

## Most Prevalent Form of Local Government in Specific Population Ranges (2014): Council-Manager (CM) vs. Mayor-Council (MC)

<u>Between 2,500 and 4,999</u> (2,017)	<u>Between 5,000 and 9,999</u> (1,938)	<u>Between 10,000 and 24,999</u> (1,941)	<u>Between 25,000 and 49,999</u> (889)	<u>Between 50,000 and 99,999</u> (486)
CM: 743 (37%) <b>MC: 1,123 (56%)</b>	<b>CM: 894 (46%)</b> MC: 864 (45%)	<b>CM: 1,004 (52%)</b> MC: 760 (39%)	<b>CM: 552 (62%)</b> MC: 299 (34%)	<b>CM: 309 (64%)</b> MC: 165 (34%)

<u>Between 100,000 and 249,999</u> (208)	<u>Between 250,000 and 499,999</u> (42)	<u>Between 500,000 and 1,000,000</u> (25)	<u>Over 1,000,000</u> (9)
<b>CM: 144 (69%)</b> MC: 61 (29%)	CM: 20 (48%) <b>MC: 21 (50%)</b>	CM: 8 (32%) <b>MC: 16 (64%)</b>	CM: 3 (33%) <b>MC: 6 (67%)</b>

**Note:** The above statistics are based on the 7,555 cities with a population of 2,500 and greater whose form of government **is known** (3,427 forms of government are unknown). The council-manager form of government is the most prevalent form in five of the nine ranges. Fifty-three percent (53%) of municipalities with a population between 5,000 and 249,999 residents are governed under the council-manager structure (2,903 out of 5,462).

Source: ICMA Municipal Yearbook, 2014.