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Dear City Official:

Congratulations on your recent election to serve as a local elected official!

As an elected official, you have an incredible opportunity to serve your community, and because your city is a member of the League of California Cities (League), you will not have to do that alone. The League is here to help you.

For more than 120 years, the League has served as an advocate and resource to California city officials with education and training programs, information resources and legislative and ballot measure advocacy services. The League is well-respected and recognized for its effectiveness in advocating for city priorities in Sacramento and Washington, D.C., and for the broad range of services that it makes available to California cities.

Whether you decide to join one of the League's professional departments or Caucuses or attend a regional division meeting or annual conference, the League has a place for you.

To help familiarize you with membership benefits and ways to get involved, we have included a League Roadmap and Member Interest Form (in this Welcome to the League Toolkit). To get started, we encourage you to do three things:

- 1. Visit the League's website at www.cacities.org to sign-up for CA Cities Advocate, the League's electronic newsletter with stories on legislative developments, conferences and education events, opportunities for cities and more.
- 2. Contact your Regional Public Affairs Manager about attending a division meeting where you will have the opportunity to network with other city officials within your division.
- 3. Review the League's calendar of upcoming educational opportunities and find out which ones might be right for you.

Congratulations again on your new role as a local elected official! We look forward to supporting you in the coming months and years!

Sincerely,

Jan Arbuckle

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