

# Tomorrow's City/County Department Heads Forum

*A Conversation and Networking Event*



Thursday, November 5, 2015  
8.30 a.m.–5:00 p.m.

Quinlan Community Center  
10185 N Stelling Road  
Cupertino, CA

## **EVENT REGISTRATION**

\$100, includes Continental Breakfast,  
Lunch & Reception

## **APPLICATION PROCESS**

[Online Application](#)

Deadline: October 5, 2015

## **FOR MORE INFORMATION**

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**ASPIRING DEPARTMENT DIRECTORS  
& DEPUTIES SHOULD ATTEND!**

## **AGENDA**

- 8:30 a.m. Light Breakfast**
- 9:00 a.m. Welcome**
- 9:10 a.m. Overview and Participant Introductions**
- 10:00 a.m. Panel Discussion One:**  
Different journeys of department directors
- 11:10 a.m. Q & A** (all participants)
- 11:30 a.m. Lunch** (box lunches provided)  
Table conversations with city managers and current department directors
- 12:30 p.m. Panel Discussion Two:**  
What makes a GREAT department head?  
– A chief executive's perspective
- 1:30 p.m. Q & A** (all participants)
- 2:00 p.m. Panel Discussion Three:**  
What to expect during a recruitment and how to prepare
- 3:15 p.m. Speed Coaching**  
(participants & senior managers)
- 5:00 p.m. Wine and Cheese Reception**

## **Sponsored by:**

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