# Illinois Association of County Board Members

Annual Meeting • November 22, 2022

Marriott Hotel • 201 Broadway • Normal, Illinois 61761 10:00 a.m. (General Business Meeting) • 3:00 p.m. (Adjourn)



President Michael Holliday Madison County



We are gearing up for a great day in McLean County. The annual meeting will provide you an opportunity to network with peers from across the state and learn about opportunities to enhance your county offices. You will also participate in policy discussions with government officials and professionals on matters that affect local government administration. I hope you will be able to join us!

### **General Business Meeting**

10:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.

Welcome and Introductions Michael Holliday, Sr., President Association Report Kelly Murray, Executive Director

Government Agency and Associate Member Reports

Legislative Report Taylor Anderson, Legislative Consultant

#### Legislative Policy Dialogue Forum / 2023 Platform Adoption

Kelly Murray, Executive Director / Taylor Anderson, Legislative Consultant

11:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

#### The Road to Electrifying Transportation: Local EV Policy

Aaron Viles, Electrification Coalition

With the passage of federal legislation such as the Bipartisan Infrastructure Law, and the Inflation Reduction Act, added to Illinois legislation such as the Climate, Equity and Jobs Act (CEJA), local and regional efforts to transition to electric vehicles are ready to accelerate... with zero torque! This session will include the conversion of county and municipal fleets to electric.

1:00 p.m. - 1:45 p.m.



## Property Tax Exemptions in Illinois: A Spatial Analysis

Kenneth Kriz, Ph.D., University of Illinois Springfield

The property tax is a source of constant discussion and policy debate in Illinois. Various analyses show that the state has one of the nation's highest average property tax rates. Property taxes remain the largest source of financing for local governments in the United States. Though reliance on them has decreased slightly over time.



A delicious serve yourself buffet.



3:00 p.m. Adjourn

### 2:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. Multi-Township Assessment Districts

Sonia Hochstetler, Knox County CCAO

CCAOs in counties with township organization must propose mandatory Multi-Township. Assessment Districts (MTADs) for all townships with fewer than 1,000 persons; but Illinois law provides for voluntary MTADs as well. Meeting attendees will learn how Knox County started with 21 Township jurisdictions, and ended up with three.

