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PLDW's Municipal Infrastructure Team to Host VIP Reception at Massachusetts Municipal Association's Annual Meeting

Providence, RI – January 23, 2013 – Pannone Lopes Devereaux & West LLC (PLDW) will host its yearly VIP Reception Friday, January 25 as part of its participation at the Massachusetts Municipal Association's (MMA) Annual Meeting. To register for the VIP reception, please contact Beth Phillips at bphillips@pldw.com or call Ms. Phillips at 401.824.5100.

Presented by PLDW's Municipal Infrastructure Team, the popular VIP networking and outreach event will be held from 5 pm to 7 pm at Towne Stove and Spirits, 900 Boylston Street in Boston. The MMA Annual Meeting and Trade Show takes place at the nearby Hynes Convention Center on January 25th and 26th.

The MMA's Annual Meeting and Trade Show is the largest regular gathering of Massachusetts local government officials. Now in its 34th year, the two-day event features educational workshops, nationally recognized speakers, awards programs, a large trade show, and an opportunity to network with municipal officials from across the state. For more information visit www.mma.org.

Led by Teno A. West, PLDW's Municipal Infrastructure Team provides legal advice to public entities involved in the construction and improvement of all types of public facilities. These include water and sewer facilities, municipal buildings, recreational facilities, transportation systems and other public projects. The team draws upon a depth of experience

in multiple areas of law, as well as public finance, project management, real estate, contract maintenance and other disciplines to solve complicated legal issues on municipal projects from conception to completion. Attorney West has extensive experience in advising and representing governments, including municipalities, counties, states and public authorities in developing successful public procurement processes.

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About Pannone Lopes Devereaux & West LLC

The attorneys and staff at Pannone Lopes Devereaux & West LLC (PLDW) are committed to developing practical and cost-effective solutions while also being supportive of the community in a meaningful way. With offices in Rhode Island, Connecticut, Massachusetts, New York and Florida, PLDW has developed a business model that combines international expertise with a more cost-effective delivery system that involves cross training of lawyers and a more practical approach to problem solving. The primary areas of practice for the firm include administrative, corporate and municipal law, civil litigation, employment, government relations, real estate and commercial lending and estate planning and special masterships. The partners demand of themselves and those on the PLDW team, an unparalleled sense of urgency and responsiveness which is derived from an authentic appreciation for their clients and the community in which they serve. For more information, visit www.pldw.com.