



2021 Fall Conference Recap

Well over 200 MML members and other leaders enjoyed the opportunity to meet and learn in person at MML's October 10-12, 2021 Fall Conference at the beautiful Turf Valley Resort near Ellicott City. The event was hosted by MML's Carroll and Frederick Chapters and keynoted by Secretary Kenneth Holt of the Maryland Department of Housing and Community Development. MML thanks all who participated along with our presenters and all of the host municipalities from Carroll and Frederick who contributed and put on a fun and fabulous welcome celebration Monday evening.

MML also thanks the presenters, Strategic Partners, exhibitors and sponsors, who contributed to the success of the event. Sponsors were: (Diamond Level): Carroll County Municipalities, Chesapeake Employers Insurance, FirstNet, Frederick County Municipalities, Local Government Insurance Trust (LGIT), Maryland Environmental Service, Motorola Solutions, Inc; (Gold Sponsors) IP DataSystems, Pepco & Delmarva Power, Willis Towers Watson; (Silver Sponsors) Benecon/LGIT Health, FOVNDRY, Funk & Bolton, Maryland Relay, Miller Partnership Consultants, PSA Insurance & Financial Partners, ShoreScan Solutions, Sustainable Maryland Certified, T Mobile; (Bronze Sponsors) CQI Specialties, and GCOM.

Banner City/Town Highlights

If your city/town was represented at the 2021 Summer Conference and Fall Conference, you have completed the first steps on the journey to a 2022 Banner City/Town designation. Remain among the League's most engaged members while also making the best use of your League membership. Review the criteria and plan to make this your most active MML year, ever:

- Attend 50% of your region's chapter meetings
- Celebrate Municipal Government Works Month in November
- Plan a school visit to any grade level to educate students about municipal government

Visit the [mdmunicipal.org](http://www.mdmunicipal.org) under the Engagement tab for full Banner City/Town details.

In Memoriam

The MML Family grieves the recent passing of Carol Peck, beloved wife of longtime MML staff member Jim Peck. Countless MML members were blessed to have met Carol during various MML conferences and events over the many years Jim has been with the League. Anyone wishing to send condolences may address them to: James P. Peck, 1212 West Street, Annapolis, MD 21401 or jimp@mdmunicipal.org.

Important Dates

June 12-15, 2022

MML Summer Conference
Ocean City, Maryland

Please note summer conference is two weeks earlier next year.

New MML Website Resources!

Cybersecurity:

<http://www.mdmunicipal.org/917/Cybersecurity-Resources>

Civil Unrest:

<http://www.mdmunicipal.org/921/Civil-Unrest-Resources>

American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) Funding:

<http://www.mdmunicipal.org/944/American-Rescue-Plan-Act>

Webinars and Trainings:

<http://www.mdmunicipal.org/946/Training-Opportunities>

Check out the eBulletin for information on:

- Climate Change Town Hall with Senator Cardin — October 25
- How Your Watershed Works Webinar — November 4
- Recordings of Fall Conference Workshops
- U.S. Treasury Updates ARPA Reporting Deadlines
- Updates to the Maryland Public Information Act Manual