

VILLAGE OF DOWNERS GROVE
REPORT FOR THE VILLAGE COUNCIL MEETING
JULY 17, 2012 AGENDA

| SUBJECT: | TYPE: | SUBMITTED BY: |
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| Membership Renewal – DuPage Mayors and Managers Conference | Resolution Ordinance ✓ Motion Discussion Only | April Holden Village Clerk |

SYNOPSIS

A motion is requested to renew membership dues for the DuPage Mayors and Managers Conference (DMMC) for FY12-13 in the amount of \$36,776.40.

STRATEGIC PLAN ALIGNMENT

The goals for 2011-2018 identified *Exceptional Municipal Services*.

FISCAL IMPACT

The cost of the membership renewal is \$36,776.40 and represents no increase over last year's annual dues. The FY12 General Fund Budget includes \$37,000 for this membership.

RECOMMENDATION

Approval on the July 17, 2012 consent agenda.

BACKGROUND

The Village of Downers Grove has been a long-term member of the DuPage Mayors and Managers Conference. The DMMC is a council comprised of municipal governments located within DuPage County, Illinois. The Conference is a not-for-profit organization supported by membership dues and grants, dedicated to addressing municipal public policy issues. The proposed motion would renew the Village's membership with the DMMC for FY12-13. The cost represents no increase over the price of membership for the previous year. A list of DMMC's key accomplishments for 2011-12 is attached.

ATTACHMENTS

Membership Renewal Invoice
 DMMC Key Accomplishments 2011-12

VILLAGE OF DOWNERS GROVE
COUNCIL ACTION SUMMARY

INITIATED: Village Attorney **DATE:** July 17, 2012
(Name)

RECOMMENDATION FROM: _____ **FILE REF:** _____
(Board or Department)

NATURE OF ACTION:

- Ordinance
- Resolution
- Motion
- Other

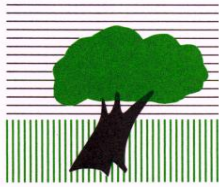
STEPS NEEDED TO IMPLEMENT ACTION:

Motion to renew the FY 2012-13 membership for the DuPage Mayors and Managers Conference and authorize staff to submit dues in the amount of \$37,766.40.

SUMMARY OF ITEM:

Adoption of this motion will authorize renewal of the FY 12-13 DuPage Mayors and Managers Conference membership and submit dues in the amount of \$37,776.40.

RECORD OF ACTION TAKEN:



DUPAGE MAYORS AND MANAGERS CONFERENCE

1220 OAK BROOK ROAD
OAK BROOK, IL 60523-2203
P: (630) 571-0480
F: (630) 571-0484

June 7, 2012

INVOICE NO. 7122

Village of Downers Grove
801 Burlington Avenue
Downers Grove, IL 60515

| Description | Total |
|--|------------------|
| 2012 - 2013 Conference Membership Dues | 36,776.40 |
| Total Invoice Amount | <u>36,776.40</u> |

Detach and Return with Remittance

Please Remit To:

DUPAGE MAYORS AND MANAGERS CONFERENCE
1220 OAK BROOK ROAD
OAK BROOK, IL 60523-2203

Village of Downers Grove

Invoice No: 7122

Invoice Date: 6/7/2012

Amount Due: 36,776.40

Due Date: 7/7/2012

KEY ACCOMPLISHMENTS 2011-2012

- ▶ Successfully stopped legislative proposals to take Local Government Distributive Funds from municipalities.
- ▶ Led the Stormwater Review Group in successfully recommending changes to the draft DuPage County Stormwater and Floodplain Ordinance.
- ▶ Let 16 Surface Transportation program (STP) projects, totaling \$30.1 million in federal funds and programmed \$14.6 million of federal STP funds for 24 new projects to be constructed in fiscal years 2012-2017.
- ▶ Promoted the 2012 Critical Legislative Priorities through meetings with newspaper editorial boards and during trips to the Capitol in February, March, April, and May.
- ▶ Coordinated a municipal electric aggregation workshop to educate our members on the options available to them, regulatory requirements, and implementation process.
- ▶ Collaborated with West Central Municipal Conference to plan a set of transportation “smart corridors” that can improve operational efficiency through traffic signal coordination and other technological improvements.
- ▶ Continued to facilitate the Natural Gas Franchise Consortium in its work to achieve a fair model franchise for communities.
- ▶ Continued trend of decreased operational expenses. Reallocated staff resources, saving \$40,000 annually.
- ▶ Worked with stakeholders to represent the needs of DuPage communities in IDOT’s Elgin O’Hare West Bypass Project and to advise communities on proceedings of IDOT’s I-290 Expressway Project.
- ▶ Welcomed back the Village of Downers Grove, bringing Conference membership to 33 municipalities.
- ▶ Convened the Fire Services Stakeholders Group to enhance understanding of the issues, legislation, and trends impacting the structure and delivery of local fire services and to seek intergovernmental solutions that maintain service, reduce costs, and improve efficiencies.
- ▶ Coordinated a Land Use Workshop for members of local Plan Commissions and Zoning Boards of Appeals.
- ▶ Produced a DVD episode of ‘The Mayors’ focused on the Conference’s 2012 Legislative Priorities.
- ▶ Utilized social media to distribute information and enhance the Conference’s outreach to members and their communities.
- ▶ Hosted quality speakers at Conference Business Meetings including IML’s President and First Vice President, Editor of the Daily Herald, CIO of Prescient Solutions, CEO of Choose DuPage, and the Director of the DuPage Metropolitan Enforcement Group.
- ▶ Successfully advocated for Pace to fully fund the College of DuPage Connector (Route 714) as part of the service board’s Annual Operating Budget, reducing local contributions to zero.