



Announcing MMA's Legislative Breakfasts on September 15, 22 and 29

August 21, 2017

Dear Local Official,

The Massachusetts Municipal Association's fall Friday morning Legislative Breakfast meetings have been scheduled in cities and towns across the Commonwealth. Please be sure to register for meetings on September 15th, September 22nd, and September 29th.

We hope you can join us at a meeting near you and be part of a lively discussion with your legislators and MMA staff about state and local government in Massachusetts and important legislative and budget priorities for the year.

These meetings will occur at an important time, as state officials report on the challenging close to fiscal 2017, take a first good look at the stability of the fiscal 2018 budget adopted in July, and start thinking about next year's budget and local aid plan due in January. There are a lot of budget issues to talk about at the state, local, and federal levels. Our Legislative Breakfasts will also provide an opportunity for us to update local officials on many legislative issues, such as the revised recreational marijuana law signed by the governor in July, and several zoning and housing bills moving their way through the Legislature. The MMA has been keeping its finger on the pulse of these and many other local and federal issues, and we look forward to discussing them with you in September.

The breakfast meetings will be a great time to talk with area legislators, fellow municipal officials and MMA staff about new ideas for local government and key legislative initiatives. 2017 has been incredibly busy and exciting, and we want to be sure your communities have all the most up-to-date information. Please pick a meeting near you to attend and bring your good questions and best advice.

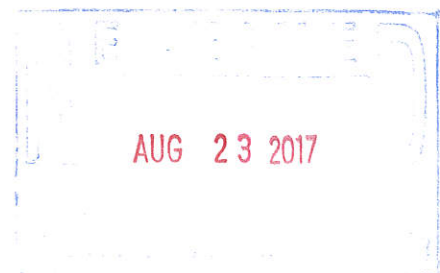
PLEASE SIGN UP TODAY! Register through www.mma.org or by contacting Vanessa Calaban at vcalaban@mma.org or 617-426-7272, ext. 121. And after you register, please call your Representatives and Senators and urge them to attend, too. We've sent them an invitation, but it will be very helpful for them to know you'll be there!

Thank you very much.

Sincerely,

Geoffrey C. Beckwith
Executive Director & CEO

Enclosure





2017 Fall Legislative Breakfast Meetings Please Register Now!

Please register online at www.mma.org or complete this registration form and send it to:
Vanessa Calaban, Massachusetts Municipal Association, One Winthrop Square, Boston, MA
02110, or by email to vcalaban@mma.org

Registrant's Name: _____

Municipality: _____

Job Title: _____

Phone Number: _____

Email Address: _____

Breakfast Location (Please check the meeting you will attend):

September 15th (registration deadline: September 8th)

- Marshfield**, School Administration Building, 76 South River Street
- Stockbridge**, Town Hall, 50 Main Street

September 22nd (registration deadline: September 15th)

- Northampton**, Police Station Community Room, 29 Center Street
- Stow**, Pomositticut Community Center, 509 Great Road

September 29th (registration deadline: September 22nd)

- Auburn**, Town Hall, 104 Central Street
- Rowley**, Town Hall, 139 Main Street

While the meetings are free, attendees are asked to register by the noted deadlines so the planners can have an accurate count for food and space. All legislative breakfast meetings will begin at **8:00 a.m.** and end by **10:00 a.m.**

THANK YOU FOR REGISTERING – WE LOOK FORWARD TO SEEING YOU THERE!