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**2020 Examination Dates – Updated August 3, 2020**

On May 6, 2020, Governor Murphy issued Executive Order 138 extending the COVID-19 State of Emergency 30 days to June 6, 2020. To ensure the safety of our participants, the DLGS Certification Examinations scheduled for April and June 2020 were CANCELLED. Dates for the next scheduled examinations are listed below.

All applications and fees have automatically been held for the next scheduled examination. Re-application is not necessary.

**Due to the ongoing public health emergency and continued closure of many in-person testing sites, the Division will NOT be able to offer additional testing dates prior to the next scheduled examinations.** Any changes to the schedule will be posted as soon as information becomes available and all applicants will be notified directly.

The Division will continue to provide candidates with ample opportunity to take the Certification Examinations in a safe and secure testing environment.

**Registered Municipal Clerk Examination**

Wednesday, April 8, 2020 (Cancelled)  
Wednesday, October 14, 2020

**Certified Public Works Manager Examination**

Thursday, April 23, 2020 (Cancelled)  
Wednesday, October 21, 2020

**Certified Municipal Finance Officer Examination**

Wednesday, June 3, 2020 (Cancelled)  
Wednesday, December 2, 2020

**Certified Tax Collector**

Wednesday, June 10, 2020 (Cancelled)  
Wednesday, December 9, 2020

**Qualified Purchasing Agent**

Wednesday, June 24, 2020 (Cancelled)  
Wednesday, December 16, 2020

**WE ARE CONTINUING TO ACCEPT APPLICATIONS FOR THE NEXT SCHEDULED EXAMINATIONS. ALL APPLICATIONS MUST BE POSTMARKED NO LATER THAN 30 DAYS PRIOR TO THE ANNOUNCED DATE OF THE EXAMINATION.** Late applications will not be accepted for an upcoming examination but will instead be held for the next following examination.

