



**THE CITY OF MADEIRA BEACH, FLORIDA
PUBLIC NOTICE**

AGENDA

**FLORIDA LEAGUE OF CITIES
MANAGING NEGATIVE PUBLIC PARTICIPATION
PUBLIC TRUST AND MISTRUST**

The Florida League of Cities will meet in the Patricia Shontz Commission chambers at City Hall, located at 300 Municipal Drive, Madeira Beach, Florida to discuss the agenda items of City Business listed at the time indicated below.

9:00 A.M.

MONDAY, MAY 14, 2018

COMMISSION CHAMBERS

ELECTED AND APPOINTED OFFICIALS ARE ENCOURAGED TO ATTEND

(One or more Elected or Appointed Officials may be in attendance)

9:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m. MANAGING NEGATIVE PUBLIC PARTICIPATION – Scott Paine

The public has a right to be heard. At times, members of the public, exercising that right, can behave in ways that can be experienced by public officials (elected, appointed, or professional) as disrespectful or even abusive. This workshop explores what we should do in meetings, on social media and in the press to manage negative activity without curtailing the citizens' right to be heard.

10:30 a.m. - 10:45 a.m. BREAK AND RE-SET FOR NEXT SESSION (Food is provided by the City)

10:45 a.m. - 12:15 p.m. PUBLIC TRUST AND MISTRUST – Scott Paine

Public opinion pollsters have been documenting a dramatic decline in public trust for more than a decade. What does that trend look like, who is affected, and what can municipal officials do to build public trust and address mistrust?

12:15PM – 1:00PM - LUNCH AND NETWORKING (Food is provided by the City)

1:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. UNDERSTANDING AND USING PARLIAMENTARY PROCEDURE - Marilyn Crotty

Are your meetings out of control, lengthy, confusing? Parliamentary procedure is a useful tool for conducting meetings, assuring fairness, and completing business in an orderly manner. People who are knowledgeable about Robert's Rules of Order can improve the quality of meetings and frequently affect the outcomes.

What's your "PQ" (Parliamentary Quotient)? This workshop will provide insight into the purpose behind the rules, simplify the motion making process, clarify the rules of debate, and increase your PQ.

COURSE OUTLINE:

1. History, Foundation, and Benefits of Parliamentary Procedure
2. Motions
 - Main
 - Secondary
3. Steps in Making Motions
4. Precedence of Motions
5. Debate
6. Rules for Small Groups
7. Guidelines for Minutes