The Michigan Association of Municipal Attorneys (MAMA) is a specialized organization that provides a variety of services for municipal attorneys practicing in Michigan. Since its inception, MAMA has provided educational programs and information sharing designed for attorneys in public and private practice who counsel Michigan’s local communities.

The MAMA Board of Directors is comprised of a maximum of 11 people.

Eligibility:

- Board members must hold the position of the designated city and/or village attorney in their communities and be an active member of MAMA.

Term:

- Each board member serves a term of three years and may serve an unlimited number of terms.

Expectations and Responsibilities:

- Participate in conference call meetings held regularly
- Attend two association meetings per year, including in conjunction with the MML Capital Conference in Lansing, and MML Convention held at various locations in the fall.

Application Process:

- A nominating committee, selected by the president, makes nominations to the Board and to officer positions.
- Nominations for Board positions may also be made from the floor at the Annual Meeting.
- Interested candidates may contact William Mathewson, Secretary Treasurer, to notify the Board of interest in serving (see contact information below).
- Factors considered by the nominating committee: geographic location and size of the municipality represented and whether the applicant is in-house or is a member of a law firm.

Selection Process:

- Elections are held at the Annual Meeting, typically occurring in the fall, by a majority vote of the MAMA members in attendance.

Staff Contact:

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