

# 2019

# Spring Municipal Law Conference

Marriott Shoals Conference Center, Florence, AL  
April 12 - 13, 2019

**NOTE:**

**Continuing Education:** All topics have been submitted to the Alabama State Bar for CLE approval, and Alabama Judicial College for Judicial Education Credit.

## Conference Agenda

### Friday, April 12 • Judges / Prosecutors and Attorneys

<p>Noon-1:00 <b>The Viral Village: "S-Town" Revisited</b> <i>Boozer Downs, Attorney, Woodstock, AL;</i> <i>Cheryl Dodson, Former Clerk, Woodstock</i></p> <p>1:00-1:30 <b>Attorney General's Opinions Update</b> <i>John Porter, Assistant Attorney General,</i> <i>Opinions Division, AG's Office</i></p> <p>1:30-2:15 <b>Legislative Update</b> <i>Greg Cochran, Deputy Director, ALM;</i> <i>Lori Lein, General Counsel, ALM</i></p> <p>2:15-2:30 <b>Break</b></p>	<p>2:30-3:45 <b>Disability Issues: Program Access under Title II of the ADA Sensitivity and Etiquette</b> <i>Edward Zwilling, Attorney, Edward Zwilling, LLC;</i> <i>Ashley Rhea, Attorney, Rhea Law, LLC</i></p> <p>4:00 <b>Visit Ivey Green, Birthplace of Helen Keller - Transportation provided (Optional Activity)</b></p> <p>8:00-9:30 <b>Welcome Reception</b> <i>Musical Jam session with our own organizational musicians and special guest Barry Billings</i></p>
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### Saturday, April 13 Judges / Prosecutors

7:45-8:30	<b>Breakfast</b>
8:30 - 9:30	<b>Hardship Drivers License &amp; Municipal Court</b> <i>Meredith Barnes, General Counsel, ALEA</i>
9:30 - 11:00	<b>Hot Topics Roundtable</b> <i>Moderator, Judge Carl Chamblee, Trussville;</i> <i>Panelists, Judge Sybil Cleveland, Huntsville;</i> <i>Judge Chris Smith, Florence;</i> <i>Judge Bill Marthaler, Muscle Shoals</i>
11:00- 11:15	<b>Break</b>
11:15-Noon	<b>Judicial Administration Fund &amp; Municipal Court Cost</b> <i>John Morgan, Certified Magistrate/Court Clerk,</i> <i>Homewood</i>
Noon	<b>AMJA Business Meeting</b>

### Saturday, April 13 Attorneys

7:00-8:00	<b>Breakfast location TBA</b>
8:00-8:30	<b>Travel to Richards Center, Florence</b>
8:30-9:30	<b>Historic Preservation Issues for Municipalities</b> <i>Mary Shell, Community Services/Preservation Planner, AL Historical Commission</i>
9:30-10:00	<b>Break</b>
10:00-11:30	<b>Intellectual Property Issues for Municipal Attorneys</b> <i>Paul Woodall, and Whit Rayner, Attorneys, Jones Walker LLP</i>
Noon	<b>Travel to Alabama Music Hall of Fame</b>