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### **COLORADO MUNICIPAL LEAGUE AND DOWNTOWN COLORADO, INC. ANNOUNCE URBAN RENEWAL AUTHORITY INFORMATION NOW ONLINE**

**March 20, 2013, DENVER, CO** – The Colorado Municipal League (CML) and Downtown Colorado, Inc. (DCI) partnered with Urban Renewal Authority (URA) professionals to create a standardized annual report form. This annual report features the previous year's fiscal data, updates on addressing blight conditions within the URA, and progress on URA project activity.

These reports provide transparency at a one-stop website to view the progress of Colorado's URAs. Urban renewal information has always been available through municipal budget and audit materials, but this standardized report puts the information in an easy-to-understand and accessible format.

Reports are updated as new ones are filed, and are available for viewing at the following websites:

CML: [http://www.cml.org/urban\\_renewal.aspx](http://www.cml.org/urban_renewal.aspx)

Downtown Colorado, Inc.: <http://www.downtowncoloradoinc.org/?page=DIRS>

Colorado Department of Local Affairs (DOLA): <http://www.colorado.gov/cs/Satellite/DOLA-Main/CBON/1251640470960>

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CML is a nonprofit, nonpartisan organization established in 1923 and represents the interests of 266 cities and towns. For more information on the Colorado Municipal League, visit [www.cml.org](http://www.cml.org) or call 303-831-6411.

DCI is a nonprofit membership organization committed to building better communities by providing assistance to Colorado downtowns, commercial districts and town centers. For more information, visit [www.downtowncoloradoinc.org](http://www.downtowncoloradoinc.org) or call 303-282-0625.

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