



58th ANNUAL CONFERENCE & EXPOSITION

Wednesday, April 12, 2023

7:30 am – 4:00 pm **Exhibitor Set-Up**

9:00 am **Registration Center Opens**
In front of Seminole Ballroom

2:00 pm – 5:00 pm **Exhibit Floor Open**

3:45 pm – 5:15 pm **New Mayors (and Tips for All Mayors) Guide to Success: Learn the Tools to Be the Most Effective Leader for Your Community**
Session #1

Seminole Ballroom III

Congratulations on becoming Mayor -- that was the easy part! Let's discuss the tools and strategies our panel of experienced Mayors have used to govern effectively, efficiently and expertly. This session will empower new mayors and assist those seasoned mayors as they navigate the ever-changing demands of our communities and governing bodies. No matter your form of government, the composition of your governing body or the size of your town, you set the vision for your community. So let's build teamwork and bring the vision which elected you to fruition!

- **The Right Attitude** – Owning Your Role and How to Execute
- **Taking Ownership at Work and on the Dais** – How to Run Your Meetings Effectively
- **Utilizing All the Tools in Your Toolbox** – Agenda Creation, Tracking Issues and Communication
- **Navigating the Slings and Arrows and Coming out on Top**

Moderator:

Mayor Kristine Morieko, Glen Rock Borough

Panelists:

Mayor Shelley Brindle, Westfield Town

Mayor Jason Cilento, Dunellen Borough

Mayor Ted Green, East Orange City

Mayor Paul Kanitra, Point Pleasant Borough

Mayor Lou Manzo, Harrison Township

5:30 pm – 6:30 pm
Seminole Ballroom I
Exhibit Floor

NJCM Mayor & Exhibitor Reception

Sponsored by Atlantic City Electric an Exelon Company

6:30 pm – 8:30 pm
Seminole Ballroom II

NJCM Board of Directors Dinner Meeting

Remarks by outgoing NJCM President Mayor Janice S. Mironov
Swearing in of NJCM President Paul Muir, Bethlehem Township
Swearing in of NJCM Executive Board
Swearing in of NJCM Board of Directors
Greetings by NJCM President Paul Muir, Bethlehem Township



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7:30 am

Ribbon Cutting Ceremony

*Seminole Ballroom I
Main Entrance to
Exhibit Hall*

7:45 am – 8:45 am

Continental Breakfast

Seminole Ballroom I

8:00 am – 5:00 pm

Exhibits Open

9:15 am – 10:15 am

**NJ Conference of Mayors Legislative Meeting
Open to all**

Session #2

*Moderator:
Committee Chair Mayor Timothy McDonough,
Hope Township*

Seminole Ballroom III

10:25 am – 11:35 am

**Legislative Leadership and Hot Topic Mayor
Issues, YOUR Topics: State Budget, Energy
Tax Receipts, Pension Costs, Health Benefits,
Affordable Housing, Environmental Regulatory
Burdens, OPRA/OPMA, Planning and Zoning**

Session #3

*Moderator:
Mayor Janice S. Mironov, East Windsor Township*

Seminole Ballroom III

Panelists:

Assembly Speaker Craig Coughlin
Assembly Minority Leader John DiMaio
Senator Bob Smith, Chair Senate Environment Committee
Senate Republican Leader Steven Oroho
Mayor Colleen Mahr, Fanwood Borough
Mayor Sean Spiller, Montclair Township



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11:45 am

Seminole Ballroom II

Presentation of Colors

NJ Department of Corrections Color Guard

Introductions:

Kerry Kirk Pflugh, NJCM Executive Director

National Anthem sung by Donnah Lisa Campbell,

Flag Salute by TBD

Blessing

Welcome

*Greetings by NJCM President, Mayor Paul Muir,
Bethlehem Township*

12:00 noon – 1:30 pm

Seminole Ballroom II

Grand Luncheon

Keynote Speaker Governor Phil Murphy

Sponsored by New Jersey American Water

1:30 pm – 2:10 pm

Session #4

Seminole Ballroom III

Governor's Cabinet Roundtable

Discussion with Mayors

Cabinet:

Commissioner Shawn LaTourette, NJ Department of
Environmental Protection

Acting Commissioner Angelica Allen-McMillan, NJ
Department of Education

LTC Joseph Brennan, NJ State Police

Secretary Brian Bridges, NJ Office of Higher Education

Acting Director Laurie Doran, NJ Office of Homeland
Security & Preparedness

Laine Rankin, Director of Local Aid and Economic
Development, NJ Department of Transportation

Tim Sullivan, Chief Executive Officer,
NJ Economic Development Authority

Commissioner Zenon Christodoulou,
NJ Board of Public Utilities

Elizabeth Maher Muoio, State Treasurer



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2:15 pm – 3:30 pm

Session #5

Seminole Ballroom III

Environmental Regulatory Challenges, Aging Infrastructure, Cost Impacts and Available Tools

- Compliance with New Stormwater Management/Flood Hazard Regulations
- Updating Water Systems to Address Emerging PFAS & Other Contaminants
- Reviewing Lead Service Line Replacement Requirements
- Understanding Lead-based Paint Testing Mandates
- How Do Towns Pay All the Bills

Moderator:

Mayor Jackie Veasy, Evesham Township

Panelists:

Mark McDonough, President, NJ American Water

Katrina Angarone, Assistant Commissioner for Watershed and Land Management, NJ Dept. of Environmental Protection

Nicolas Brown, Director of Coastal Geology and Resiliency, ACT Engineers, Inc.

David Zimmer, Executive Director, NJ Infrastructure Bank

Allison McLeod, Public Policy Director, NJ League of Conservation Voters

Panel Session Sponsored by ACT Engineers, Inc.



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3:45 pm – 5:00 pm

Session #6

Seminole Ballroom III

Economic Development and Redevelopment Challenges and Directions in the Current New Jersey Climate

- The Transitioning Face of Economic Development Pre, During and Post-Covid
- Paths Forward for Small Business, New Avenues for Entrepreneurs and Success
- Innovative and Smart Redevelopment and Re-Purposing Tools to Achieve Community Planning Goals
- Incorporating Sustainability into Planning and Growth
- Has Cannabis Been a Game-Changer for Towns, Pros and Cons
- Rural Perspectives for Economic Development
- Accessing and Leveraging Resources and Funding

Moderator:

Mayor Dean Dafis, Maplewood Township

Panelists:

Mayor Sheena Collum, Village President, South Orange

Peter Kasabach, Executive Director, NJ Future

Mayor Paul Muir, Bethlehem Township

Michele Siekerka, Executive Director, NJ Business and Industry

5:15 pm – 6:30 pm

Seminole Ballroom I

Exhibit Floor

General Reception

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58th ANNUAL CONFERENCE & EXPOSITION

Friday, April 14, 2023

8:00 am – 9:30 am
Seminole Ballroom II

Mayors Breakfast and Door Prize Drawing

Sponsored by LECET New Jersey

Hearing From Our Big City Mayors

Moderator:

NJCM President Paul Muir, Bethlehem Township

Panelists:

Mayor Steven Fulop, Jersey City

Mayor Reed Gusciora, Trenton

8:00 am – 12:00 pm

Exhibits Open

9:45 am – 11:30 am

Session #7

Seminole Ballroom III

Affordable Housing Looking Forward, Challenges and Next Steps

- Upcoming Fourth Round & Methodology & Compliance
- Administrative Agency vs. Courts
- Can there Be a State Housing Bank Tool
- Balancing Smart Planning and Municipal Impact

Moderator:

Mayor Robert Conley, Madison Borough

Panelists:

Mayor Nicole Gillespie, Moorestown Township

Mayor Thaddeus Kobylarz, Chatham Borough

Michael Jedzniak, Esq., Carluccio, Leone, Dimon,
Doyle & Sacks

Joseph Burgis, President & Owner, Burgis Associates, Inc.

NJCM MISSION STATEMENT

To provide a unified approach and open line of communication to our State and Federal Legislatures and Administrators that reflects the will of the great State of New Jersey and works to improve the health and well being of all its residents.

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