

Notes

Thursday, September 13 (8:00-8:45am)

Fall Policy Conference, Arrowwood Resort – Room: Itasca

No call-in option available due to technology constraints.

8:00am

Call to Order

Commissioner Gary Hendrickx Chair welcomed the committee.

8:05am

Recap of Strategic Conversations: Committee, Futures & AMC Board

Commissioner Hendrickx provided a recap of strategic planning efforts to date – with an emphasis on the changing county government workforce. Committee briefly discussed the new Association of Minnesota Counties management team structure and new Outreach Coordinator position.

8:20am

**Metro State University, Institute of Professional Development
Certificate in Public Service Supervision - 2019**

Heather Bandeden, AMC staff, presented the [new LEAD Academy format](#) that greatly benefited from committee input over the past several months and will roll out in spring 2019. AMC will partner with the League of Minnesota Cities, Sourcewell, and Metropolitan State University on this new statewide program for new supervisors. In the first year, half-day workshops will be available in Staples and St. Paul.

8:30am

NACo High Performance Leadership Academy

Heather Bandeden, AMC staff, reported that sixteen Minnesota county leaders enrolled in the first NACo cohort. This new national cohort is completely online and scholarships are available for every NACo member. New cohorts will launch in early 2019.

8:35am

Breakout Sessions

Thank you to Education & Training Committee members for introducing Fall Policy Conference Breakout Sessions, including:

- **A Conversation about Economic Development in Minnesota**
Presenter: Kevin McKinnon, Deputy Commissioner of Economic Development, DEED
- **Evidence-based Strategies for Improving Social Media Use**
Presenter: Kathy Quick, Associate Professor, UM Humphrey School
- **Transportation Investment Promotes Employment in Minnesota**
Presenter: Jerry (Zhirong) Zhao, Associate Professor, UM Humphrey School

- **Engage the Next Generation of Employees: The Changing Workplace**

Presenter: Josh Dye, President & Founder, Convene Training + Resilience Community

8:45am

Adjourn

For past meeting agendas & materials, please visit:

http://www.mncounties.org/aboutmnc/committees/education_and_training.php

Education & Training Committee Purpose: Create educational opportunities that meet association member needs.

Committee Responsibilities:

- Advise AMC's training and education staff on issues of interest to the membership.
- Assist staff in developing and executing all AMC conferences, including the Legislative Conference, Annual Conference, Leadership Conference, and Newly Elected Official Conference.
- Provide advice on additional training and education needs and methods.