Michigan Municipal Treasurers Association



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## LISTSERV POLICY

The MMTA Listserv has been established to facilitate and encourage the free flow of information necessary to maintain an informed and engaged membership of the Michigan Municipal Treasurers Association. All MMTA members have access to use of the MMTA Listserv subject to the following:

- 1. Use of the listserv for commercial purposes or personal business, or use outside of the professional title or employment position held in the community for which you represent or gain, is prohibited.
- 2. Use of the listserv in connection with contests, chain mail, junk email or "spam" is prohibited.
- 3. When posting to the listserv, members shall be respectful, professional, and courteous. Defamatory, abusive, discriminatory, intimidating, profane and/or offensive language is prohibited.
- 4. The use of the listserv to falsely impersonate an individual, group, organization, or entity is prohibited.
- 5. Political messages, campaigning, candidate support or defamation are prohibited, however information and discussion regarding proposed legislation relevant to the MMTA is allowed and encouraged.
- 6. Private life events of MMTA members or their families should not be posted on the listserv unless the poster has explicit consent from the member and/or his or her family.
- 7. Keeping in mind that the listserv is an information network for our members, users must determine whether it is appropriate to post an answer to the entire listserv, or respond directly to the member asking for the information.
- 8. The MMTA does not support or reference the information on the listserv as accurate.
- 9. All information shared on the listserv must comply with all federal and State of Michigan statutes.
- 10. This policy may be modified without notice when it is deemed necessary and reasonable.

All members who are using the MMTA Listserv are expected to comply with the policy. The use of the listserv is a privilege of membership and not a right. The MMTA Board of Directors may, by a majority vote, remove a user's access to the listserv with or without notice if such is deemed to be a violation of the policy, or is deemed detrimental to the mission or reputation of the Michigan Municipal Treasurers Association.