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Executive Director's Report

2023 Annual Report



By: Joe McCoy, Executive Director

ISACO's Bylaws require the preparation of an annual report to provide a record of the work conducted by the Association during the previous year. We view this report as a positive opportunity to transparently communicate information about ISACO's programs, events, financial status and growth. Each annual report is available on ISACO's website at www.isacoil.org. With deep appreciation, we thank our member counties for their support of our mission and look forward to building relationships with all Illinois counties.

The Illinois State Association of Counties (ISACO) completed its fifth full year of operation in 2023.

The Association witnessed its first presidential succession with Kendall County Circuit Clerk Matthew Prochaska being elected by the Board of Directors to replace retired Cook County Commissioner Deborah Sims for the 2023-2024 term. A new Vice President was elected by the Board, with Cook County Commissioner Dennis Deer getting the nod for the leadership post. Secretary David Meyer (Washington County Chairman) and Treasurer Bill Crowley (Winnebago County Auditor) were re-elected by the Board to continue their leadership roles in 2023-2024.

ISACO began the process of reviewing its by-laws during 2023 and will consider amendments intended to ensure the by-laws are drafted in a manner that best serves our membership and mission. The membership will have an opportunity to review any proposed changes in 2024.

Speaking of membership, ISACO added two new member counties in 2023 (Carroll and Monroe) and now has 31 members. The Association is also pleased to have reached an affiliation agreement with the Illinois Association of Court Clerks (IACC) to work together on issues of mutual interest.

ISACO's financial condition remains strong and positions the Association for a period of growth in personnel and services.

Legislative Program

The General Assembly held a full session in 2023 (January-May) and adjourned on May 27 after initially scheduling adjournment for May 19.

During the 2023 spring legislative session, almost 6,700 bills were filed. ISACO tracked almost 1,000 bills. This excludes resolutions and proposed constitutional amendments. ISACO took official positions of support or opposition on legislation 125 times during the 2023 spring session.

ISACO joined a coalition of organizations representing municipalities to advocate for an increase in Local Government Distributive Fund (LGDF) revenue. While the coalition has not yet achieved restoring the county and municipal share of state income tax collections to the full 10 percent received back in January 2011, we did influence a modest increase. The local share was increased from 6.16 percent to 6.47 percent for State Fiscal Year (SFY) 2024. This generated an additional estimated \$112 million to be distributed to counties and municipalities on a per capita basis.

ISACO will continue to benefit from this collaborative model on issues that are significant to counties and municipalities. Another issue that saw similar collaboration in 2023 involved advocacy

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in support of exemptions for counties, municipalities and townships from the "Paid Leave for All Workers Act." Changes to this law will be pursued in 2024.

The legislative session resulted in the passage of several ISACo-supported bills that included, but were not limited to, bid exemptions for patrol vehicles, increased coroner and medical examiner fees and expanded local deflection programs.

In October, ISACo sent a letter to Governor JB Pritzker, House Speaker Emanuel "Chris" Welch and Senate President Don Harmon requesting state funding for offsetting costs to counties resulting from the SAFE-T Act. ISACo will continue to advocate for this funding in 2024.

The ISACo Board of Directors authorized the creation of several policy committees to assist with policy development and advocacy. These committees are as follows:

- ✔ Agriculture and Rural Affairs Committee
- ✔ Community, Economic and Workforce Development Committee
- ✔ Environment, Energy and Land Use Committee
- ✔ Public Health Committee
- ✔ Justice and Public Safety Committee
- ✔ Transportation Policy Committee
- ✔ Arts and Culture Committee

In response to concerns following the enactment of an ISACo-opposed law preempting county zoning authority over the siting of wind and solar facilities, ISACo created a Wind and Solar Facility Task Force to identify and discuss policies to make the law more palatable for counties and their residents.

As with previous years, ISACo published a complete report with all new Public Acts that either affect or are of interest to counties. And for the fifth consecutive year, ISACo published a report on new Public Acts that imposed unfunded mandates on counties. Both reports are available on ISACo's website.

In preparation for 2024, ISACo's Legislative Committee held meetings to develop the Association's 2024 *Illinois County Action Program (ICAP)* and consider amendments to the 2024 *ISACo County Platform*. The Board of Directors approved the 2024 ICAP and County Platform in December.

Events and Meetings

ISACo held four meetings of the Board of Directors in 2023. Three were held remotely and one offered a hybrid participation option.

ISACo's Legislative Committee met twice during the fall to consider and formally recommend issues to the Board of Directors for inclusion within the 2024 *Illinois County Action Program (ICAP)*. ISACo will pursue introduction of Board-approved issues during the General Assembly's 2024 legislative session.

Executive Director Joe McCoy was invited to provide presentations to the Will County Legislative Committee in 2023.

ISACo and the United Counties Council of Illinois (UCCI) co-hosted a dinner during the spring National Association of Counties (NACo) Legislative Conference in Washington, D.C. We also co-hosted a dinner with UCCI during the NACo Annual Conference held during July in Travis County, Texas. Both dinners were attended by Illinois county officials and staff in attendance at the NACo conferences. ISACo is appreciative of our corporate partners PMA-IPRIME and Nationwide for their generous sponsorship of these dinners. The Association will also benefit from the growing partnership with UCCI on other events and issues beginning in 2024.

ISACo held our Annual Luncheon in Cook County on December 8, 2023, at the Union League Club of Chicago. We were pleased with the attendance and appreciate the assistance of former Kendall County Board Chair Scott Gryder in making the venue available to us.

ISACo Communications and Information

ISACo published more than 40 *News and Views* e-newsletters in 2023. Each of these e-newsletters are available on ISACo's website.

We also published four *County Quarterly* newsletters in 2023. The *County Quarterly* is mailed to county officials and interested parties throughout Illinois. It is also available on ISACo's website.

In 2023, ISACo launched the *Counties Count! Podcast* to provide another medium by which county officials and interested parties can stay up to date on what's happening in the General Assembly, Washington, D.C. and Illinois counties.

ISACo continued its commitment to making resources available to Illinois counties. In 2022 we added resource pages on the wind and solar facility siting law, the SAFE-T Act and the Paid Leave for All Workers Act.

ISACo dedicated a webpage to make available information and data about Illinois counties. This information includes, but is not limited to, infrastructure and bridges, housing affordability, Community Development Block Grants (CDBG) and the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP).

Staff Expansion

ISACo expanded its staff with the hiring of Nekya Hall as Legislative Advocacy and Research Manager and Tiffani Homer as Member Services and Communications Manager. Both positions were necessary to provide additional services, capabilities and expertise for the benefit of member counties.

Partnerships

ISACo added two new corporate partners in 2023 (United Health-Care and Public Surplus). ISACo had seven corporate partners at the conclusion of 2023 and appreciates their generosity and support of our mission.

2023

Veto Session Update

The 2023 Veto Session was held on October 24-26 and November 7-9. Six vetoes were before the General Assembly but only one was acted upon. Both chambers will convene for the 2024 Spring Legislative Session on Tuesday, January 16, 2024. The House is scheduled to be in session 51 days while the Senate is scheduled to be in session 46 days.

Issues most relevant to counties are included below. Key dates for the upcoming 103rd General Assembly follow the issue summaries.

PUBLIC PRIVATE PARTNERSHIP PROJECTS

The Legislature accepted the Governor's amendatory veto of HB 2878 (Representative Hoffman, D-Belleville and Senator Castro, D-Elgin). The underlying bill is a procurement omnibus. The Governor objected to language to authorize public-private partnerships for local transportation projects because of a lack of ethics and transparency provisions. He consequently used his amendatory veto authority to remove that provision from the bill. The law does include limitations on the amount of funds local governments can withhold from contracts in retainage. HB 2878 now became (P.A. 103-570) law without the local public-private partnership authority.

TASK FORCE ON ELIGIBILITY TO HOLD PUBLIC OFFICE

HB 351 (Representative Tarver, D-Chicago and Senator Harmon, D-Oak Park) creates a task force to review eligibility to hold public office and make recommendations as to what criminal conduct should disqualify an individual from holding public office. The bill includes a provision prohibiting some individuals from holding local office if convicted of certain crimes while serving in office. The bill also clarifies what information notaries must retain for the purpose of petitions.

The House concurred with Senate Floor Amendment (SFA) 1 to HB 351 with a vote of 86-18-2. The bill was enacted into law as P.A. 103-0562.

GOVERNMENT ZERO EMISSION VEHICLE ACT

SB 1769 (Senator Ventura, D-Springfield, and Representative Hoffman, D-Belleville) requires all vehicles purchased or leased by "government entities" (defined as the state or a state agency), except law enforcement and Illinois Emergency Management Agency (IEMA) vehicles, to be zero-emission by 2030. The bill exempts vehicles purchased by the Department of Transportation (IDOT) as part of their consolidated vehicle procurement program.

The Senate concurred with House Floor Amendment (HFA) 2 to SB1769 with a vote of 37-18. The bill was enacted into law as P.A. 103-0581.

COOK COUNTY PROPERTY TAX APPEALS

SB 1988 (Senator Castro, D-Elgin and Representative Burke, D-Oak Lawn) deals with Cook County assessments. It provides that when the Cook County Assessor makes revisions that increase a property owner's assessment, the Assessor must continue to accept appeals from the property taxpayer for at least 30 business days from the latter of when the assessment notice was mailed or was published on the Assessor's website.

The Senate concurred with HFA 1 to SB 1988 with a vote of 48-6. The bill was enacted into law as P.A. 103-0583.

NUCLEAR MORATORIUM

HB 2473 (Representative Yednock, D-Ottawa and Senator Rezin, R-Morris) was amended to repeal the moratorium for construction of nuclear reactors of fewer than 300 megawatts – defined as small nuclear reactors – beginning January 1, 2026. The bill also directs the Illinois Emergency Management Agency (IEMA) to establish rules for decommissioning, environmental monitoring, and emergency preparedness by January 1, 2026. Furthermore, the bill authorizes the Governor to commission a study researching the state’s role in guiding the development of small module nuclear reactors. HB 2473 is a compromise in response to the Governor’s veto of SB 76 that would have lifted a moratorium on all new nuclear power plant construction in the state.

The bill was passed by the Senate with a vote of 44-7, and in the House with a vote of 98-8. The Governor enacted the bill into law as P.A. 103-0569.

PAID LEAVE FOR ALL WORKERS ACT

On November 3, 2023, the Illinois Department of Labor (IDOL) filed proposed rules concerning the effectuation of the Paid Leave for All Workers Act. The proposed rules are available at www.isacoil.org under the “Hot Topics” tab.

ISACo supports HB 4190 (Representative Ness, D-Crystal Lake) which would change the effective date of the Act from January 1, 2024, to July 1, 2024. This bill was introduced to delay the implementation date and allow for additional time to review the proposed rules and further amend the law to exempt counties, municipalities and townships. The bill did not advance during the Veto Session.

Please feel welcome to email any questions to nhall@isacoil.org.

103rd General Assembly

2024 KEY DATES AND SESSION DEADLINES:

The 103rd General Assembly convene on January 16, 2024.

The General Assembly is scheduled to adjourn on May 24, 2024, although legislators blocked off the remainder of May in the event additional work is required for the State Fiscal Year (SFY) 2025 budget.

January 19: House and Senate LRB Bill Drafting Request Deadline

February 9: Senate and House Bill Filing Deadline and LRB Amendment Drafting Begins

February 21: Governor’s Budget and State of the State Address

March 15: Senate Committee Deadline for Consideration of Senate Bills

March 19: Primary Election

April 5: House Committee Deadline for Consideration of House Bills

April 12: Senate Third Reading Deadline for Consideration of Senate Bills

April 19: House Third Reading Deadline for Consideration of House Bills

May 3: Committee Deadline for Consideration of Bills in the Opposite Chamber

May 17: House and Senate Third Reading Deadline for Consideration of Bills in the Opposite Chamber

May 24: Adjournment

May 25–31: Contingent Session Days (If Needed)

103rd General Assembly Calendar

IL House - January 2024

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	1 New Years Day STATE HOLIDAY	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15 Martin Luther King Jr. Day STATE HOLIDAY	16 SESSION	17 SESSION	18 SESSION	19 DEADLINE LRB-Requests	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30	31			

IL House - February 2024

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
				1	2	3
4	5	6 SESSION	7 SESSION	8 SESSION	9 DEADLINE Intro. of House Bills	10
11	12 Lincoln's Birthday STATE HOLIDAY	13	14 Ash Wednesday Valentine's Day	15	16	17
18	19 Presidents' Day STATE HOLIDAY	20 SESSION	21 SESSION Gov. Budget Address & State of the State	22 SESSION	23	24
25	26	27	28	29		

IL House - March 2024

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
					1	2
3	4	5 SESSION	6 SESSION	7 SESSION	8	9
10	11 Ramadan Begins	12 SESSION	13 SESSION	14 SESSION	15	16
17	18	19 Primary Election	20 SESSION	21 SESSION	22 SESSION	23
24	25	26	27	28	29 Good Friday	30
31 Easter Sunday						

IL House - April 2024

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	1	2 SESSION	3 SESSION	4 SESSION	5 SESSION DEADLINE Committee Subcommittee LR's	6
7	8	9 Ramadan Ends	10 SESSION	11 SESSION	12 SESSION	13
14	15 SESSION	16 SESSION	17 SESSION	18 SESSION	19 SESSION DEADLINE Bill's 3rd Reading	20
21	22 Passover Begins	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30 SESSION				

IL House - May 2024

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
			1 SESSION	2 SESSION	3 SESSION DEADLINE Committee Vets	4
5	6 SESSION	7 SESSION	8 SESSION	9 SESSION	10 SESSION	11
12	13 SESSION	14 SESSION	15 SESSION	16 SESSION	17 SESSION DEADLINE 3rd Reading Vets	18 SESSION
19 Mother's Day	20 SESSION	21 SESSION	22 SESSION	23 SESSION	24 SESSION ADJOURNMENT	25 BUDGET HOLD DATE
26 BUDGET HOLD DATE	27 STATE HOLIDAY Memorial Day	28 BUDGET HOLD DATE	29 BUDGET HOLD DATE	30 BUDGET HOLD DATE	31 BUDGET HOLD DATE	

IL Senate - January 2024

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	1 NEW YEAR'S DAY STATE HOLIDAY	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15 MARTIN LUTHER KING JR. DAY STATE HOLIDAY	16 SESSION	17 SESSION	18 SESSION	19 DEADLINE House & Senate LR's Reports LRB Back Out Period Begins	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30	31			

IL Senate - February 2024

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
				1	2	3
4	5	6 SESSION	7 SESSION	8 SESSION	9 DEADLINE Senate and House Bills LRB Amendments Report Begins	10
11	12 LINCOLN'S BIRTHDAY STATE HOLIDAY	13	14 ASH WEDNESDAY VALENTINE'S DAY	15	16	17
18	19 PRESIDENTS DAY STATE HOLIDAY	20 SESSION	21 SESSION GOVERNORS BUDGET & STATE OF THE STATE ADDRESS	22 SESSION	23	24
25	26	27	28	29		

IL Senate - March 2024

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
					1	2
3	4	5 SESSION	6 SESSION	7 SESSION	8 SESSION	9
10 DAYLIGHT SAVING BEGINS RAMADAN BEGINS	11	12 SESSION	13 SESSION	14 SESSION	15 SESSION DEADLINE Subcommittee Reports Out of Committee	16
17 ST. PATRICK'S DAY	18	19 PRIMARY ELECTION	20 SESSION	21 SESSION	22 SESSION	23
24 PALM SUNDAY	25 EASTER SUNDAY	26	27	28	29 GOOD FRIDAY	30

IL Senate - April 2024

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9 SESSION RAMADAN ENDS EID AL-FITR	10 SESSION EID AL-FITR	11 SESSION	12 SESSION DEADLINE Third Reading Subcommittee Reports Out of Committee	13
14	15	16 SESSION	17 SESSION	18 SESSION	19 SESSION	20
21	22	23	24 ADMINISTRATIVE PROFESSIONALS DAY	25	26	27
28	29 PASSOVER BEGINS	30 SESSION PASSOVER ENDS				

IL Senate - May 2024

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
			1 SESSION	2 SESSION	3 SESSION	4
5	6	7 SESSION	8 SESSION	9 SESSION	10 DEADLINE Subcommittee Reports Out of Committee	11
CINCO DE MAYO	13 PM SESSION	14 SESSION	15 SESSION	16 SESSION	17 DEADLINE Third Reading Subcommittee Reports Out of Committee	18
MOTHER'S DAY	20 PM SESSION	21 SESSION	22 SESSION	23 SESSION	24 SESSION ADJOURNMENT	25 CONTINGENT SESSION
26 CONTINGENT SESSION	27 MEMORIAL DAY STATE HOLIDAY CONTINGENT SESSION	28 CONTINGENT SESSION	29 CONTINGENT SESSION	30 CONTINGENT SESSION	31 CONTINGENT SESSION	

Join an

ISACo Policy Committee

Help shape state policy affecting counties by joining an Illinois State Association of Counties (ISACo) Policy Committee! Participation is virtual and occurs four times per year unless the members of a committee desire to meet more frequently. These committees play a vital role in shaping the policies that impact our counties. As we navigate the complex landscape of governance and policy, it's crucial to ensure the voices of our county officials and staff are heard and actively shaping decisions that affect counties.

Why Join?

1. **Community Empowerment:** Your county's needs and concerns deserve attention. Joining a Policy Committee allows you to actively contribute to the creation and improvement of policies that impact your operations.
2. **Informed Decision-Making:** Stay at the forefront of policy discussions and decisions. Your participation ensures that policies are crafted with a comprehensive understanding of local realities.
3. **Networking Opportunities:** Connect with like-minded individuals who share a passion for positive change. The committees offer a platform for networking, collaboration, and the exchange of ideas.
4. **Educational Resources:** Stay informed and educated on crucial issues affecting counties. The committees provide access to valuable resources and educational materials to enhance your understanding of policy matters.

Committees Overview:

1. **Justice and Public Safety Policy Committee:** Addresses issues related to justice, law enforcement and public safety within local governments.
2. **Community, Economic and Workforce Development Policy Committee:** Addresses and promote initiatives and policies that contribute to the well-being and growth of counties and local economies.

3. **Environment, Energy and Land Use Policy Committee:** Addresses and oversee matters related to environmental protection, energy policy and land use planning within local governments.
4. **Agriculture and Rural Affairs Policy Committee:** Addresses and formulates policies related to agriculture and rural development. This includes examining issues such as farming practices, agricultural sustainability, rural infrastructure and the overall well-being of rural communities.
5. **Public Health Policy Committee:** Addresses various health issues that promote and safeguard the health and well-being of residents through the development, evaluation and advocacy of policies.
6. **Transportation Policy Committee:** Focuses on formulating and overseeing transportation policies within counties. This committee addresses aspects such as infrastructure development, traffic management, public transit and sustainability.
7. **Arts and Culture Policy Committee:** Recommends policies related to arts and culture within counties. Its purpose is to provide a platform for discussing, developing and implementing policies that support and promote the arts and cultural activities.

How to Get Involved:

Joining is easy! Visit our website www.isacoil.org and explore the Policy Committees section. Choose the committee that aligns with your interests and expertise and fill out an application form. Return the form to Legislative Advocacy and Research Manager, Nekya Hall at nhall@isacoil.org.

Your participation matters. Together, we can build a future where policies are reflective of the diverse needs and aspirations of counties. Join an ISACo Policy Committee and be a catalyst for positive change!

NACo Achievement Awards 2023



The Achievement Awards program is a non-competitive awards program recognizing innovative county government programs in 18 categories covering a wide spectrum of county responsibilities. One outstanding program from each category will be selected as the “Best of Category.” The following programs in Illinois won awards.

PROGRAM:	PROHIBITION ON SINGLE USE PLASTICS IN LAKE COUNTY OPERATIONS		
	COUNTY: Lake	CATEGORY: County Resiliency	YEAR: 2023
PROGRAM:	NATURAL GAS ENERGY SAVINGS		
	COUNTY: Cook	CATEGORY: County Resiliency	YEAR: 2023
PROGRAM:	CLIMATE GOAL ACHIEVEMENT		
	COUNTY: Cook	CATEGORY: County Resiliency	YEAR: 2023
PROGRAM:	STIC WITH IT ENERGY CHALLENGE FOR BUILDING ENGINEERS		
	COUNTY: Cook	CATEGORY: County Resiliency	YEAR: 2023
PROGRAM:	FOREST PRESERVES OF COOK COUNTY REDI COMMITTEE		
	COUNTY: Cook	CATEGORY: Personnel Management, Employment & Training	YEAR: 2023
PROGRAM:	FACILITIES MANAGEMENT ENGINEER APPRENTICESHIP TRAINING PROGRAM		
	COUNTY: Cook	CATEGORY: Personnel Management, Employment & Training	YEAR: 2023
PROGRAM:	POSITIONING COOK COUNTY AS AN EMPLOYER OF CHOICE		
	COUNTY: Lake	CATEGORY: Personnel Management, Employment & Training	YEAR: 2023
PROGRAM:	BRIGHTER BEGINNINGS - COUNTYCARE'S MATERNAL AND CHILD HEALTH PROGRAM		
	COUNTY: Cook	CATEGORY: Health	YEAR: 2023
PROGRAM:	UN PUERTO EN LA TORMENTA: HEALTH CARE FOR ASYLUM SEEKERS IN CHICAGO		
	COUNTY: Lake	CATEGORY: Health	YEAR: 2023
PROGRAM:	AMERICAN MEDICAL ASSOCIATION & CCH BLOOD PRESSURE REMOTE MONITORING		
	COUNTY: Cook	CATEGORY: Health	YEAR: 2023
PROGRAM:	FOOD AS MEDICINE		
	COUNTY: Lake	CATEGORY: Health	YEAR: 2023
PROGRAM:	FAMILIES IN IT TOGETHER (FIT) GRAM		
	COUNTY: Cook	CATEGORY: Health	YEAR: 2023
PROGRAM:	MEDICAL EXAMINER'S ONLINE PORTAL		
	COUNTY: Lake	CATEGORY: Health	YEAR: 2023

PROGRAM:	COVID-19 ANALYTICS RESPONSE		
	COUNTY: Cook	CATEGORY: Health	YEAR: 2023
PROGRAM:	DATA-DRIVEN, COMMUNITY EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS AND RESILIENCE BUILDING		
	COUNTY: Cook	CATEGORY: Risk & Emergency Management	YEAR: 2023
PROGRAM:	SHERIFF'S MEAL DELIVERY PARTNERSHIP		
	COUNTY: Cook	CATEGORY: Risk & Emergency Management	YEAR: 2023
PROGRAM:	COOK COUNTY EMERGENCY RENTAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM		
	COUNTY: Cook	CATEGORY: Community & Economic Development	YEAR: 2023
PROGRAM:	EQUITY FUND		
	COUNTY: Cook	CATEGORY: Community & Economic Development	YEAR: 2023
PROGRAM:	AUTOMATION OF BUILDING AND ZONING OPERATIONS		
	COUNTY: Cook	CATEGORY: Community & Economic Development	YEAR: 2023
PROGRAM:	REINVEST DUPAGE SMALL BUSINESS GRANT PROGRAM		
	COUNTY: DuPage	CATEGORY: Community & Economic Development	YEAR: 2023
PROGRAM:	PTAXSIM: A TOOL FOR POLICYMAKERS TO ENACT PROPERTY TAX REFORM BASED ON DATA		
	COUNTY: Cook	CATEGORY: Community & Economic Development	YEAR: 2023
PROGRAM:	COOK COUNTY MANUFACTURING REINVENTED		
	COUNTY: Cook	CATEGORY: Community & Economic Development	YEAR: 2023
PROGRAM:	SMALL BUSINESS SOURCE		
	COUNTY: Cook	CATEGORY: Community & Economic Development	YEAR: 2023
PROGRAM:	DUPAGE COMMUNITY TRANSFORMATION PARTNERSHIP		
	COUNTY: DuPage	CATEGORY: Human Services	YEAR: 2023
PROGRAM:	18TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT COURT (DUPAGE COUNTY) EVICTION MEDIATION PROGRAM		
	COUNTY: DuPage	CATEGORY: Human Services	YEAR: 2023
PROGRAM:	REMOTE AND EQUITABLE ACCESS TO COURT HEARINGS (REACH)		
	COUNTY: Cook	CATEGORY: Libraries	YEAR: 2023
PROGRAM:	DIGITAL EQUITY ENGAGEMENT		
	COUNTY: Cook	CATEGORY: Libraries	YEAR: 2023
PROGRAM:	DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE TAX DISCOVERY PROCESS		
	COUNTY: Cook	CATEGORY: Financial Management	YEAR: 2023
PROGRAM:	COOK COUNTY LOCAL GOVERNMENT BRIDGE FUNDING PROGRAM		
	COUNTY: Cook	CATEGORY: Financial Management	YEAR: 2023
PROGRAM:	FURNITURE COST ESTIMATION TOOL		
	COUNTY: Cook	CATEGORY: Financial Management	YEAR: 2023
PROGRAM:	RACIAL EQUITY COHORT FELLOWSHIP		
	COUNTY: Cook	CATEGORY: Criminal Justice & Public Safety	YEAR: 2023

PROGRAM:	COVID-19 ATTESTATION MANAGEMENT SYSTEM (CAMS)		
COUNTY:	Cook	CATEGORY:	Criminal Justice & Public Safety
YEAR:	2023		
PROGRAM:	SHERIFF'S VEHICLE LIGHT REPLACEMENT PROGRAM		
COUNTY:	Cook	CATEGORY:	Criminal Justice & Public Safety
YEAR:	2023		
PROGRAM:	CONNECTION TO THE COURTS (ACCESS TO JUSTICE) PROGRAM		
COUNTY:	Kendall	CATEGORY:	Criminal Justice & Public Safety
YEAR:	2023		
PROGRAM:	JUST HOUSING AMENDMENT OUTREACH PROGRAM		
COUNTY:	Cook	CATEGORY:	Civic Education & Public Information
YEAR:	2023		
PROGRAM:	LAND RECORDS FREE LEGAL HELP DESK		
COUNTY:	Cook	CATEGORY:	Civic Education & Public Information
YEAR:	2023		
PROGRAM:	SHERIFF'S MENTORING PROGRAM		
COUNTY:	Cook	CATEGORY:	Children & Youth
YEAR:	2023		
PROGRAM:	LINKJA - A PRIVACY-PRESERVING RECORD LINKAGE SOFTWARE SYSTEM		
COUNTY:	Cook	CATEGORY:	Information Technology
YEAR:	2023		

Your county can earn local and national recognition.

Applications for the 2024 NACo Achievement Awards are available by visiting:

www.naco.org/page/apply-2024-naco-achievement-awards

Click "Apply Today" to begin your application. Applications are due March 30, 2024.



Public | Surplus™

Public Surplus is an online auction platform that offers services to local government agencies. Their system was created with unique capabilities specifically for public agencies, making it much more than an auction site.

ISACo has partnered with Public Surplus to provide large discounts for our county members when it comes to doing online auctions, specifically real estate sales.

Through a partnership with ISACo, Illinois counties are eligible to list items with a reduced buyer's premium, which will encourage competitive bidding on surplus items listed. With Public Surplus, buyers are responsible for all service fees, and it costs counties nothing to use the service.

Public Surplus will also provide a 10% rebate to ISACo on each sale so that the Association can continue to offer a high level of service at minimal cost to members.

Attendees enjoyed ISACo's Annual Luncheon on December 8, 2023



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Become an ISACo Corporate Partner!

ISACo's Corporate Partner Program was established to provide a forum for companies and organizations to build relationships with county officials while supporting the important work of ISACo.

The program offers five options for corporations and organizations to become associate members of ISACo while receiving benefits for this status.

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