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LAND BANK WEBINAR

Are you interested in creating a land bank for your community?

Land banks are quasi-governmental entity created by counties or municipalities to effectively manage and re-purpose an inventory of underused, abandoned, or foreclosed property.

We are offering a free webinar for cities to get a better understanding of how to create a land bank, how to use a land bank, and see successful examples of how land banks have been used in Kansas cities. Limited to 100 participants.

Register for the webinar online.

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THANKS FOR ATTENDING!

We enjoyed seeing over 500 local government officials during the past week at the League's Annual Conference in Overland Park. The educational sessions, social events, and networking opportunities were wonderful and we're combing over conference surveys now to start planning for 2020! Mark your calendars now for the 2020 League Annual Conference held October 10-12 in Wichita!



LEAGUE GOVERNING BODY SELECTS NEW LEADERSHIP

The League's Governing Body met during conference to discuss nominations for the League's leadership and finalize the League's Statement of Municipal Policy for the upcoming legislative session. John "Tiny" McTaggart, Mayor of Edwardsville, and Sara Caylor, City Commissioner for the City of Ottawa, were chosen as President and Vice President, respectively.

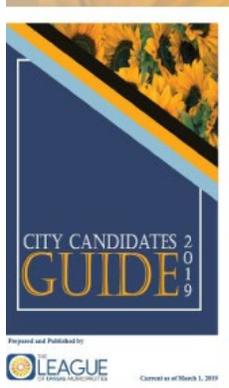
The Governing Body also retained four previous board members for an additional term. David McDaniel (City of Ellis), Scott Moore (City of Ellsworth), Joyce Warshaw (City of Dodge City), and Toni Wheeler (City of Lawrence) each received an additional three-year term.



JOHN "TINY" MCTAGGART, CITY OF EDWARDSVILLE



SARA CAYLOR, CITY OF OTTAWA



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REGIONAL SUPPERS SET FOR NOVEMBER

The League of Kansas Municipalities invites all League member city officials to join us for the 2019 Regional Suppers. The Regional Suppers are an opportunity for League staff, state representatives, city officials, and city staff to discuss upcoming legislative issues and review the Statement of Municipal Policy. This year, League staff is offering a free training prior to the start of the regional supper. Join us at 4:30 p.m. at the same location for a brief City Government 101 training along with tips on how to connect with your legislator. Check-in for dinner will begin at 5:30 p.m. with the meal served at 6:00 p.m. The dates and locations of Regional Suppers are below. [Register on-line.](#)

You are invited to

2019 REGIONAL SUPPERS

A Program of The League

<p>November 6 • WaKeeney Western Cooperative Electric \$16 per person RSVP by Oct. 30</p>	<p>November 7 • Lakin Veterans Memorial Building \$16 per person RSVP by Oct. 30</p>	<p>November 13 • Leavenworth Riverfront Community Center \$18 per person RSVP by Nov. 6</p>
<p>November 6 • Augusta Frisco Train Depot \$18 per person RSVP by Oct. 30</p>	<p>November 7 • Lindsborg Swedish Crown Restaurant \$16 per person RSVP by Oct. 30</p>	<p>November 14 • Burlington Kelley Hall Building - Kelley Park \$16 per person RSVP by Nov. 6</p>

For more information go to: <https://www.lkm.org/page/RegionalSuppers>

IF I WERE MAYOR, I WOULD...

Tell us your thoughts in our annual
“IF I WERE MAYOR” CONTEST.
DEADLINE: November 18, 2019
Winners receive cash prizes!

CONTEST RULES AND INSTRUCTIONS: www.lkm.org/MayorContest