

NEWSLETTER

November 2012

Mark Rohr Honored as 2012 Public Official ...

Joplin's City Manager Mark Rohr has been named as one of the 2012 Public Officials of the Year by Governing magazine. Mark is one of only seven honorees across the nation. Read Mark's profile about his efforts to help rebuild Joplin at <http://www.governing.com/poy/poy-mark-rohr.html>. Congratulations, Mark!

Andy Morris Appointed to MCMA Board

...MCMA board members selected Moberly City Manager Andy Morris to fill the unexpired term of Paula Hertwig-Hopkins.

ICMA's - Life, Well Run Campaign ... The Life, Well Run campaign launched in May 2012. The cities of San Antonio and Seguin, TX, and the communities of Glenview, Woodridge and Lake County in the Chicago region were chosen as pilot communities for the campaign. Time-lapse and informational videos about professional local government management in Seguin and San Antonio have been filmed and released. You can view these videos at www.youtube.com/lifewellrun. ICMA expects to release videos about the Illinois communities in the next few weeks.

Be sure to check out the Life, Well Run website at LifeWellRun.org. If you click on the interactive map on the homepage, ICMA will be adding stories of successful community projects across the country where managers played a significant role.

The campaign will go national in 2013. Right now, ICMA is trying to generate support for the campaign. There are a number of ways members can get involved:

1. Link to <http://www.lifewellrun.org/>
2. Share your proudest moment as a manager or

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3. Show the Life, Well Run videos on your local cable station

4. Like it on Facebook and follow it on Twitter
5. Donate to the Life, Well Run campaign. Visit <http://www.lifewellrun.org/> and click on the "Support the Campaign" button.

Mark Levin will serve as MCMA's liaison to ICMA for this campaign. ICMA is looking for ongoing support for its Life, Well Run campaign from both its members as well as the state associations.

New "Friends of MCMA" Partnership program welcomes the following firms: CTS Group; Hochschild, Bloom and Company LLP CPAs; Piper Jaffray & Co.; Gilmore and Bell, P.C.; and Springsted. Thank you for your support!

MCMA has adopted a policy for accepting sponsorships for MCMA conferences and events. Encouraging private sector partnerships can serve to enhance members' knowledge and understanding of the products and services available to local governments. The policy also includes a "Corporate Partner Code of Ethics" to guide our sponsors in their relationships with MCMA and its members.

You can view the Corporate Partnership Program on the [MCMA website](#).

ICMA Nomination for Midwest Vice President

... ICMA is calling for nominations for an open Vice President position in the Midwest Region. The position is designated for a non-CEO, nominations are due December 10.

Full information on the nominations process, is available on the ICMA website [online](#).

MCMA Winter Workshop ... Registration information will be sent shortly for the annual winter workshop, which will be held Thursday, January 17 in Columbia, with a reception at the Heidelberg on the evening of January 16.

The workshop will focus on economic development, featuring Gerald Gordon, President and CEO, Fairfax County Economic Development Authority. In addition, an afternoon panel of four city managers and administrators in Missouri will share their experiences and lessons learned

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As a member of MCMA you can join the Listserve through MCMA Yahoo Groups.

How to sign up:

- Email request to join the Listserve to kbradley@mocities.com and an invitation to join the Listserve will be submitted.

2013 Conference Dates
Winter Workshop
Thursday, January 17
University of Missouri-Columbia
[Event and Registration Information](#)

Spring Conference
Wed - Friday, May 1-3
Camden On The Lake Resort
Lake of the Ozarks

Reception at ICMA Conference ... Thanks to everyone who stopped by the joint Missouri/Kansas/Nebraska reception at the ICMA Conference in Phoenix earlier this month, and special thanks to Kirk Davis for coordinating the event with the other states.

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