

NATIONAL FEDERATION OF MUNICIPAL ANALYSTS

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Dear Lisa:


On December 15, 1984 we begin our term as Board of Governors of the National Federation of Municipal Analysts (for the 1984-85 year). I look forward to working with you on building a strong and vital organization that will enhance municipal analysis as a profession and as a service to the industry.

We are fortunate that, in the organization's first year, a solid framework for the future was established. Our first aim year is to continue the programs and spirit of the first year. We can look forward to our second national conference (Orlando - April 17-19), continued publication of the Forum, expanded membership, and bestowing our second award for contributions to the analytical profession. Many of the new challenges for the coming year fall under the auspices of Education Committee. They include: the formation of a speakers bureau, the establishment of a municipal publications clearinghouse and archives, studying the testing/certification program, and creating a linkage with university faculty specializing in municipal finance. The Ethics Committee has been charged with the task of formalizing procedures for the Federation to take positions on issues affecting the municipal industry. In addition, a new statistician's post has been created to gather membership information which we will publish in future issues of the Forum.

I would like to remind Chapter Presidents that annual dues are to be sent to our Treasurer, Jim Jakobik by January 1, 1985.

The challenge before us will require the talent and energy of the entire Board. There is much to do. We can use your help, plus more. I encourage Chapter Presidents and Committee Chairmen to promote member participation on one of the NFMA Committees. Each Chairman should see to it that their committee is represented by members from different parts of the country. I will be happy to help place interested members on committees.

Enclosed is a copy of the new Board of Governors and a list of Committees to date. Please call me if you would like to volunteer to chair a Committee or have any questions. I shall be contacting each of you prior to our first telephone conference call.


Richard Ciccarone
Chairman

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1984 - 1985

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(PUBLICATIONS CLEARING HOUSE)	To be announced
(TESTING/CERTIFICATION STUDY)	To be announced

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CHAPTER RELATIONS	To be announced
LONG RANGE PLANNING	To be announced

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