Beach Enhanced Response to Homelessness Program**
The Redondo Beach Enhanced Response to Homelessness Program was first initiated by the City Attorney’s Office and Police Department and approved by the Mayor and City Council in June 2019. The program created an additional response to the impact of homelessness, not only on people experiencing homelessness, but on residents and the community.

**Contact:** Joy Abaquin Ford, Quality of Life Prosecutor, joy.abaquin@redondo.org

**Internal Administration**

**Modesto**

**Homeless Outreach Survey123**
The number of unhoused individuals who are sleeping in cars, streets, and other places not meant for human habitation, is steadily increasing in Stanislaus County. The 2021 Point-in-Time Count in Stanislaus County placed the number of people who are experiencing homelessness at approximately 2,927 individuals. This amount includes 2,201 individuals who are unhoused. As part of the strategic approach to target unhoused homelessness, the City of Modesto implemented a data collection tool utilizing geographic information system (GIS) technology. A custom data collection survey was created using the ArcGIS Survey123 application. The survey was customized to collect federally mandated data and requirements of the funding source, such as demographics, living situations, and barriers.

**Contact:** Jessica Hill, Community Development Manager, jhill@modestogov.com

**Intergovernmental Collaboration**

**Lafayette + Cities and Towns in Contra Costa County**

**A3: Community Crisis Initiative**
When someone experiences a crisis such as a fire, crime, or medical emergency, they call 911 with the expectation of getting immediate emergency services and assistance. However, when that emergency is a behavioral health crisis, there is often no timely, culturally and clinically appropriate response available to assist. This was the case in Contra Costa County in 2020. That year, in response to urgent calls from the community for more compassionate and comprehensive behavioral health services, the 19 cities and towns in Contra Costa County came together for the first time. They were joined by mental health and homeless advocates, providers, and community members with lived experiences, forming an intergovernmental collaborative effort to re-imagine the way behavioral health services are delivered. The result of the year long collaboration is A3 Community Crisis Response, a program where anyone can get professional help at anytime, anywhere in the county. A3 establishes behavioral health as the fourth arm of an emergency response system.

**Contact:** Niroop K. Srivatsa, City Manager, nsrivatsa@ci.lafayette.ca.us
HELEN PUTNAM AWARD FOR EXCELLENCE WINNERS

League Partners Award for Excellence in City-Business Relations

Placentia

Placentia FiberCity Fiber Optic Broadband Internet Access for All
The City of Placentia entered into a unique public-private partnership with SiFi Networks to deliver fiber optic broadband internet access to every home and business within the city. The Placentia FiberCity Project is a privately funded, $35 million investment into Placentia which will not only eliminate the “digital divide” by delivering high-speed broadband access to every resident and business, but it also creates extensive economic development opportunities for both the public and private sectors. The Placentia Fiber City project provides access to new technologies that are unavailable to much of the community, particularly to disadvantaged portions of the city and will allow the city to provide expanded and new services to the community which were not previously available with existing technology limitations.

Contact: Damien R. Arrula, City Administrator, darrula@placentia.org

Planning and Environmental Quality

Paradise

Paradise Long Term Community Recovery Plan
Following the most destructive fire in California history, the 2018 Camp Fire, the Town of Paradise recognized the need for a comprehensive strategy document to guide recovery over the course of the next twenty years. Leveraging financial support from local brewery Sierra Nevada and the North Valley Community Foundation, a local non-profit organization, the town reached out to displaced and traumatized residents to gather their input on what would become the Long-Term Community Recovery Plan. This plan identifies 39 recovery projects, which guide the town and our recovery partners as we navigate recovery three years after the fire.

Contact: Colette Curtis, Recovery and Economic Development Director, ccurtis@townofparadise.com

Public Safety

Laguna Niguel

Electric Bicycle Action Plan
The City of Laguna Niguel created an Electric Bicycle Action Plan to address the growing concern presented by the dangers of unsafe ridership practices. In partnership with the Orange County Sheriff’s Department and Capistrano Unified School District, the city has been implementing this plan, which consists of education, outreach, and enforcement, for the past year with great success. The program is geared toward youth in the city to educate them on responsible ridership practices.

Contact: Justin Martin, Deputy City Manager, jjmartin@cityoflagunaniguel.org
Public Works, Infrastructure and Transportation
Pismo Beach

Shell Beach Streetscape
The Shell Beach Streetscape project is an 18-block long Complete Streets project which improved safety and livability in the community for users of all ages and abilities by reconstructing the roadway, increasing lighting and landscaping, adding an 8-foot-wide multi-use path to accommodate bicycles and pedestrians, and painting arrows in the traffic lanes. The improvements include sidewalk upgrades, ADA accessibility upgrades, improvements to the drainage, resurfacing of the roadway, new crosswalks with paver inlays for increased visibility, enhanced landscaping with new trees and a new parking lot. Decorative features such as new LED streetlights, new benches, trash cans and public art have been installed throughout the corridor. This project was much more than just a streets and roads project; it also upgraded the existing water infrastructure and under-grounded the existing overhead utilities along the entire 18-block corridor.

Contact: Benjamin A. Fine, P.E., Director of Public Works/City Engineer, befine@pismobeach.org

Ruth Vreeland Award for Engaging Youth in City Government
Gonzales

Gonzales Youth Council: Youth Supporting Youth Mental Health Project
The Gonzales Youth Council (GYC) is a unique youth leadership and development program sponsored by the City of Gonzales with support from the Gonzales Unified School District. Each year the GYC undertakes a service-learning project to improve the community. The projects undertaken by the GYC in the past have covered a range of topics and issues, often reflecting current concerns among youth. One area that was greatly impacted by the COVID-19 pandemic has been the area of youth mental health. The GYC decided to tackle the issue of youth mental health as their service-learning project by identifying students who were stressed with school closures, social isolation, and the challenges of remote learning. The Youth Supporting Youth Mental Health Project began in September 2019 and continued through 2021.

Contact: Carmen Gil, Director of Community Engagement & Strategic Partnerships, cgil@ci.gonzales.ca.us
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Join one or more of Cal Cities’ Caucuses: African American, Asian Pacific Islander, Lesbian Gay Bisexual Transgender Queer, Latino, and Women’s. Each will host a networking event at the Annual Conference, open to all attendees, and an information table in the Expo Hall, Cal Cities Pavilion.

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Representing the interests of African American city officials and their communities. www.calcities.org/african-american-caucus

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Additional Partnerships
INSTITUTE FOR LOCAL GOVERNMENT
The Institute for Local Government promotes good government at the local level with practical, impartial, and easy-to-use resources for California communities. Current program areas and resources to help local officials in service to their communities include local government basics, public engagement, sustainable communities and public service ethics. Please visit www.ca-ilg.org or their table in the Expo Hall.

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The National League of Cities (NLC) is dedicated to helping city leaders build better communities. NLC serves as a resource to and an advocate for the more than 19,000 cities, villages and towns it represents. www.nlc.org

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