

Raoul Lavin
Director at Large

Raoul Lavin is currently an Adjunct Faculty member at the Askew School of Public Administration at Florida State University, teaching strategic leadership, financial management, budgeting, procurement, and local government courses in the MPA program. He recently retired as Assistant City Manager from the City of Tallahassee after more than 29 years with the organization. During the last seventeen years with the City of Tallahassee, he held various positions as part of the City's Executive Team, including Director of the Department of Management & Administration where he was responsible for financial and administrative functions, including finance, budget, procurement, information systems services, human resources and equity and workforce development. In his capacity as Assistant City Manager he continued to oversee these functions and managed the City's housing and social services programs, environmental compliance and facilities management, fleet operations, the public transit agency StarMetro, and the golf courses.

He is actively involved in ICMA, having served on multiple committees over the years including the International Committee, the Deputies and Assistants Committee, and the Workplace Diversity Taskforce. He is currently serving on the ICMA Graduate Education Committee.

His community service activities include volunteering with several local organizations, including Big Bend Habitat for Humanity, Word of South Festival, the local Equality Florida annual gala, member of the Alumni Advisory Board for the FSU Askew School of Public Administration, and a mentor for the Leon County School Board Mentoring Program.