



Hi to all,

On behalf of the Board of Directors, I welcome you to the 2010 New England Municipal Clerks' Institute and Academy! We have an exciting week planned for you! The week has been carefully crafted to give you an invaluable education experience, networking and fun! You will make new friends, greet old friends, get recharged, develop self-esteem, and return to your offices ready to continue to enjoy the wonderful profession that you have chosen.

The NEMCI & A Board Members are always striving to provide you with the best education possible. We have had some changes within the faculty and with regret, have said good-bye to some of our long-time professors. It is with great enthusiasm that we welcome some new instructors who will present you with exceptional new courses.

As we begin our second year at Plymouth State University, we have taken care of minor glitches and are working with the PSU Staff to make your week a positive experience. The Board Members, the Faculty and the PSU Staff will make your week a challenging and stimulating process, testing your abilities while teaching you new skills!

The Board of Directors looks forward to assisting you in any way possible to make your NEMCI & A experience a special experience for you. Please take a few minutes to review the Handbook before arriving at PSU. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact any of the Board Members. Our contact information can be found on the New England Association of City & Town Clerks' website as well as in the brochure.

Looking forward to seeing you in New Hampshire for a great week!

Connie L. Brown, CMC, CMMC
NEMCI & A Director

The following is a poem printed by the Connecticut Town Clerks' Association in September 1978

The Clerk of the Town

*If they want to get married, or fish in the sea,
If they vote by machine, or they vote absentee,
Whatever their problem turns out to be,
It's the work of the Clerk of the Town.
We're concerned with such thing as the sex of a dog,
And how many bees in a hive,
And we file, we record, we attach and attest,
Anything be it dead or alive.
Whatever goes on in the Town we record,
And often we do it with little reward,
We often go crazy, but never get board,
Oh, it's great to be Clerk of the Town*