

CITY COUNCIL AGENDA ITEM

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Date: June 23, 2025

To: Honorable Mayor and City Council Members

From: Frank Nastasi, City Manager

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Subject: Standard Purchasing Resolution 10: Travel Authorization and Approval to Expend

Funds for Troy City Council Member Travel – 2025 Michigan Municipal League

Convention

History

In advance of conferences and workshops city council members have expressed interest, management prepares a standard purchasing resolution that will authorize the travel expenses that may be incurred.

Purchasing

Administrative memo 1-PU-9 "Travel Authorization and Approval to Expend Funds for Troy City Council Members' Travel Requests – Standard Purchasing Resolution 10" requires approval by resolution of travel by council members.

<u>Financial</u>

Registration for this event is \$650.00 plus any additional activities selected (see registration worksheet attached). Airfare or mileage, car rental, lodging and food are additional expenses that may be incurred. Funds are available in the 2025/26 General Fund – City Council – Education and Training account.

Recommendation

It is recommended that City Council authorize and approve the expenditure of funds on travel expenses for Council Members who wish to attendance this event.



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2025 MML Convention

Register

When and Where

Start Date 9/17/2025 9:00 AM EDT

End Date 9/19/2025 12:00 PM EDT

Location Amway Grand Plaza

The Michigan Municipal League's annual Convention brings together local officials, city managers, mayors, council members, municipal attorneys, and others for a three-day conference, giving them an opportunity to connect and learn about what's important in communities throughout Michigan.

Convention 2025 attendees will leave this year's event with:

- Activation Inspire communities to embrace new ideas.
- Empowerment Strive for prosperity, quality of life, trust, and belonging.
- Innovation Look at your communities with fresh eyes.
- Optimism Cultivate a positive outlook for the future.
- Tangible tools The information you need to take meaningful action.

Register by Email

Click here for a fillable PDF registration form

Cost Per Person

Early Bird Registration (on or before August 8)

- MML Full & Associate Members/BAP Participants: \$650
- Nonmember Government Entities/MML
 Fund & Pool Program Members: \$950

Regular Registration (after August 8)

- MML Full & Associate Members/BAP Participants: \$765
- Nonmember Government Entities/MML
 Fund & Pool Program Members: \$950

Onsite Registration (September 17-19)

- MML Full & Associate Members/BAP Participants: \$820
- Nonmember Government Entities/MML
 Fund & Pool Program Members: \$1000

Additional Registration Options

 Guest: \$275 (Includes attendance at the Wednesday lunch and welcome reception; Thursday breakfast, lunch and vendor reception; and Friday breakfast)

- Student: \$275
- First Time Attendee Lunch: Pre-registration required
- Michigan Association of Mayors (MAM)
 Affiliate Breakfast: Pre-registration required
- Michigan Black Caucus of Local Elected
 Officials (MBC-LEO) Affiliate
 Breakfast/Annual Meeting: Pre-registration
 required
- Michigan Women in Municipal Government (MWIMG) Affiliate Lunch: \$65

Education Tours

All Education Tours will take place on Wednesday, September 17, 10 a.m.–12 p.m.

- Rollin' On The (Grand) River \$15
- There's a New Use for That: Building
 Conversions that Create Housing \$15
- Community Led Design: AmplifyGR \$15
- A Greener Grand Rapids \$15
- Frederik Meijer Gardens Tour \$15

For the Convention agenda and program details, check the event webpage.

Registration Deadlines

Online registration and cancellation deadline is Monday, September 8th at 5:00 pm.