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TO: TN Municipal Attorneys and Practitioners
FROM: Becky Dykes, TMAA President
RE: Membership Dues Statement
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As the New Year 2025 begins, I urge you to join and support the only organization in the state formed by and for city attorneys and municipal practitioners. Please send in your modest membership dues. Your dues statement is enclosed. To pay your dues online, click: <http://www.tmaa.us/membership> and follow instructions.

In addition, **the International Municipal Lawyers Association continues to give a significant price break on its membership dues for small cities (population less than 2,500)**. These cities can become IMLA members for only \$50.00 per year, as opposed to the normal \$375.00. IMLA provides significant services and training opportunities for municipal attorneys. If your city qualifies, just send in the extra \$50.00 with your TMAA dues as indicated on the invoice and TMAA will submit your City's membership application to IMLA..

Here are some other reasons to be a TMAA member:

- **Continuing Legal Education.** TMAA does CLE programs specifically for municipal practitioners. The Association generally does two (2) programs each year, one in Winter and one in Summer, providing about 6.5 hours of CLE credit, with 1.5 hours of ethics/dual credit. Registration fees for members are very reasonable, and the programs are consistently excellent.
- **E-mail Forum.** A computer e-mail forum sponsored by TMAA offers an opportunity to share information with and pose questions to municipal attorneys throughout Tennessee by sending a single e-mail message.
- **Municipal Policy and Legislation.** Membership provides the ability to affect municipal policy and legislation through affiliation with the TML and case law through *amicus* briefs filed by the Association.

I urge you to join TMAA and send in your 2025 membership dues today.