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## LEAGUE ALERT

Municipal Clerk: Please forward to Mayor and Governing Body.

April 3, 2009

**Re: I      Reminder-Free Limited Membership in  
International Municipal Lawyers Association  
(IMLA)**

**Re: II     Free Seminar on New State Energy  
Conservation Initiatives**

**Re: III    2009 Legislative CD ROSTER**

**Municipal Clerk, please copy your mayor and municipal attorney**

**Re: I. Reminder-Free Limited Membership in International Municipal Lawyers  
Association (IMLA)**

Dear Mayor:

We would like to remind you of a League benefit we first alerted you to on July 31, 2008. Through an arrangement between the New Jersey League of Municipalities and the IMLA, municipal attorneys representing New Jersey Municipalities with a population under 2500 are now enrolled in IMLA Lite, a limited membership with terrific benefits.

The limited membership includes IMLA's bi-monthly publication *The Municipal Lawyer*, IMLA's bi-weekly e-newsletter update on important cases and developments affecting local governments, and the membership allows registration at IMLA programs, including its highly praised Annual Conferences and Seminars at the member price.

The IMLA Conference and Seminar offer exceptional networking opportunities to meet with attorneys from around the country and Canada while attending highly rated educational programs that are approved for CLE credit in every mandatory CLE state. While these programs are open to non-members, the membership price is significantly less and can provide real value in obtaining desired or required CLE credits. In addition to the annual programs, IMLA has begun

offering additional programming on substantive law and practice topics important to local government practitioners. Limited members can also enjoy these programs at the member price. I invite you to visit their website at [www.imla.org](http://www.imla.org). I hope you will find their website useful and a primary gateway to local government law practice with features such as the IMLA blog, career center, and easy access to event information and information about advocacy activities.

If you have any questions about the IMLA Lite membership, please call Michael J. Darcy at the NJLM office 609-695-3481 extension 116, or for specific membership benefits contact Mary Vlach, Associate Director for IMLA Membership Services, 202-466-5424 ext. 7106 or Email: [mvlach@imla.org](mailto:mvlach@imla.org).

Very truly yours,

William G. Dressel, Jr.  
Executive Director

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**Re: II. Free Seminar on New State Energy Conservation Initiatives**

Dear Mayor:

Join the League, the Board of Public Utilities, the Division of Local Government Services, and the Sustainable Jersey Program on April 15, 2009 at 9:00 a.m. to learn how new State energy conservation initiatives can help your municipality. This seminar is free, and will be held at the New Brunswick Hyatt.

At this important session local officials can learn about important initiatives, incentives, and financing options for energy conservation, use of renewable sources such as solar power, and other initiatives to reduce energy and supporting the environment. Specifically, the session will cover:

- The BPU Local Government Energy Audit Program and BPU Energy Savings Incentive Programs
- Power Purchase Agreements for Renewables (c.83, PL 2008) - how to obtain solar power for no capital cost
- Energy Savings Improvement Program (c. 4, PL 2009) - pay for energy efficiency capital improvements by using savings is use to pay for the improvement
- Introduction to Sustainable Jersey - community efforts to reduce energy and improve the environment.
- BPU CleanPower Community Partners - join a program to promote energy efficiency in your organization and community

Learn about these new tools that can save money, reduce energy costs and use, and improve the quality of life in your community. The **registration form** can be accessed on our website tomorrow. More than one person per municipality can attend. Please share this with appropriate individuals in your organization.

Do not miss this opportunity to benefit your community at no cost.

Very truly yours,

William G. Dressel, Jr.  
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