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Your Cal Cities and How to Use it

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Cal Cities Mission

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



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Who we are

476

**Member
Cities**

58

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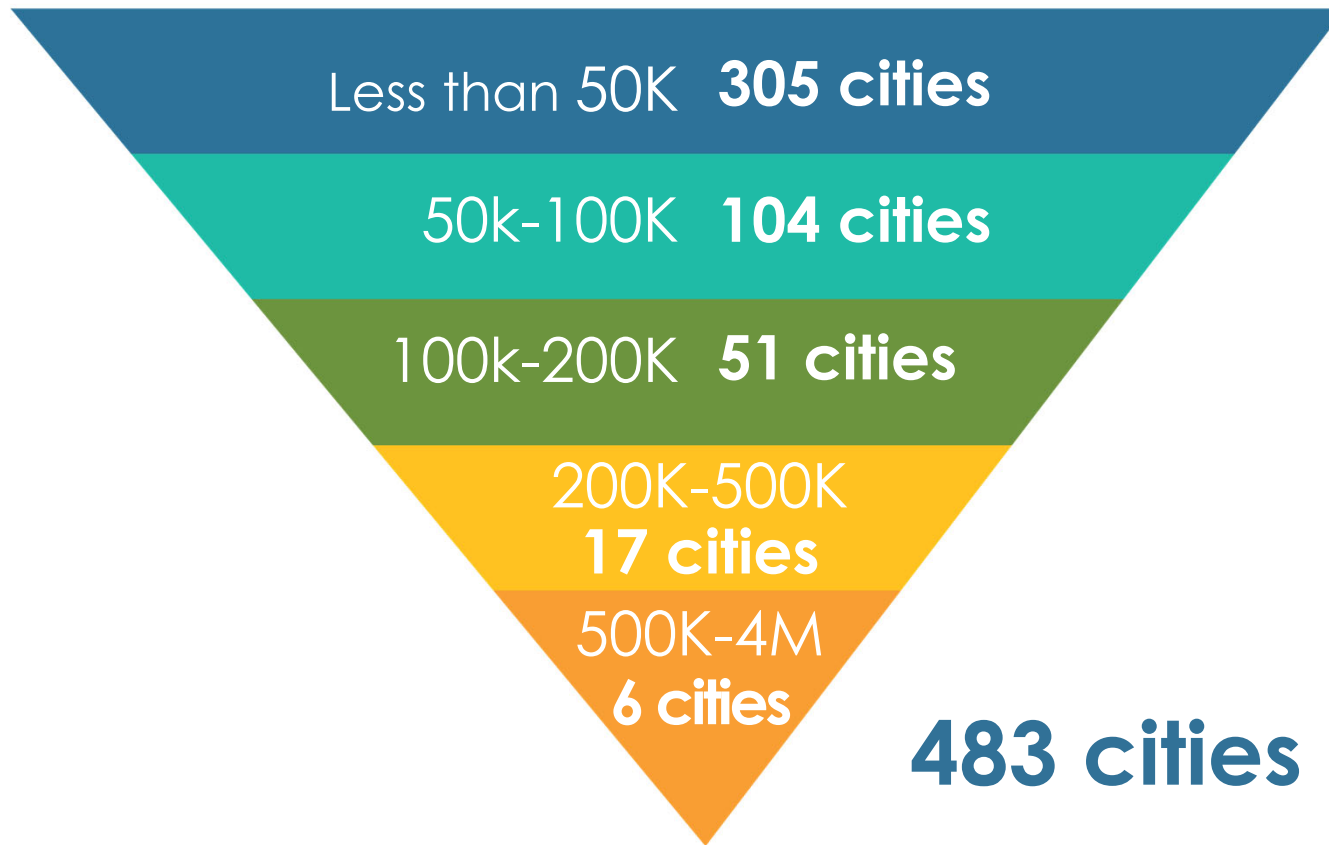
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We serve cities of ALL sizes



How we serve you

Legislative and ballot measure advocacy

- Protect the common interests of cities statewide.
- Protect and promote local decision-making.
- Seek and protect state and federal funding to support cities.



2025 Advocacy Priorities



1. Protect local revenues and expand economic development tools.
2. Strengthen climate change resiliency and disaster preparedness.
3. Strengthen and modernize critical infrastructure.
4. Secure investments to prevent and reduce homelessness and increase the supply of affordable housing.

How we serve you

Legal advocacy

- Represent the interest of cities in the courts.
- File friend-of-the-court briefs and letters.
- The Legal Advocacy Committee, made up of 25 city attorneys, advises Cal Cities on when and how to get involved.

APPLICATION FOR LEAVE TO FILE AMICUS BRIEF
TO THE HONORABLE CHIEF JUSTICE:
Pursuant to California Rules of Court, Rule 8.520(f), the curiae identified below respectfully requests permission to file a brief in support of State of California. This application is filed pursuant to Rule 8.520(f)(2).

THE INTERESTS

The League of California Cities
The League of California Cities is a non-profit organization representing 475 California cities dedicated to protect and provide for the public health, safety, and enhance the quality of life for all Californians. The League's Legal Advocacy Committee, comprised of 24 city attorneys, monitors litigation of the State. The Committee monitors litigation and identifies those cases that have statewide or national significance. The Committee has identified this case as having such significance.

**In the Supreme Court
of the State of California**

CITY OF OROVILLE,
Petitioner,
vs.

SUPERIOR COURT OF BUTTE COUNTY,
Respondent,

CALIFORNIA JOINT POWER
MANAGEMENT AUTHORITY
Real Parties in Interest

After an Unpublished Decision of the Court of Appeal, Case No. C077181 arising from Butte County Case No. 152036, The Honorable Sandeep Chandra

**PROPOSED AMICUS CURIAE
CALIFORNIA CITIES, CAL
INSURANCE AUTHORITY
MANAGEMENT AUTHORITY
DISTRICTS ASSOCIATION
JOINT POWERS AUTHORITY
NATION RISK MANAGEMENT**

How we serve you

Member Services

- Conferences, seminars, roundtables, and academies for city officials to learn about new developments in their field and exchange ideas.
- Webinars on pressing city issues and legislative developments.
- Listservs for professional departments to share insights and information.



How YOU can help us better serve your city!

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Attend a Division meeting

Regional Divisions are at the core of our advocacy efforts. City officials — both elected and career — help develop region-specific programs and carry out grassroots activities that support chosen legislative, regulatory, and ballot measure goals.



Get the most from your *Municipal Department*



**Mayors and Council
Members Department**

Professional departments connect city officials with like-minded colleagues to share ideas and shape Cal Cities' policy and advocacy efforts. Members receive access to tailored, cutting-edge professional development programs, conferences, and seminars.

Explore our Diversity Caucuses

Cal Cities' five diversity caucuses provide city officials with common interests, characteristics, issues, and identity another way to connect with each other.



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**AFRICAN
AMERICAN** Caucus



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ISLANDER** CAUCUS



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LGBTQ Caucus



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WOMEN'S Caucus

Join a Policy Committee

- Community Services
- Environmental Quality
- Governance, Transparency, and Labor Relations
- Housing, Community, and Economic Development
- Public Safety
- Revenue and Taxation
- Transportation, Communications, and Public Works



Connect with Partners

- The program fosters relationships between cities and businesses, nonprofits, and other organizations.
- Cal Cities Partners sponsor other events and programs hosted by Cal Cities caucuses, departments, and divisions.



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