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To: Key Municipal Officials of MMA Member Municipalities
From: Catherine Conlow, Executive Director
Date: July 29, 2025
Subject: MMA Annual Election: Vice President & Executive Committee Members

DEADLINE: Friday August 29, 2025, 12:00 p.m.

CAST YOUR VOTE FOR THE 2026 MMA EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Election Process. Your ballot is attached to help chart the future of MMA. You are voting for Vice President and three committee seats. The Maine Municipal Association (MMA) Executive Committee is elected by member municipal select boards and councils to oversee the Association's operations.

Pursuant to MMA by-laws, these candidates were interviewed by a six-member Nominating Committee, which includes a former Executive Committee past president, an elected municipal officer, a municipal employee, a town or city manager, an MMA affiliate group representative, and an individual from a community-based organization representing the interests of an underrepresented group. As you will note, unlike municipal elections MMA does not provide an option for write-in candidates since our process includes an opportunity to nominate a candidate by petition. The petition process expired on July 18, 2025.

The candidates have provided a brief biography of themselves for you to reference.

The ballot must be signed by a majority of the municipal officers (e.g., select board or council), or a municipal official designated by a majority of the municipal officers and received by MMA no later than **12:00 p.m. (noon) on Friday, August 29, 2025**. We have enclosed a self-addressed, stamped envelope for your convenience. Ballots will be counted on the afternoon of August 29, with the election results confirmed by MMA President Melissa Doane, Bradley town manager.

Election results will be available no later than September 1, 2025, and can be accessed by either contacting the MMA Executive Office or visiting MMA's website at www.memun.org. A formal announcement of the election results will be made at the MMA Annual Business Meeting, and the newly elected members will be introduced at the Awards Luncheon, both of which will be held during MMA's annual convention on Wednesday, October 8.

The newly elected Executive Committee members will take office on January 1, 2026.

If you have any questions on the election process, please do not hesitate to contact me or Kelly Maines at 1-207-623-8428 or by e-mail at kmaines@memun.org. Thank you.



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