

**2022 NYS Tug Hill Commission  
Local Government Conference Survey Results**

<b>What position(s) or title(s) do you hold in your community?</b>	<b>Number</b>	<b>Percent</b>
Assessor	7	5.83%
Attorney	1	0.83%
Clerk	11	9.17%
Enforcement Officer or Codes Department	2	1.67%
Highway or maintenance supervisor or DPW crew	3	2.50%
Planning Board Member	29	24.17%
Town Supervisor or Town Council Member	19	15.83%
Village Mayor or Village Trustee	6	5.00%
Zoning Board of Appeals	21	17.50%
Other or more than one of the above	21	17.50%
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>120</b>	<b>100.00%</b>

<b>First Morning Session</b>	<b>Excellent</b>	<b>Good</b>	<b>Fair</b>	<b>Poor</b>	<b>I did not attend</b>	<b>Total</b>
1A) Employee Handbook Basics	8	7				15
1C) The Process of Site Plan and Subdivision Review	14	13	3	1		31
1D) Interpretation and Enforcement of Zoning Laws	24	7	2			33
1E) Long-Range Planning and Budgeting for Highways	13	1				14
1F) Your Role in a Disaster	5	1	1			7
1G) Clean Energy Communities	6	2				8
Did not attend					4	4
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>112</b>

<b>Second Morning Session</b>	<b>Excellent</b>	<b>Good</b>	<b>Fair</b>	<b>Poor</b>	<b>I did not attend</b>	<b>Total</b>
2A) Reserve Funds and Long Term Planning	8	6				14
2B) Open Meetings Law	4	12	5			21
2C) Rural Planning Issues	17	23	1	1		42
2D) Motions, Criteria and Decision-Making Guidelines	11	3	1			15
2E) Ice and Snow Best Practices	3					3
2F) Vital Records: Local Registrar and Clerk Responsibilities	4	4				8
2G) Federal Funding Opportunities	2	3				5
Did not attend					4	4
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>112</b>

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<b>First Afternoon Session</b>	<b>Excellent</b>	<b>Good</b>	<b>Fair</b>	<b>Poor</b>	<b>I did not attend</b>	<b>Total</b>
3A) The EMS Crisis and its Impact on Municipal Budgets	4	3	5	4		16
3B) Historic Preservation	8	7	3			18
3C) Accessory Dwelling Units as Affordable Housing	2	7				9
3D) Land Use and SEQR Case Law Update	21	11	3			35
3E) Selecting Pavement Preservation Techniques	2					2
3F) FOIL Overview	2	6	4	1		13
3G) The 94-C Renewable Energy Siting Process	3	6	4			13
Did not attend					6	6
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>112</b>

<b>Second Afternoon Session</b>	<b>Excellent</b>	<b>Good</b>	<b>Fair</b>	<b>Poor</b>	<b>I did not attend</b>	<b>Total</b>
4A) How to Prepare For and/or Conduct an Audit	5	6	1			12
4B) Great Board Members	7	7	1			15
4C) Ethical Considerations for Planning Boards and ZBAs	4	11	5			20
4D) Q&A for Planning Boards and Zoning Boards	18	13	1			32
4E) Myths of Traffic Calming and Complete Streets	3					3
4F) Email Essentials	2	5	1			8
4G) An Overview and update of the NYS Marijuana Regulation & Taxation Act	5	4	1			10
Did not attend					11	11
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>111</b>

<b>Morning Assessor Session</b>	<b>Excellent</b>	<b>Good</b>	<b>Total</b>
	6	1	7

<b>Afternoon Assessor Session</b>	<b>Excellent</b>	<b>Good</b>	<b>Total</b>
	4	3	7

<b>How was the keynote by Andrew Fish?</b>	<b>Excellent</b>	<b>Good</b>	<b>Fair</b>	<b>Poor</b>	<b>I did not attend</b>	<b>Total</b>
	24	59	12	3	18	116

<b>Please rate the breakfast:</b>	<b>Excellent</b>	<b>Good</b>	<b>Fair</b>	<b>Poor</b>	<b>I did not attend</b>	<b>Total</b>
	33	41	12	1	31	118

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Please rate lunch:	Excellent	Good	Fair	Poor	I did not attend	Total
	66	36	10	2	4	118

How was the afternoon reception?	Excellent	Good	Fair	Poor	I did not attend	Total
	26	17	5	1	69	118

Please rate the conference overall	Excellent	Good	Fair	Poor	Total
	71	47	1		119

Which location do you prefer for the LGC: Jefferson Community College or Turning Stone?	Turning Stone	Both JCC and Turning Stone are good locations.	JCC	I think changing every other year would be good	I have never attended JCC but I was happy with Turning Stone.	Both JCC and Turning Stone are good locations, but Turning Stone is under one roof.	Total
	74	26	15	2	1	1	119