



michigan municipal league

# LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEES

Legislative committees serve Michigan Municipal League members by providing general direction and legislative policy recommendations to the Board of Trustees and League staff on a variety of local government issues as legislation is introduced. Our advocacy efforts depend on input from the five Policy Committees, typically consisting of 20-25 active participants each. The legislative committees are:

Energy & Environment  
Economic Development & Land Use  
Municipal Finance  
Transportation, Infrastructure & Technology  
Municipal Services

## Eligibility:

- Committee members must be current elected or appointed officials in League member communities.

## Term:

- Each committee member serves a two-year term, beginning in January of a new House of Representatives term.

## Expectations and Responsibilities:

- Attend a committee kick-off at the beginning of each term and 3-4 meetings per year at the League's Lansing office
- Provide feedback when necessary on Listserv

## Application Process:

- Every two years, typically in November, all MML members receive an email that includes an "interest form." Applicants are asked to rank their interest level for each committee on the form and return it by the specified date, usually in early January.

## Selection Process:

- The MML Board President, in collaboration with League advocacy staff, is responsible for appointing applicants to committees.
- Applicants are typically informed of their selection to a committee by mid-January.

## Staff Contact:

- General questions regarding legislative committees can be directed to:  
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