Municipal Court Administration Association of South Carolina

Spring Meeting
April 12, 2024
Cooperative Conference Center
169 Laurelhurst Ave, Columbia, SC

8:00 - 9:00 a.m.

Registration and

Continental Breakfast

9:00 - 9:05 a.m.

Welcome and Announcements

Brittany Burns, MCAA President

9:05 – 10:00 a.m.

Managing Workplace Burnout

Christina K. Isenhower, Corporate Consultant, First Sun EAP

Workplace burnout is real and consequential. It continues to increase, specifically in younger generations. Distinct from vicarious trauma and compassion fatigue, burnout is a sense of being overwhelmed and lacking purpose at work. This session will address the core causes, characteristics and sources of workplace burnout. It will also explore three types of burnout and strategies for managing them all.

10:00 - 10:15 a.m.

Break

10:15 – 11:15 a.m.

Records and Record Keeping: Best Practices

Pam Larson, Director of Operations, City of Greenville Municipal Court

Managing a municipal court has many high-liability areas, including records management. Small mistakes can lead to major issues for court administrators, their staff and their municipalities. Larson will give a broad overview of records management and touch on best practices for several records-related tasks.

11:15 - 11:30 a.m.

Break

11:30 a.m. – 12:15 p.m. Diversion Programs: Step-by-Step

Shannon Horton, Director of Diversionary Programs, 14th Circuit Solicitor's Office

Diversion programs provide an alternative to traditional prosecution and resolves cases to enable offenders of criminal laws to avoid criminal charges and a criminal record. There are a number of different programs available, and Horton will discuss the various options and how to use them most effectively.

12:15 – 1:00 p.m.

Networking Luncheon

1:00-1:30 p.m.

SC Court Administration: General Updates and Expungement Laws

Daniel Jones, Deputy Director, SC Court Administration

Get answers to questions and receive updates from SC Court Administration officials about municipal court processes, procedures and guidelines. Jones will also review the current expungement laws.

1:30 - 2:00 p.m.

Expungements: Step-by-Step

Kimberly Poulin, Court Administrator, City of Anderson

Expungement is the removal of the record of an arrest or conviction so the offense no longer appears on an individual's criminal record. Poulin will discuss what offenses can be expunged, as well as step-by-step instructions for handling expungements.

2:00 – 2:15 p.m.

Break

2:15 - 3:00 p.m.

Non-Resident Violators Compact: Step-by-Step

Kirsten Pressley, Clerk of Court, City of Greer

The Non-Resident Violators Compact provides a method for the enforcement of certain traffic violations which were previously unenforceable because the defendant did not post bond, did not appear for trial, and could not be located to be brought to trial or pay the fine. Pressley will explain which offenses are covered by the NRVC, and steps to follow when administering this process.

3:00-3:15 p.m.

Break

3:15-3:45 p.m.

Drive Time With the SC Department of Motor Vehicles: E-Tickets Step-by-Step

Shirley Rivers, Director of Driver Services, SC Department of Motor Vehicles

Gain a better understanding of the proper procedures and documents required by the SC DMV. Rivers will also go over procedures for submitting E-Tickets.

Submit your questions for Rivers to swhitaker@ masc.sc by April 5 at 5 p.m.

3:45 p.m.

Adjourn

Continuing Education Credits

SC Commission on CLE and Specialization Course Number: Applied for

Who We Are

The Municipal Court Administration Association focuses on fostering and developing interest in sound court administration, encouraging the most advanced technologies in the field of court administration, disseminating information and exchanging ideas among its members. For more information, visit www.masc.sc (keyword: MCAA).

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Registration Information

Online registration is available for the spring meeting. Save time and postage by logging on to www.masc.sc to register. Online registration must be paid by Visa or MasterCard. Registration fees of \$85 for members and \$115 for nonmembers include meeting registration, all educational materials and lunch. The registration deadline is Friday, April 5.

Register online at www.masc.sc or mail completed registration form and check made payable to the Municipal Association of SC to:

> MASC PO Box 12220 Columbia, SC 29211 ATTN: MCAA

Cancellations must be received by 5 p.m. on April 5.

Refunds will not be given after this date.

Conference attire is business casual. The session rooms may be cool, so you may want to bring a sweater or jacket.

For special needs requests, contact Lea Ann Mitchell at 803.933.1254 or lmitchell@masc.sc by April 5, and we will accommodate if possible.

Upcoming Meeting

Annual Meeting

August 14 – 16, 2024 **Embassy Suites at Kingston Plantation** Myrtle Beach MINISTER

MCAA Registration Form

Spring Meeting • April 12, 2024 Name Badge Information

The following information will appear on your name badge for this meeting. First name (example: Bill) Full name (example: William J. Smith, Jr.) Title | New Local government/business name **Contact Information** Birth month/day Last four digits of SSN This combination of numbers is used as the official's personal identification number to access online services, simplify event registration and ensure proper recording of participation in Association training programs. Local government/business name Preferred mailing address

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■ Member

Includes full-day meeting registration and lunch.

□ Nonmember \$115 Includes full-day meeting registration and lunch.