

**Municipal Association of South Carolina  
Advanced Municipal Elected Officials Institute of Government  
Columbia Metropolitan Convention Center – 1101 Lincoln St., Columbia, SC  
Wednesday, January 22, 2025**

**Advanced Advocacy and Intergovernmental Relations**

Moderators: *Casey Fields, Director of Advocacy, Municipal Association of SC*

**9:00 – 9:15 a.m.** **Welcome**  
*Casey Fields, Director of Advocacy, Municipal Association of SC*

**9:15 – 11:00 a.m.** **Navigating the South Carolina State House:  
A Behind-the-Scenes Tour**  
*(bus transportation to the State House)*

**11:15 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.** **Honest Brokers of Accurate Information:  
Keys to Successful Advocacy**

**12:30 – 1:30 p.m.** **Lunch**

**1:30 – 2:30 p.m.** **What You Need to Know About Rules, Power and Politics**

**2:30 – 2:45 p.m.** **Break**

**2:45 – 3:45 p.m.** **Legislative Process**

**3:45 – 4:00 p.m.** **Evaluation**

**\*\* Sign-in sheets \*\***

**Sign-in sheets will be distributed in the morning and afternoon.** They are the official record of your attendance. If you do not sign both, you will not be credited for attending this course.