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2015 smart connections

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April 30, 2015

Stoney Creek Hotel and Conference Center, Johnston

ISAC, the Iowa League of Cities, and County Strategic Technology Advisory Resource (CoSTAR) in cooperation with the Iowa Communities Assurance Pool (ICAP) wish to announce the 2015 Smart Connections Conference. This one-day conference is meant for all local government officials who wish to learn more about protecting you, your organization, and your information. Attendees will learn about protecting your work and personal email, cell-phones, computers and more. These cyber security threats are becoming very common – are you prepared???

registration \$50

This fee applies to all city and county employees and includes all materials, handouts, lunch and morning refreshments. A limited number of seats are available - pre-registration is required.

agenda

This conference will feature Keynote Speaker Michael Bazzell, a renowned computer crime specialist assigned to the FBI's Cyber Crime Task Force. Mr. Bazzell is known worldwide for his interactive presentations. Attendees will learn how cyber crime happens and how it's an emerging crime against all local governments. He'll teach you how to protect yourself, your organization and your information.

During this conference you will also hear and learn from horror stories of cyber crime against local governments. You will be made aware of technology resources available in Iowa to local governments.

hotel

A hotel room block has been set aside for conference attendees on the night of Wednesday, April 29 at a rate of \$89. This room block will close on April 15, 2015. To book a room, please call 515.334.9000 and ask for the Smart Connections Conference rate.

sponsorships

We are offering modest sponsorships starting at only \$250. Please help to keep registration rates low in order to promote attendance at this very important conference. Contact Rachel Bennett at rbennett@iowacounties.org or 515.244.7181 if you are interested in learning more.