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President's Message

Karin Johnson, MMC, City Recorder, Independence

I hope everyone enjoyed their holidays. I sure did - nothing better than being with family!

I was so excited to represent OAMR at the Alaska Association of Municipal Clerks' (AAMC) conference. The conference was the first week of December, in Anchorage – and the weather did not disappoint! Lots of snow and some days with sunshine.

The theme for this year's conference was "It Takes GRIT To Be A Clerk: Growth, Resilience, Integrity and Tenacity". AAMC opened their conference with a Land Acknowledgment – recognizing the peoples who lived there prior to the settlement of Europeans and others. They shared a link to a website where you can enter a zip code and get a list of the indigenous peoples that inhabited that area – it even worked for my zip code in Independence. They had excellent sessions, good food, and fun after-hours entertainment.

The Region II holiday gathering was cancelled due to snow; I hope to attend (or have attended!) the rescheduled time. If your region holds meetings, please let me know – I would enjoy coming and seeing everyone!

At the November 10, 2022 Board meeting, Cindy Hughes, Jennifer Gray, and Karen Howton were officially appointed and approved to fill the vacant Region Director V, VI, and VII positions. Due to holidays and scheduling conflicts, we were finally able to hold a Zoom "Oath of Office" day on December 13, and got them sworn in! Thank you to these fabulous women for volunteering to fill these important positions. I look forward to a great year!

The OAMR Board will have its first meeting on the Strategic Plan implementation on January 12 at 1:00 pm (via Zoom). All members are welcome to attend; be looking for the Zoom link a few days prior. The Board will begin working as the oversight committee, and will begin looking to: 1) develop the roles and responsibilities of the committee; 2) review OAMR governance; and 3) prioritize actions.

Be sure to save the dates – Mid-Year will be here before we know it! April 6 & 7 at Spirit Mtn. Lodge for the Athenian Dialogue and Mid-Year Academy. Committee and board meetings will be held on the afternoon of April 5.

Karin

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AAMC Conference, Anchorage



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Region 9 Presidents (L-R):
Marc Donohue (CCAC), Brenda Ballou (AAMC),
Shawn Penland (WMCA), Karin Johnson (OAMR)



Apparently, the locals could tell we were tourists



Fairbanks City Hall. Taken at 9:00 am in the morning!

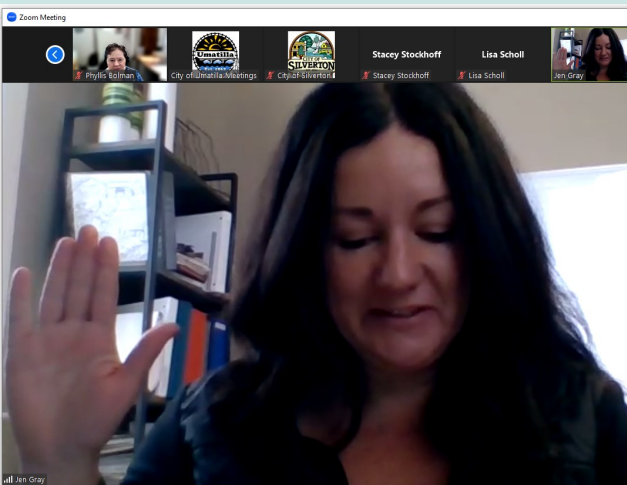
**Region V, VI, and VII Directors were sworn in on December 13, 2022
by President Karin Johnson, MMC, filling three vacancies.**



Karin Johnson, MMC, Independence
OAMR President



Cindy Hughes, CMC, Eagle Point
Region V Director



Jennifer Gray, Hood River
Region VI Director



Karen Howton, CMC, Island City
Region VII Director





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CALL TO LEADERSHIP

(Nomination/Candidacy Deadline: Friday, June 2, 2023, 5:00 p.m.)

By: Christie Teets, Nominating Committee Chair

At the September 2023 OAMR business meeting, the membership will be asked to elect officers for the 2023-24 term. Offices of Second Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer, and Directors for Regions II, IV, and VI will be up for election.

Please consider applying for OAMR leadership roles. Our organization gives so much to its members and serving on the Board is a very rewarding way to give back to a fabulous organization. OAMR provides a leadership mentoring program, so if you are feeling like you need a mentor to assist with Board development, a mentor can be assigned to you.

Below is a brief summary of the job description for positions available. (You can find complete descriptions on our website at www.oamr.org. Click on "ABOUT OAMR", scroll down to "Board", and then choose "Officer's" or "Region Directors".)

The office of **Second Vice President** is a four-year commitment beginning with the position of Second Vice President and succeeding to First Vice President, President, and Immediate Past President. The responsibilities of Second Vice President include: Chair Special Projects/Fund Raising Committee; Solicit quotes from lodging/conference facilities; Act as First Vice President in the absence of First Vice President; Serve as a member of the Budget Committee, etc.

The office of the **Treasurer** is a two-year term. You'll receipt all monies received by OAMR; Deposit to OAMR bank account(s); Pay bills, and make reimbursements; Maintain and reconcile bank statements; Send annual dues notice to OAMR members; Prepare quarterly annual financial reports; and Serve on Budget Committee, etc.

The office of **Secretary** is a two-year term. The responsibilities of Secretary include; Attend all Board meetings and OAMR Annual Conference; Keep the minutes of all meetings of the OAMR Board and Annual Business Meeting; Keep official copy of the OAMR Bylaws; Serve as OAMR Records Officer; Maintain current list of names/address of all officers and committee members; Work with Historical Preservation Chair to ensure that the history of the Association is kept current; Produce correspondence as required by the President, etc.

The term of office for **Region Directors** is two years. Duties shall include, but are not limited to:

- Attendance at all Board meetings and conferences
- Encouraging membership in both OAMR and IIMC
- Encouraging attendance at OAMR mid-year and annual conferences
- Contributing articles and/or information for inclusion in the OAMR quarterly newsletter
- Coordinating region basket for fundraising at conference
- Writing letters of support for members applying for their CMC designation

Region Director Positions up for election include (covering cities located within the listed counties):

Region II: Clackamas, Multnomah, Washington, and Yamhill counties

Region IV: Lane and Douglas counties

Region VI: Hood River, Sherman, Wasco, Jefferson, Crook, and Deschutes counties

General eligibility criteria are that you must be an active member in good standing and have actively participated on an OAMR committee for two years within the past four years prior to taking office.

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If you are interested in submitting your name as a candidate for any of the above positions, please complete the following steps, and submit a completed application to the Nominating Committee Chair by Friday, June 2, 2023, at 5:00pm.

- Declaration of Candidacy Form
- Candidate Statement
- Letter of Support from the Mayor or municipality you represent
- Recent Photograph (high quality digital)
- Copies of OAMR certificates issued for participation on OAMR Committees for two years, within the past four years.

Information will be provided for publication in the OAMR Newsletter, as well as the Annual Conference program. Elections will be conducted in accordance with Article VI of the OAMR Bylaws at the Annual Conference.

Christie Teets, City Recorder
OAMR Nominating Committee Chair
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Julie Fisher, Sweet Home

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Laural Casey, District Recorder at Oak Lodge Water Services, earns CMC

Laural Casey has been an OAMR member since 2016, and a full member since 2020. She has been with the Oak Lodge Water Services District for three years. Before that she worked for amazing recorders in Tualatin and Lake Oswego.

Laural has been a member of the Conference Committee and Records Management Committee since 2020. She is a brand-new member of the Internet and Education Committees. Besides committee service, she attends conferences and checks the listserv emails daily to help wherever she can.

Her advice to other recorders about certification is to use IIMC Certification Manager Kellie Siggson's expertise. She is really friendly. Also, turn your certificates in for points on a regular basis. Kellie doesn't mind, and it means you won't forget anything.

About OAMR in general, Laural's advice is to attend everything, not just the big events. Everyone has been patient with her wallflower tendencies. She knows it can be intimidating to join in, but it is worth it.

Laural's professional goals are to obtain her MMC and CRM certifications. Personally, she travels a lot. Two of her travel goals are to (a) visit each continent at least once, and (b) visit every one of the 63 US National Parks.

When asked what she considers some of her outstanding achievements, she responded that achieving her CMC feels pretty good right now, and definitely makes the list.

Laurel's activities outside OAMR and work including being a book worm and spending a lot of time with her four pets – two cats and two dogs. When she is not reading, puzzling, or playing board games with friends, she enjoys recreational cycling and kayaking. She can get a little competitive when bowling.

Congratulations, Laural!



SAVE THE DATE

You are invited:

Annual Academy and Conference

September 20-22, 2023

Mid-Year Academy

April 6-7, 2023

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Region I News

Lisa Scholl, MMC, Deputy City Recorder, St. Helens, Region I Director

Winter Greetings from Region I, located in the northwest corner of Oregon! I hope you were able to take time over the holidays to do whatever brings you joy; whether that includes spending time with family, getting away to a warmer climate, or relaxing on a silent night.

We had to postpone our holiday gathering, but hope to connect after the new year.

Welcome New Neighbors!

Brittney Johnson, Deputy City Recorder, Warrenton. City Recorder Dawne Shaw, CMC, is very happy to have Brittney join her team!

Region I News!

St. Helens Update: Industry has been at the heart of the City's waterfront and its economy up until the remaining mills closed in the early 2000s. As the jobs disappeared from the heart of the city, so did many of the people, and the historic downtown has grown quieter. A large stretch of riverfront property with direct access to the Columbia River remained vacant and fenced off from community access under private ownership.

This property is located in an area that unites key elements of historical, cultural, civic, economic, and natural significance for the St. Helens community. The land ties together the City's historic Riverfront District to the north, direct access to the Columbia River and Multnomah Channel to the east, residential districts to the west, and the City's largest remaining piece of available industrial land to the south.

In 2015, the City acquired two waterfront properties, the former Veneer Mill site (approximately 24 acres) and the former Paper Mill site (approximately 204 acres). These properties, in conjunction with the City's wastewater treatment plant property (50 acres), make up the three adjacent properties that create the overall Waterfront Redevelopment Project.

The City has since been dedicated to reclaiming the waterfront so that it may serve the community in new ways, paying homage to both the past and the future by creating new amenities that can attract both new employers and residents to St. Helens.

A groundbreaking ceremony was held in November 2022 for a Streets and Utilities Extension Project as part of





Region II News

Scott Stauffer, CMC, City Recorder, Milwaukie, Region II Director

Season's Greetings OAMR Friends! Happy new year to you and yours! We hope you had a wonderful holiday and that your 2023 is off to a glorious start. It was wonderful seeing you all at conference in September. A lot of happenings around Region II – see updates below. We weren't able to get together in December 2022, but as of the writing of this report, we're hopeful to get together as a region in early '23. We look forward to seeing you all at mid-year soon! Be well, neighbors!

Welcome & Congratulations Neighbors!

Since our last report, Region II has welcomed Angelique Nomie, Assistant City Recorder at Oregon City! Congratulations to Lake Oswego's Kari Linder on becoming an Athenian Fellow in September!

Region II News

Oak Lodge Water Services becomes Authority, marking a second first for OAMR Member

For two years Oak Lodge Water Services (OLWS, which serves the unincorporated area between Milwaukie and Gladstone along OR-99E/McLoughlin Blvd.) has worked towards becoming a joint water and sanitary authority. In December, the process was finalized with the dissolution of the old special district. What does that mean? Well, the primary goal of the governance change was lasting boundary security, which is now in place. Thankfully, OAMR member Laural Casey's day-to-day looks the same, but it is not very often that you can be the very first Recorder for two entities within a span of three years. Meanwhile, staff are celebrating overcoming the legislative odds and adjusting to the fact that "district" was dropped from the authority's official name. If you have questions about the legislative process of special district governance changes, reach out to Laural - who now has a real niche set of skills. *Congrats Laural and OLWS!*

Next Use for Historic Milwaukie City Hall Selected

In 2020, the City of Milwaukie completed the [purchase of a newer building on Main Street](#) to serve as the City's fourth city hall. The City anticipates that staff will occupy the new city hall in late 2023. With the purchase of a new city hall building, the City Council appointed a [City Hall Blue Ribbon Committee \(CHBRC\)](#) who helped formulate community input on the future use of the current city hall building and in fall 2022 the City undertook a request for proposals (RFP) process. As of the date of this report, a bid review panel had identified Henry Point Development as the winning proposal to write city hall's next chapter. To learn more about the RFP process and the selected proposal for the current city hall's next step, visit <https://engage.milwaukieoregon.gov/city-hall-next-phase>.

Region II Jobs

A regular part of our weekly Region II emails is sharing information about local government job openings. To stay in the know on current positions check out OAMR's jobs page (<https://www.oamr.org/jobs>) and the League of Oregon Cities' (LOC's) jobs page (<https://www.orcities.org/resources/programs-and-services/government-jobs>).



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Region III News

Gloria Tucker, Administrative Assistant, Port of Newport, Region III Director

Winter is here. For some of us that means rain and for others rain and snow. Be sure to get your dose of sunshine when you can, whether that's out of a full spectrum lightbulb or a break in the clouds. I thoroughly enjoyed seeing your creativity and sense of fun this October. I look forward to participating next year since the Port will have a building to decorate. Our new Administrative Building will be completed in January.



Albany (Best Theme)



Gervais (Best Costume)



Jefferson (Most Gothic)



Philomath (Most Spirited)

This fall, Albany completed a Cassette Tape project. Using an old tape recorder and some free software they digitized their cassette recordings of old executive sessions and advisory board meetings. It cleared up a lot of space and allowed them to preserve the quality of the recording. They are happy to talk about it with anyone who wants to do something similar.





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Region IV News

Kitty Vodrup, MMC, City Recorder, Junction City, Region IV Director

Greetings and Happy Holidays from Region IV!

Region IV had a wonderful holiday lunch meeting on Friday, December 16, 2022 in Cottage Grove. 14 members were able to attend, and we discussed OAMR Board updates, future OAMR conferences, training possibilities, fun gathering ideas, and next Christmas lunch meeting location. We also had an ornament exchange and enjoyed being together.



Ornament Exchange – Amy opening her gift



(Left to right) Grace, Grace, Melanie, Trudy, Debbie, Roberta, Mindy, Kitty, Tere, Diane, Koree, Amy, Lindsey, and Allyson

Retired Recorders: Trudi Borrevik, Debbie Hamilton, and Roberta Tharp





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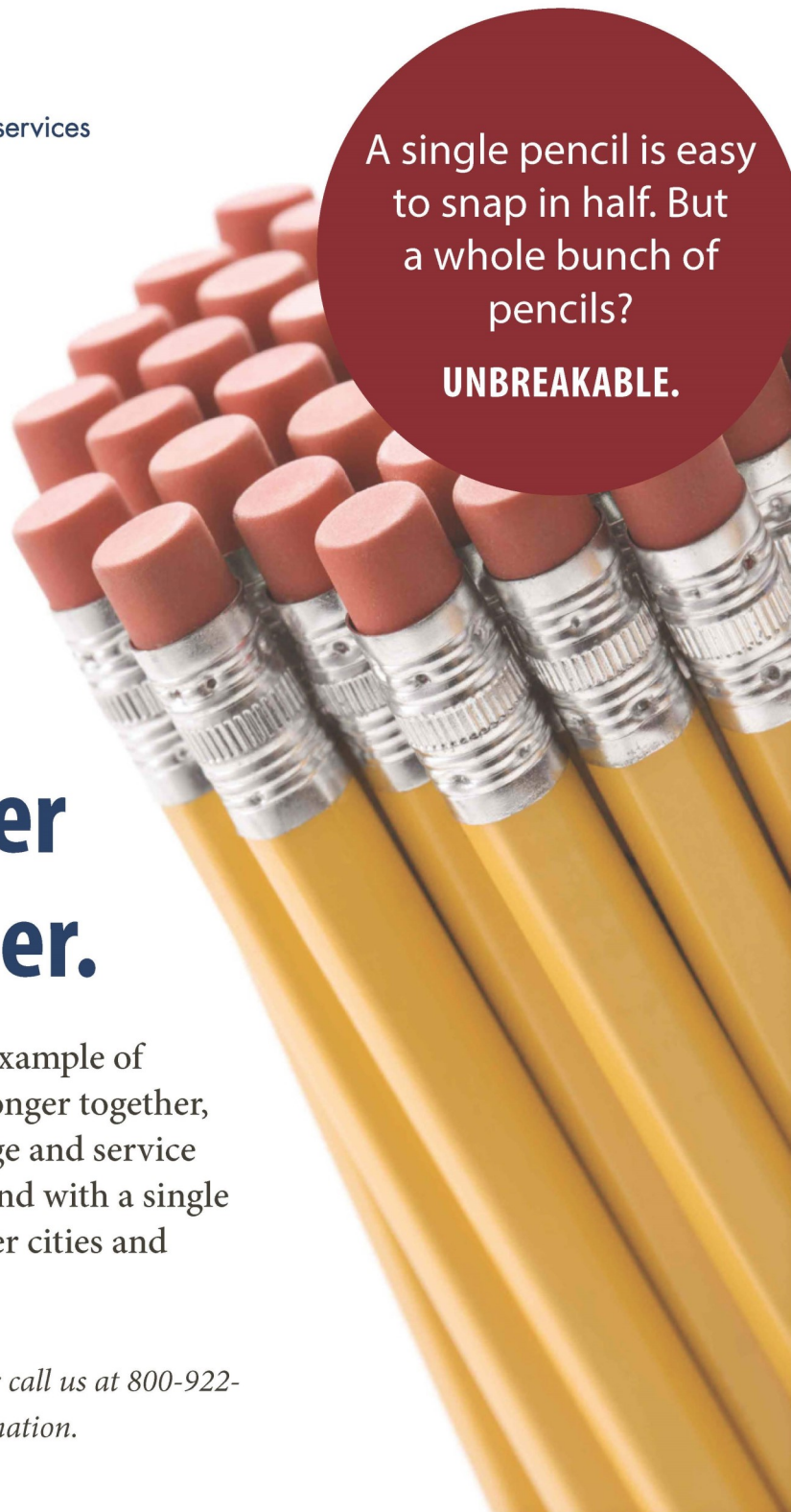
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May 14 – May 17, 2023

10 CMC/MMC Education Points Available

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Minneapolis shares the “Twin Cities” moniker with Minnesota’s capital city, St. Paul and is renowned as the perfect blend of natural beauty and urban sophistication. Home of a chain of lakes, the mighty Mississippi, and 200 miles of walking and biking within the city limits, steps from a vibrant arts and music scene, shopping, and museums.

The 77th IIMC Annual Conference will take place in the Loring Park neighborhood of Minneapolis. Loring Park is one of the largest parks in the city and location of the Walker Art Center. Since 1940, the Walker Art Center has been a Minneapolis institution and one of the most visited modern and contemporary art museums in the country. The interdisciplinary exhibits are enriched by a roof-top terrace--with mini golf in the summer, plazas, and gardens. Across the street, the Minneapolis Sculpture Garden is the largest urban sculpture park in the world, featuring some 40 works of contemporary art, including the city’s iconic Spoonbridge and Cherry that is open year-round and free to visit.



78th Annual Conference
Calgary, Alberta, Canada
 Sunday, May 19 thru Wednesday, May 22, 2024



79th Annual Conference
St. Louis, MO
 Sunday, May 18 thru Wednesday, 21, 2025



80th Annual Conference
Reno, NV
 Sunday, May 17 thru Wednesday, May 21, 2026

Scholarship Committee Report

Courteney Davis, Deputy City Recorder, Reedsport

OAMR will be holding its mid-year conference on April 6, 2023 at Spirit Mountain Casino & Lodge in Grande Ronde. This one-day event is packed full of rewarding educational opportunities for both the seasoned recorder and those new to the profession.

OAMR offers its members a scholarship opportunity to attend the mid-year conference. Like all OAMR scholarship, this is reimbursement based upon completion of the conference. Members can submit a scholarship application from **January 1 through February 28, 2023**. Once received the Scholarship Committee will score each application and render its decisions by sending each applicant a letter via the email provided on their application.

A second education opportunity coming up is the Professional Development courses provided through the Northwest Clerks Institute. The Northwest Clerks Institute provides a comprehensive curriculum in public administration management, technical skills, professional/personal development, and much more. The Institute experience is a unique combination of state-of-the-art classroom training, high impact networking, and one-on-one mentoring with municipal leaders and instructors. The program focuses on issues critical to increasing effectiveness in the public sector and the professional Clerk's role in those processes. The professional friendships you will develop at the Northwest Clerks Institute will prove invaluable over the course of your career. All courses will be returning to in-person this year and are held at the University of Puget Sound in Tacoma, Washington. OAMR will be accepting scholarship applications for Professional Development **from January 1 through March 31, 2023**.

Professional Development I: June 5-10, 2022

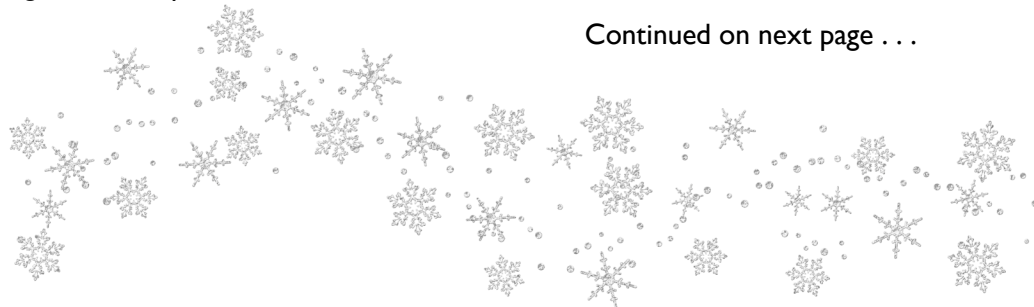
Professional Development II: June 12-17, 2022

Professional Development III: June 19-24, 2022

Professional Development IV: June 13-16, 2022

Scholarships are for registration costs only, unless the applicant is a first-time attendee for the Northwest Clerks Institute (PDI-III) (excluding the Master Academy). First-time attendees are eligible for a scholarship to cover the registration fee and lodging (up to 3 nights) at a designated location. The applicant must indicate whether they are requesting the registration fee only or registration fee and lodging and will need to specify how many nights of lodging they are requesting. Scholarships are non-transferable.

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Scholarship applications should be submitted only during the scholarship phase you wish to apply for. Try not to reuse old scholarship applications, as committee chairs change as well as contact information so please make sure you are using the most up-to-date application. Also be aware of the deadlines for scholarships so you are not late. OAMR asks that all scholarship applications be complete with the required documents included at the time of submission. A completed application package includes the signed application, a letter of support from a current supervisor, city manager and/or mayor showing financial need and that the employer is willing to provide support, either partially or in full, for the applicant for lodging and meals, travel expense reimbursement and work time to attend the event.

If you are applying for more than one scholarship throughout the year, you will need to submit one application per scholarship for consideration. If you have any questions regarding the requirements or information being asked for, please reach out to your scholarship chair.

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Local Government Spring Conference

April 25-26, 2023 in Seaside

The LOC's 2023 Local Government Spring Conference will be held at the Seaside Convention Center. This two-day event will be a great opportunity for public officials from around the state to network and learn about issues impacting all cities. Look for more information in early 2023 at www.orcities.org.



Membership Committee

Phyllis Bolman, MMC, City Recorder, Monmouth



Welcome New Members

On behalf of the Membership Committee, please join us in extending a warm welcome to our new members.

REGION I

Brittney Johnson, Deputy City Recorder, City of Warrenton

REGION II

Elizabeth Gallagher, Deputy City Recorder, City of Newport, has had a career in local government for over two decades. She worked as a small town police officer and after retirement she worked for a small city public library system in Virginia as the Safety, Security and Operations/Project Management Specialist.

Elizabeth says she needs the most help with the legal requirements and basis for procedures so she can have a solid understanding of the processes, policies, and procedures of the position.

Elizabeth was born in Portland and spent most of her life in western Washington before moving to Virginia for a few years. She decided to move back to Oregon to be close to her father who lives in Newport. She is happy to be back in the Northwest!

She loves to read, be outdoors, cook and bake, and spend time with her husband and two dogs. Elizabeth enjoys making chocolate confections and had a business in Virginia. Her primary chocolate treat is hot cocoa bombs and she also makes apple cider bombs!

REGION V

Maycie Jaehnig, City Recorder, City of North Bend, worked as a dispatcher for the North Bend Police Department before being hired as the City Recorder. She joined OAMR because her City Administrator told her that OAMR is full of helpful resources!

Maycie says she will need the most help with deciphering types of records and their retention schedules.

She was born and raised on the Oregon Coast and is recently married. She has a lot of pets that keep her busy “in the absence of children (for now).” Maycie is an amateur ceramicist (throwing clay on a pottery wheel) and homebody, who loves to garden and cook.

Welcome new members!

Is your photo included on the OAMR website [Member Roster](#)?

If not, please log in to the and edit your profile to include your photo. These are very helpful for the Historical Preservation Committee and the Newsletter Committee.

Mentoring Committee Report

Sylvia Murphy, MMC, City Recorder, Sherwood

2022-23 COMMITTEE MEMBERS

Susan Reeves, MMC, City of Scappoose; Phyllis Bolman, MMC, City of Monmouth; Karen Howton, CMC, City of Island City; Alex McHadded, City of Sodaville; Amber Ames, MMC, City of Hillsboro; Cathy Nelson, MMC, City of Harrisburg; Kimberly Veliz, CMC, City of Wilsonville; Allison Liesse, CMC, City of Albany; Cindy Hughes, CMC, City of Eagle Point; Angie Lanter, MMC, City of Banks; Amber Mathiesen, MMC, Mid-Willamette Valley Council of Governments; Amy Sowa, MMC, City of Roseburg; Peggy Hawker, MMC, City of Newport.

COMMITTEE ACTIVITY

The 2022-23 Mentoring Committee gained new membership this year after the fall conference, and lost a few valued members, nonetheless the current membership is strong. To date, the Committee has received one request for a mentor. Many thanks to the Committee members for their dedication and support and willingness to embrace a mentee and fellow OAMR member.

We look forward to continuing to provide support and expertise to the OAMR membership. Please do not hesitate to seek support or assistance from a mentor by contacting me, Sylvia Murphy, Mentoring Committee Chair, at Murphys@Sherwoodoregon.gov. In addition, the Committee is always accepting members, so if you have knowledge to share, please consider being a member of the Committee.

Whether you're a mentor or a mentee we have all seen the benefits of the communications within the OAMR listserv. There will always be something we encounter that is new, unfamiliar, or we just want another perspective. OAMR is a great team and the membership is unsurpassed.

Have a wonderful 2023! Be safe and be well!

Sylvia Murphy, MMC, City Recorder, City of Sherwood
Mentoring Committee Chair

If you would like to view photos/ screenshots from the 2022 Annual Academies, ALD, or Business Meeting, please [click here](#).

To share photos you captured, please email them to Historical Preservation Committee Chair Gloria Tucker at gtucker@portofnewport.com. She will upload them to the photo album for all members to enjoy.

What happened?
What did they decide?

Have you ever wondered what your OAMR Board does during their meetings? Well, the minutes of all their meetings, including their e-meetings, are posted on the OAMR website at <http://www.oamr.org/board-agendas-and-minutes>. You must log in to view these documents. If you have any questions, contact Secretary Kim Wollenburg at recorder@cityofdepoebay.org



Recorder's World

Allison Liesse, CMC, City Clerk, Albany

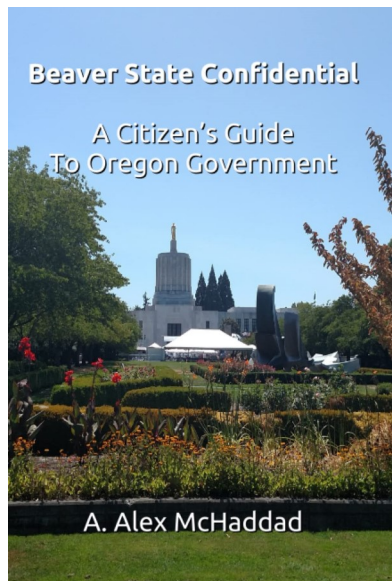
Alex McHaddad, Sodaville City Recorder, is also an Author

Sodaville City Recorder Alex McHaddad has a passion for history and politics. Born in Nashville, Tennessee, and raised in Los Angeles, Alex came to Eastern Oregon University in 2014, and fell in love with Oregon. Now his combined interests have resulted in the publication of a book, *Beaver State Confidential: A Citizen's Guide to Oregon Government*. In Alex's words, "Part history, part current affairs, part memoir, *Beaver State Confidential* is a love letter to the land of craft beer, endless forests, and towering mountains that we call home."

Alex tinkered with the book over the years but only got serious about publishing it this fall, filling it with photos he's taken all over the state. "Creative writing has been my main hobby since elementary school, and I published my debut novel, *Ignoble*, in February 2022. Intended to be the first in a trilogy, *Ignoble* is a Middle Eastern-inspired fantasy that I used to explore my own Arab heritage."

Alex got his start in government in January 2015 when he went to the state capitol as part of EOU's delegation to an Oregon Student Association Lobby Day. Since then, he's lobbied in the Capitol for various causes including higher education, rural poverty reduction, telecommunications, and redistricting. The final chapter of *Beaver State Confidential* is a memoir of his efforts to pass telecommunications legislation in 2019 as the manager of Oregon's only TV translator district. During that effort, he discovered that 75% of state legislators had at least one constituent or business who owned property that would be affected by his legislation, so he had an automatic in to meet with most of that session's legislators.

Alex says, "Despite my love for state government, my real passion has long been in local government, as I find the most work gets done at the local level. As much history is written at City Council meetings as in the halls of Congress, and I love being a witness to Oregon's history."



2021-2022 OAMR BOARD

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