

# Florida Association of City Clerks

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## Message From FACC President

*Teamwork:*

*Coming together is the beginning.*

*Keeping it together is progress.*

*Working together is success.*



This week I enjoyed attending the Florida League of Cities' (FLC) Legislative Conference in Kissimmee. If you have not attended an FLC Legislative Conference before, I encourage you to think about attending next year. This conference is a chance for attendees to join Florida's municipal leaders to discuss and learn about important issues, finalize and adopt legislative priorities, and share ideas and strategies on collaborating with state legislators and finding common ground. I was able to learn a lot and also

network with some of my fellow Clerks in attendance, as well as FLC President Jolien Caraballo, Port St. Lucie's Vice Mayor.

*Pictured above, left to right: FACC President Cheryl A. Mooney, MPA, MMC, City Clerk, Temple Terrace; FACC South District Director Elizabeth Garcia-Beckford, MMC, MBA, City Clerk, North Lauderdale; FACC Legislative Committee Chair Savannah Cobb, CMC, Deputy Town Clerk, Longboat Key; City Clerk Alyson Morales, MMC, MPA, Parkland; FACC Summer Conference and Academy Host Committee Co-Chair Rosemarie Call, MPA, MMC, City Clerk, Clearwater; FACC Past President Lori McWilliams, MPA, MMC, Village Clerk/Public Information Officer, Tequesta; FACC Past President Chevelle D. Addie, MMC, Village Clerk, Wellington; and FACC President-Elect Angie Guy, MMC, City Clerk, Dade City.*



*Pictured above, left to right: FACC President Cheryl A. Mooney, MPA, MMC, City Clerk, Temple Terrace; FACC South District Director Elizabeth Garcia-Beckford, MMC, MBA, City Clerk, North Lauderdale; FLC President Jolien Caraballo, Vice Mayor, Port St. Lucie; City Clerk Vanessa Joseph, Esq., North Miami; and City Clerk Alyson Morales, MMC, MPA, Parkland.*

**Sincerely,  
Cheryl A. Mooney, MPA, MMC  
2022-2023 FACC President  
City Clerk, City of Temple Terrace**

## Member Highlight



*We will be highlighting a different member each week to share "what it means to be a member of FACC" for that person.*

**Today, enjoy reading about Town Clerk Veronica L. King, Town of Eatonville.**

I have over 26 years' experience as an accomplished Administrator with over 6 years of municipal experience. Before becoming Town Clerk, I formerly worked as Executive Assistant to the Mayor and Council since October 2016. My professional experiences have allowed me to travel to Washington D.C. to speak on behalf of families within the Town of

Eatonville, after receiving the prestigious Robert Wood Johnson Culture of Health Award. [Read More](#)

## Member News

### CMC Certification



The following FACC members have earned their CMC certification:

Juana "Janie" M. Ayala, City Clerk, Human Resources Manager/Risk Manager, City of Mulberry

Congratulations, Janie!

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### Retirement



Town Clerk Donna Hardin, CMC, Town of Branford, is retiring December 15. Donna joined FACC on September 19, 2005 and earned her CMC on April 28, 2009.

Congratulations on your retirement, Donna!

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### New FACC Members in November

**Armani Beaumont**  
Records Coordinator  
Town of Davie

**Krystal Bien**  
Town Clerk  
Town of Esto

**Kristen Bryant**  
Executive Assistant  
City of Gainesville

**Candace Cardillo**  
City Clerk Administration Coordinator  
City of Orlando

**Candice Hodges**  
City Clerk  
City of Vernon

**Katy Joyner**  
City Clerk  
City of Chattahoochee

**Katherin Kinzel**  
City Clerk  
City of Bowling Green

**Taylor Lochert**  
Support Services Administrator  
City of Ormond Beach

**Ashley Garcia**  
Administrative Specialist/  
Assistant Town Clerk  
Town of Lake Hamilton

**Carol Osborne**  
Deputy Town Clerk  
Town of Lady Lake

## FACC Scholarships



The Awards & Scholarships Committee is now accepting scholarship applications offered through the FACC. Please take advantage of this great opportunity to obtain assistance with the cost to attend an event. FACC offers four annual scholarships for members to use towards education and training as a municipal clerk.

**Application Deadline: January 31, 2022 at 5:00 p.m.**

Submit your application by January 31, 2023 at 5:00 p.m. directly to the Awards and Scholarship Chair: City Clerk Sharon Lauther, CMC, City of Mulberry  
[slauther@cityofmulberryfl.com](mailto:slauther@cityofmulberryfl.com) (do not send applications to the FACC Office).

[Click here](#) to view the criteria and application forms located on the FACC website for the following scholarships:

- FACC Dale Barstow Annual Scholarship
- FACC Fall Academy Kay O'Halloran Memorial Scholarship
- FACC Summer Conference and Academy Scholarship
- FACC's IIMC Annual Conference Scholarship

## 50th Anniversary Resolution/Proclamation



**As we continue to celebrate FACC's 50th anniversary, please ask your municipal council or commission to adopt a resolution or proclamation celebrating our anniversary.** Having this information before your council/commission for consideration will provide education regarding FACC for your elected officials, as well as the citizens of your municipality. We are all very proud of our professional association and the enrichment our membership provides for our daily lives; let's celebrate that and help our municipal officials understand the importance of this membership to our offices through continuing professional development. [Click here](#) for a sample resolution. Be sure to send a copy of your resolution/proclamation to FACC staff at [facc@flcities.com](mailto:facc@flcities.com).

**Thank you to the following municipalities who have submitted a resolution or proclamation!**

- Town of Astatula
- City of Atlantis
- City of Belleair Bluffs

- City of Belle Glade
- City of Boynton Beach
- City of Bradenton Beach
- Town of Branford
- City of Brooksville
- City of Cape Canaveral
- City of Clewiston
- City of Crescent City
- City of Dade City
- City of Dania Beach
- City of Davenport
- City of Daytona Beach
- City of Eagle Lake
- City of Fernandina Beach
- City of Fort Walton Beach
- City of Green Cove Springs
- City of Gulf Breeze
- Town of Gulf Stream
- Town of Highland Beach
- City of Holmes Beach
- Town of Howey-in-the-Hills
- City of Indian Harbour Beach
- Village of Indiantown
- Town of Juno Beach
- City of LaBelle
- City of Lake Alfred
- City of Lakeland
- City of Lake Worth Beach
- City of Leesburg
- Town of Longboat Key
- City of Mulberry
- City of New Port Richey
- City of Niceville
- City of North Lauderdale
- City of Palatka
- City of Palm Beach Gardens
- City of Palm Coast
- Town of Palm Shores
- Town of Ponce Inlet
- Town of St. Leo
- City of Stuart
- City of Temple Terrace
- Village of Tequesta
- City of Venice
- City of Wilton Manors

**From Our Partners - FLC**



The Florida League of Cities (FLC) and the John Scott Dailey Florida Institute of Government are proud to bring you the Institute for Elected Municipal Officials I (IEMO I). This educational program is specially designed for newly elected officials and those with less than one term in office.

**The Institute for Elected Municipal Officials I (IEMO I) program will take place on January 20-21, 2023 at the World Golf Village Renaissance St. Augustine Resort, 500 South Legacy Trail, St. Augustine, Florida 32092.**

**Who should attend IEMO?**

Created in 1992, the Institute for Elected Municipal Officials was designed to help elected officials in Florida's municipalities to effectively meet the requirements of their elected role. Its intensive academic program offers a comprehensive overview of Florida municipal government, presented by a faculty of top professionals in the field.

To learn more and to register, [click here](#). Register and reserve your hotel room before the hotel cutoff date of **December 19, 2022**.

Contact Angela Delune at [adelune@flcities.com](mailto:adelune@flcities.com) with any questions.

## Job Openings



[Click here](#) to browse current job openings on the FACC website.

## Upcoming Events

To view a list of all upcoming FACC Board of Directors Meetings, [click here](#).

**FACC Board of Directors Meeting, Via Zoom**

December 15, 2022  
10:30 a.m. ET

**Resolution Presentation, Belle Glade**

December 19, 2022

6:30 p.m. ET

Location: Belle Glade City Commission Meeting

110 Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd W

Belle Glade, FL 33430

FACC Southeast District Director Reneé Basel, CMC, Town Clerk, Town of Gulf Stream, will present FACC Past President/City Clerk Debra R. Buff, MMC, City of Belle Glade, with her retirement resolution.

### **IIMC 2023 Region III Conference, Isle of Palms, South Carolina**

February 14-17, 2023

Wild Dunes Resort

[Register Now](#)

### **IIMC 2023 Annual Conference, Minneapolis, Minnesota**

May 14-17, 2023

[Learn More](#)

### **FACC 2023 Summer Conference and Academy, St. Petersburg**

June 17-21, 2023

#FACCSummer2023

The Vinoy® Renaissance

Member Registration Rate: \$400

Hotel Room Rate Per Night: \$189

Registration opens in April 2023.

### **FACC 2023 Fall Academy, Daytona Beach Shores**

October 22-26, 2023

#FACCFall2023

The Shores Hotel

First/Second/Third Year Member Rate: \$400

Advanced (MMC) Member Rate: \$375

Hotel Room Rate Per Night: \$132

Registration opens in August 2023.



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