

2019 Annual Conference Draft Educational Sessions

Monday, June 24 (8:00am-12:00pm)

- CMO Basic Municipal Finance
- CMO Basic Municipal Land Use
- CMO Advanced Economic Development
- CMO Professional Development: Reinventing Your Leadership (8:00am-11:00am)
- Are My Water Rates Sufficient? (8:00am-10:00am)
- MDEQ's Brownfield Redevelopment and Grant Workshop (9:00am-12:00pm)
- Grants: How to Get Them, Keep Them, and Not Get in Trouble (8:00am-11:00am)
- Make Board Meetings Work! (10:15am-12:00pm)

Monday, June 24 (1:00pm-5:00pm)

- CMO Basic Municipal Law
- CMO Advanced Community Development
- CMO Professional Development: Rules of the Road: A Comprehensive Guide to Federal and State Employment Laws
- Working Smart: Why Digital and Paperless Workflows are Essential (Masterclerk; 1:00pm-4:00pm)
- Vacant, Abandoned, and Problem Properties: Strategies and Suggestions for Municipal Officials (1:00pm-3:00pm)

Monday, June 24 Roundtable Discussions (1:00pm-4:00pm)

- Dementia Friendly America
- Small Town Tools You Can Use
- MS 811: Where Do We Go From Here?
- Urban Forestry
- Maximizing Revenues from Right of Way
- Great Places in Mississippi Awards
- Mississippi Association of Planning and Development Districts
- Clean Water State Revolving Fund (CWSRF) Loan Program Update
- Mississippi Campaign for Grade-Level Reading
- MSU Extension Center: Extending Knowledge, Changing Lives
- How to Reduce Repeat Offenders in Municipal Courts and Save Money!
- Pay Classification and Compensation Studies for Local Government Officials

- Sharing Our Success: Balanced Budget, Fleet Management, Billing, and Cross Training Employees
- Purchase and Travel Law Update
- Show Me the Money: MDA's Community Services Division
- American Red Cross Ready Rating Program

Tuesday, June 25 (1:30pm-2:30pm)

- Practices to Help Manage Municipal Claims
- Deployment of Small Cells & Maximizing Local Government Revenue in the Right of Way
- MML Legislative Update
- Tax Increment Financing: A to Z
- Law Update
- Preparing for the 2020 Census
- What's in Your Community's Toolkit
- Aspire Mississippi: Local Leaders Rising to the Challenge
- Integrating Emerging Technology into Municipal Planning and Development
- USDA Rural Development: Funding Opportunities for Community Development
- Economic Benefits of a Hydrologic Data Collection Network
- C Spire: State of Mississippi Contract 5000 Overview

Wednesday, June 26 (9:00am-10:00am)

- Mississippi Infrastructure Modernization Act: Preparing for Reporting and Revenue
- Motion Fails Due to a Lack of Second – Presenting Proposals
- Fire Service and the EMS Roles of the Fire Service
- Designing for Economic Development
- Public Works and How It Works for Your Community Every Day
- Budgeting and Taxes: Know What's Required
- Leveraging Mississippi's Resources for Community Health Improvement: Community Assets, Academia, and Grant Opportunities
- Standardizing Parks and Recreation Departments in the State and How the Mississippi Recreation and Park Association Can Help
- Recruiting and Retaining Municipal Employees: Compensation and Equity Solutions for the Municipal Workplace
- Things to Know About Operating a Municipal Gas System
- Navigating the Minefield of Social Media Issues

- C Spire: State of Mississippi Contract 5000 Overview (REPEAT)

Wednesday, June 26 (Immediately Following Awards Luncheon)

- CMO Basic Municipal Organization (until 5:00pm)
- CMO Advanced Economic and Community Development Case Study (until 5:00pm)
- Issues Facing Small Towns Under 500 Population (until 2:30pm)
- Issues Facing Towns 500 to 2,000 Population (until 2:30pm)
- Issues Facing Cities 2,000 to 5,000 Population (until 2:30pm)
- Issues Facing Cities 5,000 to 10,000 Population (until 2:30pm)
- Issues Facing Cities Over 10,000 Population (until 2:30pm)

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