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Former municipal manager Stephen M. Feller dies

The Municipality of Mt. Lebanon is sad to announce the death of former municipal manager Stephen M. Feller on Sunday, August 29, 2021 at age 65. Feller, of Mt. Lebanon, served in his position for 14 years, from 2001 to 2015, but that wasn't his first employment at the Municipality — He was an administrative aide from 1978 to 1979 and assistant manager from 1982 to 1987. Before becoming manager, he was an executive with the Maryland Port Administration and was city administrator of Hagerstown, Maryland.

Under Mr. Feller's management, Mt. Lebanon completed numerous high-profile construction projects that shaped the way services are delivered today. Mr. Feller oversaw the construction of the public safety center in 2003, the renovation of the historic municipal building in 2004, the construction of the Veterans Memorial in Main Park in 2014, and the major renovation of the swim center in 2014. During his tenure, the Municipality celebrated our centennial in 2012.



Additionally, Mt. Lebanon's historical reputation strengthened during his tenure as more than 4,400 properties were added to the National Register of Historic Places in 2014.

He left his Mt. Lebanon position in 2015 to become chief administrative officer and trust administrator of Municipal Risk Management, a nonprofit that offers workers compensation insurance to municipalities.

He was a member of the International City Management Association and a volunteer with the National Association of Schools of Public Administration. He had been a member of the Commission on Peer Review and Accreditation, the national accrediting agency for Masters of Public Administration programs.

Mr. Feller was a dedicated public servant with a fabulous sense of humor and was a friend and mentor to many of the current municipal staff. His peers, colleagues and friends in municipal government think highly of him and have said they will remember his kindness, intelligence and consummate professionalism. Fellow managers remember him as a gentleman who always saw the right thing to do and had the best interests of the community at heart.

We extend our deepest sympathies to his family and friends. Funeral services are private but a celebration of life will be planned at a later date. View [obituary here](#).

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