

The TN Municipal League is soliciting applications for its Executive Director. The Executive Director serves as the chief executive officer. The Executive Director manages and directs all TML staff and programs, including sustaining working relationships with all member municipalities, related agencies and affiliated programs and organizations.

The position requires the ability to conceive and implement programs and policies affecting all TN cities. Also required is the ability to communicate effectively both orally and in written form. The incumbent must possess the ability to work effectively with and implement the policies of the Board of Directors and member municipalities.

The position requires a bachelor's degree with a major in public administration, political science, or a related field or at least ten (10) years of progressively responsible experience in municipal government or relevant association work, preferably in Tennessee.

To apply, please submit your resume' electronically to: TMLExDirSearch@tennessee.edu

Deadline to apply: **August 31, 2020.**

About TML

The Tennessee Municipal League (TML) is a voluntary, cooperative organization established by the cities and towns of the state for mutual assistance and improvement. The League's primary function is to work with the Tennessee General Assembly on behalf of city governments, promoting legislation helpful to cities and opposing legislation harmful to cities. Tennessee Municipal Bond Fund and Public Entities Partners are extensions of the League.

TML keeps members informed about what is happening in Nashville and represents them when they cannot be there. The League also gives members the tools they need to influence state and federal policies that impose mandates, restrict their authority, or reduce state or federal funding coming into their city. This is accomplished through Legislative Issues, – an online tool to help members stay abreast of legislation, contact their legislator, or print off talking points before meeting with their representative, Legislative Bulletins – weekly legislative updates that focus on priority bills as they move through the legislative process, recaps the week's legislative activity and previews the upcoming week, Daily Updates report on legislative activity in the Tennessee General Assembly that affect municipalities, and Action Alerts distributed via email to inform members of recent developments.

TML members receive a wealth of information about issues that matter through a couple of avenues - ***Tennessee Town and City*** — a bi-weekly newspaper reporting on local, state, and federal issues, and **TMLTV** – TML produced videos posted on the website provide information on specific issues.

TML provides opportunities to connect with other municipal elected leaders from across the state who share common experiences. Through various TML meetings, the League provides a forum to investigate best practices and to learn about innovative municipal services and programs.

As part of the TML's mission to create stronger communities, the League also provides local officials with professional development opportunities. Comprehensive and up-to-date

information, conference workshops, and networking opportunities all help municipal officials recognize, understand, and meet the emerging trends and challenges their communities face.