



Rose Vaughn Williams
Executive Director
North Carolina League of Municipalities

25 March 2026

Dear Mrs. Williams,

It is my pleasure to inform you that the Board of Directors of the North Carolina Association of Municipal Clerks voted unanimously to recommend that Michael O'Dell serve in the upcoming At-Large Clerk position on the League's Board of Directors. Our Board voted unanimously at our 13 March 2026 meeting to submit Michael's name to fill the seat soon to be vacated by our beloved Brenda Blanco. The NCAMC understands that the League's nominating committee has the difficult task of sifting through the many applications it receives to select the best board members, but we do hope that the committee recognizes Michael's commitment to and mastery of the needs of our state's municipal clerks.

Michael has served as the Town Clerk of Kill Devil Hills since March 2022 and has been an active member of NCAMC for eight years. In these roles, Michael has poured hundreds of volunteer hours into promoting both the work of the clerk as well as the reputation and efficacy of his community. Michael is both thoughtful and discreet, and approaches sensitive issues with composure. He understands the League's values, and demonstrates a commitment to the League's core mission of advancing every facet of municipal operations and good governance. As a practical matter, he is always prepared for board meetings and offers insightful additions to the decision-making process of the NCAMC. The NCAMC believes these qualities will make Michael a great fit amongst the incoming class of board members. I could go on, but if you have any additional questions about his qualifications, please feel free to contact me at (910) 949-3141.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Linda M. Christopher".

Linda M. Christopher
President
North Carolina Association of Municipal Clerks