

2017 CGMC Labor & Employee Relations Seminars

Practical and Legal Solutions for Handling **Employees and Unions in Local Government**

Seminar topics include:

- Variable pay systems
 A union's perspective on negotiations
- Handling employee groups that can't get along
- Updates on settlements, arbitrations, and the Legislature



Brainerd: Thursday, June 1, 2017 • 10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. New Ulm: Thursday, June 8, 2017 ● 10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

9:30 – 10:00 a.m.	Registration and Networking (Rolls and Coffee)
10:00 – 10:10 a.m.	Welcome and Introductions
10:10 – 11:10 a.m.	Effective recruiting and hiring practices for local government Brandon M. Fitzsimmons, Attorney/Shareholder, Flaherty & Hood, P.A.
11:10 – 12:10 p.m.	Establishing a variable pay system in the public sector
	Carol L. Loncar, Human Resources Project Manager, SPHR, Flaherty & Hood, P.A.
12:10 – 12:55 p.m.	Lunch (Provided)
12:55 p.m. – 1:55 p.m.	Brenda Cossette's Mock Negotiations:
	Perspectives from a Union Representative
	Representative: Douglas H. Biehn, Business Agent, Law Enforcement Labor Services
1:55 - 2:35 p.m.	Settlement, Interest Arbitration, and Legislative Update
	Brandon M. Fitzsimmons, Attorney/Shareholder, Flaherty & Hood, P.A.
2:35 – 2:50 p.m.	Break (Refreshments and Networking)
2:50 – 4:00 p.m.	Handling the employee group that "can't get along"
	Erica Heikel, Associate Attorney, Flaherty & Hood, P.A.
4:00 p.m.	Adjourn

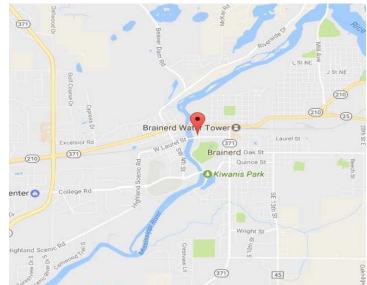
— Registration –

Join us to discuss key labor and employee relations topics. Local elected officials and administrative, management, and human resources personnel will all benefit from attending. Gain insights from the presenters and receive answers to important questions impacting your city! **Sign up today!**

Please send your registration soon!

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seminars in different parts of the state. Please indicate which seminar you plan to attend:	
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□ New Ulm - Thursday, June 8, 2017	
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Brainerd Seminar Location: Brainerd Fire Department 23 Laurel Street Brainerd, MN 56401



New Ulm Seminar Location New Ulm Civic Center 1212 North Franklin Street New Ulm, MN 56073