# **2021** Municipal Accounting and Finance Conference

**Webinar Series** 

June 15-17 & June 22-24, 2021



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MUNICIPAL TREASURERS: The League will let you know as soon as the State Auditor's Office informs us of the number of webinars (hours) eligible to comply with the annual continuing education requirements for municipal treasurers as mandated in LB 781, passed in 2020.

## **Tentative Conference Program (subject to change)**

#### Preconference Webinar

#### Tuesday, June 15, 2021

2-3:30 pm Learn How Your Municipality Can Limit Its Workers' Compensation Liability This Preconference Webinar is sponsored by the League Association of Risk Management (LARM). David Dudley, Attorney, Baylor Evnen

#### **Conference Webinars**

#### Wednesday, June 16, 2021

- 2-3 pm Budget Update: Budget Forms, Lid Laws and Related Issues for FY 21-22 Deann Haeffner, CPA, Assistant Deputy Auditor, Nebraska Auditor of Public Accounts' Office Christy Abraham, Legal Counsel, LNM
- 3:15-4:15 pm State Auditor Review of Case Studies on the "Do's and Don'ts" of Tax Increment Financing (TIF) Craig Kubicek, CPA, CFE, Assistant Deputy, Nebraska Auditor of Public Accounts' Office

#### Thursday, June 17, 2021

- 2-3 pm State Auditor's Requirements for Properly Approving Claims, Including Payroll; Use of Credit Cards; Etc. Craig Kubicek, CPA, CFE, Assistant Deputy, Nebraska Auditor of Public Accounts' Office Dakota Christensen, CPA, Nebraska Auditor of Public Accounts' Office
- 3:15-4:15 pm How to Bring Higher Internet Speeds to Your City or Village Loel Brooks, Co-Founder, Universal Broadband Consulting Dwight "Doc" Wininger, Director of External Relations, ALLO Lash Chaffin, Utilities Section Director, LNM

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#### Tuesday, June 22, 2021

2-3 pm Sales Tax Reporting Requirements Steve Drzaic, Revenue Educator, Nebraska Dept. of Revenue

3:15-4:15 pm League Legislative Update L. Lynn Rex, Executive Director, LNM

#### Wednesday, June 23, 2021

# **2-4 pm Update on the "American Rescue Plan (ARP) Act"** (As with the CARES Act, it is important to have the most updated information.):

- 1) **Summary of Provisions:** Grant calculations, small cities cap, two years of funding, spending deadline, etc.;
- 2) Eligible Expenditures in ARP Act and Guidance from the U.S. Department of the Treasury;
- **3)** Federal Regulations: Allowable transfers, restrictions, requirements, periodic reports and accounting; and
- 4) Frequently Asked Questions.

*Irma Esparza Diggs*, Senior Executive and Director, Federal Advocacy, National League of Cities (NLC)

#### Thursday, June 24, 2021

2-3 pm LB 644 (B. Hansen): Learn more about the provisions of the "Property Tax Request Act" passed in the 2021 session. *Christy Abraham, Legal Counsel, LNM* 

3:15-4:15 pm Update on the Open Meetings Act, Including Provisions Changed by LB 83E (Flood) Passed in the 2021 Session L. Lynn Rex, Executive Director, LNM

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#### **Delegate Registration**

Municipality:	
Name:	
Title:	
First League Conference? Yes No	
Check #	enclosed for \$
Billing address:	
Phone:	Email:
Preconference Webinar: Wednesday, June 15 (Includes electronic handbook) Per municipal official	\$95
Conference Webinars: June 16-17 and 22-24 (Includes electronic handbook) Per municipal official	\$325
Conference Total: \$	

Mail registration and payment to: League of Nebraska Municipalities, 1335 L Street, Lincoln, NE 68508 or fax 402-476-7052

Online registration and payment is available at https://www.lonm.org/education-events/event-calendar.html/calendar/2021/6.

Webinars will be recorded and available only to conference delegates until July 9, 2021.