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Message from President Jannette Goodall

"Are you all ready for Advanced Institute? It is just around the corner and I hope to see as many of you as possible. It will be a great educational conference. In addition there will be a number of items for discussion at the Business Meeting and will recognize our outstanding members, chapter, scholarship winners, and outgoing/incoming Board Members. Hope you can attend."



Business meeting

Save the date: October 26 Plan to join us in Frisco for your association's Business Meeting. Stay tuned for updates!

Advanced Institute

Reserve **Oct. 26-27** on your calendar for our educational event "People. Pressure. Personality." with speaker Marcel Brunel in Frisco.

Awards banquet

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Pictured: The TMCA Pineywoods Chapter with TMCA President Jannette Goodall.

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"The Legislature was very busy this year, so hopefully you all can attend this month's TMCCP Legislative Update Seminar and find out about all of the things that have an impact on us and our municipalities. We may need to gather downstairs and have a 'networking/venting' session after the sessions. I hope to see many of you at the Legislative Update Seminar."



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Join us this October for a transformative seminar.

Do you know how to turn your emotional intelligence skills into habits that strengthen you both professionally and personally?

City secretaries encounter situations where emotions run strong, opinions vary, and stakes are high. Diffusing these situations takes more than good will: it takes real skill.

This working session features the ADW Assessment, which focuses on our ability to understand, adapt, and manage our daily emotions in order to guide effective thinking and meaningful behavior. This means we must be self-aware, be aware of others, manage our emotions, and be strong enough to take meaningful action. Attendees will be sent the ADW Assessment to take before the seminar, and and will bring their results to our event where speakers Marcel Brunel and Sheryl Chacko will guide everyone through how to interpret the information in ways that will serve them best.

Register Now



TMCA Annual Business Meeting: 11:30am, October 26, Frisco

President Jannette Goodall encourages all members to attend: "The business meeting is your opportunity to participate in the appointment of officers, review and accept the treasurer's report, and vote on membership dues, bylaw revisions, honorary and lifetime memberships and resolutions for our organization." The business meeting packet will be mailed to you in mid-October.



TMCA Annual Banquet: 5:30pm, October 26, Frisco

President Goodall says, "This is a time to recognize and celebrate our members including retirees and scholarship recipients; announce the 2023 Municipal Clerk of the Year, Emerging Leader and other special awards; and hear from your 2024 incoming president. Seminar registration includes a ticket to the banquet, and we encourage everyone to attend. (If you are not registering for the seminar but would like to join us for the banquet, a ticket to the banquet is $81.) There will be a Pre-Banquet Networking Happy Hour starting at 4:30 outside the banquet room."



TMCA Texas Municipal Clerk of the Year Nominees

Congratulations to our 2023 nominees! The recipient will be announced at our Oct. 26 awards banquet in Frisco.

2023 Municipal Clerk of the Year nominees:
Kara Andrepont, City Secretary, Lufkin
Cassandra Brager, City Clerk, Tyler
Zanea Carpenter, City Secretary, Muleshoe
Kerri Craig, City Secretary, Horseshoe Bay
Robyn Densmore, City Secretary, Georgetown
Traci Henderson, Asst. City Secretary, North Richland Hills
Michelle Hicks, City Secretary, Waco
April Hilbrich, City Secretary, Victoria
Shelley McElhannon, City Secretary, Kerrville
Saundra Passailaigue, City Secretary, Leon Valley
Margie Poole, City Secretary, Burkburnett
Caryn Stevens, City Secretary, Red Oak
Susie Quinn, City Secretary, Murphy
Cindy Woodard, City Secretary, Memphis
Lee Woodward, City Secretary, La Porte
Christi Wynn, City Secretary, Brownwood



Networking Opportunity: Wednesday Night Dinner Buddies

Attendees of the Advanced Institute Seminar: in mid-October we'll contact you with the option to sign up for a chance to meet up with fellow clerks for dinner on Oct. 25, the evening before the seminar. Members of the Capital, Lone Star, and North Texas Chapter are coordinating this great opportunity to network in groups of ten or fewer at various Frisco restaurants.



TMCA at the TML Annual Conference

We hope to see you in Dallas at the TML Conference! TMCA has terrific sessions on Wednesday and Thursday--please attend and support your Association. We'll also have our annual booth (#1050) staffed by member volunteers--come by and see us!



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Pictured: Members of the TMCA Central Texas Chapter enjoying a great quarterly meeting in September at the Baylor Club inside McLane Stadium, hosted by the City of Waco. Thank you to Temple Deputy City Secretary/Records Manager Liz Caraway for this update.

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