
Alabama City/County Management Association

WHO WE ARE

Founded in the late 1960s as the Alabama City Management Association, the ACCMA is a professional organization, whose mission is to advance professional management within Alabama's local governments and to support the professional development of its members. We became the Alabama City/County Management Association in 1997.

WHO MAY JOIN

Membership in ACCMA is extended to local government Administrators, Managers, Clerks, department heads, and the assistants of any of the aforementioned persons.

Associate memberships are available to city and county elected or appointed officials, including Mayors, Council Members, Probate Judges, Commission Chairpersons, and Commissioners as well as current members of the Alabama League of Municipalities, the Association of County Commissions of Alabama, and the International City/County Management Association.

Other professionals, students, and corporations, not previously mentioned, may also be considered for membership under the associate, student or corporate classifications.

MEMBERSHIP BENEFITS

- *Conferences:* Excellent educational programs tailored to enhance the knowledge and application of management skills and to update and review current local government issues. Conferences are held in the summer and fall of each year.
- *Website:* Convenient computer access to ACCMA at www.accma-online.org where association data, conference details, membership information, related news, interactive bulletin board, and government-related links are always available.
- *Scholarship Program:* Availability of ACCMA conference scholarships to MPA students attending colleges and universities throughout Alabama.
- *Membership Directory:* Contact information for each ACCMA member encourages member-to-member support and interaction.
- *Official ACCMA Lapel Pin:* Attractive lapel pin signifies acceptance and participation in the ACCMA.
- *Certificate of Membership:* Ready-to-frame certificate acknowledges the commitment of membership.
- *Resources:* Communication with other professionals from Alabama's city and county governments provides an excellent resource for the exchange of ideas, expertise, and experiences.

WHO PROFESSIONAL MANAGERS ARE

First, and foremost, professional managers are just people. Their primary responsibility is to keep cities, towns, and counties running smoothly. They are highly trained and experienced men and women who are committed to meeting the challenges set before them.

Professional managers provide supervision of department heads, administration of personnel, management of public funds and annual budgets, implementation of programs and policies, and coordination of day-to-day services and operations.

Professional managers work closely with elected officials to strengthen the quality of local government through professional management.

Above all, professional managers bring to their communities a commitment to maintaining the public trust and confidence in local government.



*The ACCMA Officers and
Board Members Invite You
To Become a Part of the
Solution!*

JOIN ACCMA TODAY

An application may be obtained through the ACCMA official website: www.accma-online.org or by contacting the Association directly at:

GEDI
213 Extension Hall
Auburn, AL 36849
(334) 844-4782 phone
(334) 844-1919 fax

SCHOLARSHIPS

Are you a graduate student in a MPA or Masters of Community Planning program and are considering a career as a city, town, or county manager or administrator? If so, contact the ACCMA today to find out more about the scholarship opportunities

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