



**Mission:**

The Pennsylvania Municipal League **strengthens** and **empowers** effective local government through **advocacy, education, and support** for our members.



Pennsylvania Municipal  
**League**

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To The League Benefits Your  
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# STRENGTH THROUGH ENGAGEMENT

**Membership is open to cities, boroughs, townships, home rule communities and towns.**

**The League engages** Pennsylvania municipal leaders and lawmakers to strengthen local government and the communities you serve.

**The League is member driven** and governed by a board of locally elected officials and municipal management professionals from across the commonwealth.

**The League keeps you connected** to state and federal issues that are important to you and your municipality.

**The League provides programs and services** that give you, as local leaders, the tools and knowledge needed to better serve your community.

# MEMBER BENEFITS

# About Membership

## State & Federal Legislative Advocacy

- Promotes legislation that is beneficial to members
- Maintains an active, year-round presence in the State Capitol lobbying for municipal interests
- Protects the rights of members by participating in legal proceedings and by filing amicus curiae briefs on behalf of members
- Relationship with National League of Cities

## Research & Inquiry Service

This service provides members with data and information on a vast array of municipal topics. Members may request information and materials on municipal issues.

## Professional Development

### League Initiatives

- Annual Municipal Leadership Summit
- Legislative Conference
- Elected Officials Leadership Training
- Labor and Employment Law Conference
- Sustainability Conference
- Risk Management Conference

### Commonwealth Sponsored Initiatives Administered by The League

- PA Construction Codes Academy (PCCA)
- PA Training Hub (PATH)
- Floodplain Management



## Publications

- *Municipal Reporter* e-magazine – distributed 6 times/year
- League Link – bimonthly e-newsletter
- Legislative Locator – bimonthly legislative e-update

## Signature Programs & Services

- Public Employer Labor Relations Advisory Service (PELRAS) – provides training, a labor newsletter, and expert legal help at discounted rates.
- Municipal Utility Alliance (MUA) – assists municipalities in the procurement of electricity and natural gas, at a competitive rate through a preferred supplier.
- GrantFinder – a real-time, online searchable database of more than 7,400 eligible grants for which local governments may apply.
- Municipal Job Junction+ (MJJ+) – real-time job postings and classified advertisements at PML.org.
- Sustainable Pennsylvania Community Certification – free online certification system that provides a structure and performance platform for recognition of municipalities as they embrace sustainable policies and programs.
- Civics and You: Your Key to Pennsylvania Local Government – free e-book to supplement high school courses on the study of government and citizenship, providing a much-needed primer on Pennsylvania's rich history and system of government at the local and state levels.
- Local Public Procurement Program (L3P) – This service simplifies the purchasing process via assistance with commonwealth contracts, a quarterly contracts checklist, and information on a variety of statewide cooperative purchasing opportunities.

The League is a great resource for me, and I'm very proud that Altoona is a part of it. I get the most impact from networking with other elected officials from around Pennsylvania, but also with the vast amount of information The League provides to us with legislative updates, lobbying members of the General Assembly on issues that matter most to municipalities, and the numerous training opportunities and services that they offer. The League is valuable for any municipal official to be informed about everything going on in Harrisburg, and in other communities around the State.

**-Matthew Pacifico**  
Mayor, City of Altoona

## Municipal Insurance Trusts

*Designed specifically for Pennsylvania municipalities*

- **PennPRIME** Workers' Compensation
- **PennPRIME** Property & Liability
- **U•COMP** Unemployment Compensation

## Affiliates

Through member services and programs as well as secretariat services, The League reaches more than 1,100 local governments:

- Association for Pennsylvania Municipal Management (APMM)
- Pennsylvania State Association of Township Commissioners (PSATC)

## Corporate Partners

- Business Leaders Network (BLN)
- Associate Membership

**League Members receive a reduced membership fee when joining PennPRIME or U•COMP.**