



Fact Sheet

The Michigan Women in Municipal Government (MWIMG) is a state-wide organization of women serving in local government that strives to advocate on critical issues while encouraging women to get involved in local government; to educate members by providing them with resources, training, and mentorship opportunities; and to support women in government service and those who should be.

The MWIMG Board of Directors is comprised of nine members who are tasked with administering and overseeing MWIMG initiatives.

Eligibility:

- Board members must be active MWIMG members in good standing.

Term:

- Each board member may serve three consecutive two year terms.

Expectations & Responsibilities:

- Manage the activities of MWIMG and participate in scheduled board meetings.
- Promote continuing education, networking, and support of opportunities for local women officials in Michigan.
- Contribute ideas and content, including speaker and panelist recommendations for sessions and events.
- Engage in MWIMG programming, including organizing and participating in MWIMG webinars and other events.
- Attend meetings or meetups in conjunction with the following events, as well as approximately five additional meetings:
 - March/April: MML Capital Conference & Legislative Action Day, Lansing
 - September/October: MML Annual Convention, various locations around the state
- Review the financial documents and participate in the approval of the organization's annual budget.

Application Process:

- Nominations for vacant positions are made by the nominating committee and may also be made from the floor at the meeting at which the election is held.
- To indicate interest in serving on the Board, interested candidates may notify Emily Kieliszewski and Heather Elliott (see contact information below).

Selection Process:

- Elections occur in each even-numbered year at the MWIMG meeting held during the annual MML Convention.
- Board members are elected by majority vote of the members present via secret ballot.

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