

2022

Fall Municipal Law Conference

The Lodge at Gulf State Park, Gulf Shores, Alabama
September 22 - 24, 2022

11:30 Check in/ Registration

Thursday, September 22 Attorneys Track

1:00 – 1:45 Drug Testing, Robbie Hyde, Attorney, Alexander Hyde, LLC

1:45 – 2:45 Construction Contracts, Steven Torres, Attorney, West Group Law, PLLC

2:45 – 3:00 Break

3:00 – 3:30 AG Update, Wes Shaw, Assistant Attorney General, AL Attorney General's Office

3:30 – 4:00 Legislative Updates, Lori Lein General Counsel, Alabama League of Municipalities

4:00 – 5:00 Rapid Fire, Mickey McInnish, Former Assistant City Attorney, Montgomery
Julie Barnard, Assistant City Attorney, Birmingham, Jim Stanley, Principal Attorney, Birmingham

6:00 – 7:30 Reception at Dunes Terrace, The Lodge at Gulf State Park

Thursday, September 22 Judges/Prosecutors Track

1:00 – 2:00 L.E.A.D.S. AL Law Enforcement Agency Driver System Update, Jon Archer, Chief, Driver License Division, ALEA

2:00 – 2:45 Contempt of Court, Jeff Bramer, Prosecutor, Mountain Brook

2:45 – 3:00 Break

3:00 – 4:00 Caselaw Update for Municipal Courts, Judge Ben Hand, Opelika

4:00 – 5:00 AL Evidence Law Update, John Carroll, Professor of Law, Cumberland School of Law, Birmingham

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Friday, September 23

7:30 - 8:30 Breakfast

Friday, September 23 Attorneys Track

8:30 - 9:30 U.S. Supreme Court, Amanda Karras, Executive Director/General Counsel, IMLA

9:30 - 10:30 Fourth Amendment and Chipping of Employees, Amanda Stanley, City Attorney, Topeka, KS

10:30 - 10:45 Break

10:45 - 11:30 Public Nuisance & Drug Abatement - Joseph Abrams, Joseph Basgier, Staff Attorneys, Birmingham

11:30 - 12:00 Alcohol Regulations, Bob Martin, General Counsel, Alabama ABC Board

12:00-1:00 Lunch with Terri Lovell, Executive Director, AL State Bar

1:00 - 1:15 **AAMA Business Meeting (we ask all AAMA members to stay for a short meeting following the luncheon)**

Friday, September 23 Judges/Prosecutors Track

8:30 - 9:15 Interlock Process Overview, Donna Tate, Director of Marketing and Public Relations, Smart Start of Alabama

9:15 - 10:15 From Harpersville to Brookside (with a stop in between), Randy Van Vleck, Attorney, Van Vleck Law, Placitas, New Mexico

10:15 - 11:00 An Overview of Youthful Offender Status, Brian Beck, President, Public Defender's Office, Huntsville

11:00 - 12:00 Court Perspective from the Court Referral Officer, Raina Macks, CRO, Baldwin County, Elizabeth Pennington, CRO, Butler County, Jan Sherbondy, CRO, Lee County

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Saturday, September 24 Attorneys Track

8:30 – 9:30 Hot Topics in Law Enforcement, Eddie Blair, Assistant City Attorney, Huntsville, Greg Burgess, Attorney, Lanier Ford

9:30 – 10:30 Promoting Civility at Public Meetings, Randy Van Vleck, Attorney, Van Vleck Law, Placitas, New Mexico

10:30 – 10:45 Break

10:45 – 11:30 Sign Regulations After City of Austin v. Reagan National Advertising, David Canupp, Attorney, Lanier Ford

11:30 – 12:00 Caselaw Update – Ken Smith, former General Counsel and Executive Director, AL League of Municipalities

Saturday, September 24 Judges/Prosecutors Track

8:30 – 9:15 Legislative updates Impacting Municipal Courts, Lori Lein General Counsel, AL League of Municipalities

9:15 – 10:15 Expungement Process, Jason Neff, Judge, Brookwood & Vance

10:15 – 10:30 Break

10:30 – 11:30 Litigation Update on Municipal Court Bail Bond Cases, Aria Allan, John G. Smith, Ginny Leavens, Attorneys, Balch & Bingham LLP

11:30 – 12 noon [AMJA Business Meeting](#)



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