

2020 Councillor Welcome and Induction

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DAY 1		
Date:	Friday, 27 November 2020	
Time:	10.00am to 12.35pm	
Location:	https://zoom.us/j/95032113812?pwd=TnNZVkhQMnVwdWJVQUZabFZzcjBQQT09	
10:00am	Welcome & Introduction	MAV Interim President
10:10am	Ministerial Address	The Hon Shaun Leane, Minister for Local Government
10:25am	Getting Started – What you need to know?	Kerry Thompson, MAV CEO
11:00am	How to be a successful Councillor and make a difference that sticks! <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Councillor role and responsibility • Building productive relationships and working with councillors and the organisation • The importance of good governance and professional conduct • Councillors as community representatives • Delivering for the community • Get clarity on your goals and aspirations 	Ruth McGowan OAM is former councillor and mayor, who supports local government leaders to develop personal skills and build high-performing teams that deliver good decisions for their community. As a councillor coach and mayoral mentor, Ruth supports elected representatives to meet the challenges of the role, practice positive politics and successfully meet their goals.
12:30pm	100 years of Women in Local Government	MAV Interim President
12:35pm	Close	MAV Interim President Kerry Thompson, MAV CEO

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DAY 2		
Date:	Thursday, 3 December 2020	
Time:	9.30am to 12.30pm	
Location:	https://zoom.us/j/92898878590?pwd=MHVnY2xqSWFJWFYxRFNPTHdNcVIUT09	
9:30am	Introduction and Q&A from Day 1	Troy Edwards, MAV Director Policy & Advocacy
9:45am	MAV perspective on State Government Priorities Discussion of key policy programs and legislative matters for the next four years.	Troy Edwards, MAV Director Policy & Advocacy
10:15am	Finance, Funding and Rates Council finances and main sources of income and expenditure.	Troy Edwards, MAV Director Policy and Advocacy
11:00am	Break	
11:15am	Policy and Advocacy Panel Discussion Troy Edwards will host a Q&A panel discussion with the MAV's CEO and policy managers that will explore the MAV's current policy work as well as emerging opportunities for Victoria's councils.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Kerry Thompson, MAV CEO • Emma Lake, Manager Infrastructure and Community Resilience • Rosemary Hancock, Manager Health and Local Economies • Claire Dunn, Manager Built and Natural Environment • Kim Howland, Manager Community Services
12:15pm	MAV Councillor Development Program	Jeannie Gill, Manager Learning and Events
12:30pm	Close	Troy Edwards, MAV Director Policy and Advocacy