

May 2020

IMPORTANT UPCOMING EVENTS

Please consult the League [Web Calendar](#)

May 10
Mother's Day

May 15
Peace Officers' Memorial Day

May 15
[Recent OPRA Decisions and "Q & A with GRC" Webinar-Your Computer](#)

May 25
Memorial Day

June 10-12
[The Online Mini Conference-Your Computer](#)

- ✓ Peace Officers Memorial Day
- ✓ NJLM Online Mini Conference
- ✓ Mayors' Hall of Fame
- ✓ NJ Municipalities Magazine

FROM THE PRESIDENT

Committeeman James Perry, Hardwick Township

Dealing with the COVID-19 Pandemic can be overwhelming for any municipality. Let the League website be a starting point for all your information needs.

The website homepage hosts news flashes covering the COVID-19 pandemic as well as our online COVID [resource page](#).

We also have a Legislative blog, "[The Town Crier](#)," that features frequent updates on NJLM's legislative activities regarding COVID-19 that impact local governments.

On the [Calendar of Events](#) you can find programming covering COVID-19 updates and other educational needs for you and your municipal staff.

On the [publications webpage](#) you can find the League's award-winning magazine, *NJ Municipalities*, along with primers, surveys, directories, and white papers.

You can also follow the League on [Twitter](#) and [Facebook](#). You can even view videos on our [YouTube](#) page.

I encourage all local officials to access the resources of the League during this uncertain time.

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Peace Officers Memorial Day is May 15

Since 1962, Peace Officers Memorial Day is held annually in the United States on May 15 in honor of federal, state, and local officers killed or disabled in the line of duty. It is observed in conjunction with Police Week. While it is not a public holiday, many communities hold memorial services and fly the flag at half-staff. A national memorial service is held in Washington DC on May 15.

NJLM Online Mini Conference Open for Registration-Earn CEU's Online from the Comfort of Your Home or Office

Contact Danielle Holland-Htut, ext. 118, or dholland@njlm.org

This year the One-Day Mini Conference has transitioned to a digital event to meet the educational and logistical needs of League members. The NJLM Online Mini Conference is now open for registration. The Conference will take place over June 10, 11, and 12, 2020 and offer 12 different webinars for attendees to join for one low price. CEU's are available for Finance Officers, Tax Collectors, Public Works, Municipal Clerks, Accountants, Recycling Professionals, and New Jersey Attorneys. Some attendees can earn up to **16.5 CEU's in three days!** Cost for Members is \$115 per person and \$130 for nonmembers.

For a schedule of webinars and the registration form please visit the [Mini Conference website](#).

We would also like to thank the sponsors of our Mini Conference [Mason, Griffin, and Pearson Law Firm](#), [Lincoln Financial Group/Bencor](#), and [Unicorn HRO](#).

If you have any questions please contact Danielle Holland-Htut at 609-695-3481, ext 118 or dholland@njlm.org

Nominations Sought For Mayors' Hall of Fame

Contact Michael Darcy, ext. 116, or mdarcy@njlm.org

The League is accepting nominations for the 2020 Mayors' Hall of Fame. To qualify, a mayor must be serving in at least their 10th cumulative year for the silver level, 20th year for the gold level, or 30th year for the platinum level. Mayors who rotate into office can qualify after holding the office of mayor for 10 years.

Qualifying mayors will be inducted into the New Jersey State League of Municipalities Mayors' Hall of Fame during the Mayors' Luncheon at the Annual Conference Wednesday, November 18, in Atlantic City. For nomination forms and more information about the Mayors' Hall of Fame, visit the [Hall of Fame page](#) on the website or contact the League at 609-695-3481, ext. 116.

Let Your Vendors Know About NJ Municipalities Magazine!

Do you work with vendors that you would recommend to other municipalities? Let these vendors know about the League's magazine. Placing advertisements in the magazine helps to increase the reach of their marketing message and supports the League as an organization in the process.

Contact Taran Samhammer at tsamhammer@njlm.org with your vendor's mailing address and we will send them a sample issue!