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**Municipal Economic Development and Forms of Municipal Government**  
Tuesday, September 17, 2024

- 9:00 – 9:25 a.m. Registration**
- 9:25 – 9:30 a.m. Welcome to Your Regional Council of Governments**  
*Council of Governments Facilitator*
- 9:30 – 10:45 a.m. Broadcast — Part 1: Municipal Economic Development**  
*Carolyn Sawyer, Moderator*  
*Jenny Boulware, Main Street SC Manager, Municipal Association*  
*Mayor Brandy Amidon, City of Travelers Rest*  
*Mayor Barbara Blain-Bellamy, City of Conway*  
*Ray Jones, Attorney, Parker Poe*
- 10:45 – 11:00 a.m. Break for Short discussion/Council of Governments Presentation About Services**
- 11:00 – 11:15 a.m. Serve Lunch — Participants Complete Lunch During Part 2 of the Program**
- 11:15 a.m. – noon Broadcast — Part 2: The Forms of Municipal Government**  
*Carolyn Sawyer, Moderator*  
*Jeff Shacker, Former Field Services Manager, Municipal Association*  
*Charlie Barrineau, Field Services Manager, Municipal Association*  
*Ashley Kellahan, Field Services Manager, Municipal Association*
- Noon – 12:30 p.m. Question and Answer Session Via Microsoft Teams**  
*Complete evaluation*
- 12:30 p.m. Training Ends**

Information on municipal economic development in the *Handbook for Municipal Officials in SC*:  
Chapter 1 – The Governing Body  
Chapter 4 – Revenue Sources  
Chapter 6 – Borrowing: Municipal Debt

**Mark your calendar for upcoming MEO Institute classes and graduation:**

- October (TBD) Advanced MEO Institute, Marriott Columbia (*MEO Institute graduates only*)  
January 21 Hometown Legislative Action Day  
January 21 MEO Institute graduation ceremony during Hometown Legislative Action Day  
January 22 MEO Sessions A and B, Marriott Columbia (*Must take MEO Session A before MEO Session B*)  
January 22 Advanced MEO Institute, Marriott Columbia (*MEO Institute graduates only*)

*On-demand classes are available at [www.masc.sc](http://www.masc.sc) (keyword: MEO).*