

2011 The Iowa County Index

AFFILIATE HIGHLIGHTS

ICIT 2011 Mid-Year Technology Conference – April
Local Officials Have Key Role in Emergency Management – June

CAPITOL COMMENTS by ISAC Policy Team

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Commercial Property Tax Changes on the Horizon – Mary Beth Mellick – March
Iowa Redistricting Process – Linda Hinton – April
ISAC Sets Legislative District Meeting Schedule – Linda Hinton – May
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Deadline Approaching for Gender-Balanced Boards – Hanna De Groot – June
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Mental Health Funding – August
Much Ado About Commercial Property Taxes – Mary Beth Mellick – September
Mandates – Linda Hinton – October
Fuel Tax Increase - This is the Year – Linda Hinton – November
All Politics is Local – Linda Hinton – December

CCMS

Retreating on the Way to Moving Forward – Linda Kemp – January
Common Sense Strategies to Cope with Life – Jackie Olson Leech – February
Attitudes are Contagious – Cindy Chappelle – March
Odds and Ends and Then Some – Deb Eckerman Slack – April
FASD a Possibility – Linda Kemp – May
Americans with Disabilities Act 20th Year – Jackie Olson Leech – June
Beyond the Paperwork – Cindy Chappelle – July
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Resiliency – Deb Eckerman Slack – August
SAM: Finding a Voice – Linda Kemp – September
CCMS 'Connections that Count' Conference a Success – October
The Choice is Yours – Cindy Chappelle – November
Strengths Based Training – Deb Eckerman Slack – December

COUNTIES IN THE SPOTLIGHT

Johnson County Awarded LEED Certification – August
Warren County's Green Initiatives – October
Buchanan County's Sustainable Living Cabins – December

FEATURES

Thoughts on the Upcoming Year – Marge Pitts – January
Iowa Climate Change Adaptation and Resilience Project – Leanne Lawrie Harter – February
Prevention and Chronic Care Management – Terri Henkels – February
Recorders Take Action to Protect Privacy – Deb Winke and Nancy Parrott – March
Linda Langston for NACo 2nd VP – April
2011 ISAC Scholarship Golf Fundraiser – June
Citizen Diplomacy Program – Ben Rogers – July

Annual County Leadership Institute – Cara Marker-Morgan – August
Linda Elected NACo 2nd Vice President – Linda Langston – September
NACo Annual Conference – Grant Veeder – September
Annual Conference Review – Marge Pitts – September
Local Farms in Oregon – Melvyn Houser – September
My Trip to the Farm – John Miller – September
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Eliason Elected President – September
2012 ISAC Scholarship Application – November
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Needs of Iowa County Roads – December
New Program Makes Election Precincts More Efficient – Hanna De Groot – December
2012 ISAC Scholarship Application – December

ISAC STAFF/FUNCTIONS

Welcome Mary Beth – February – Mary Beth Mellick

ISAC MEETINGS by Stacy Horner

2011 Spring School of Instruction – January, February
2011 County Day at the Capitol - March 3 – February
2011 Statewide Supervisors Meeting - February 10 – February
NCO School a Success! – March
Legislative District Meetings Scheduled – April
County Day at the Capitol a Success – April
Spring School a Success - Your Feedback – May
ISAC Fall School Agenda Announced – June
Fall School Dates and Deadlines – July
Top 10 Reasons to Attend the 2011 Fall School – August
Take Advantage of ISAC's Corporate Hotel Rates – September
2011 ISAC Fall School of Instruction Insert – October
2012 ISAC University – November

LEGAL BRIEFS

Important Updates – Nate Bonnett – February
Genetics-based Discrimination in Employment – Nate Bonnett – March
Farewell from Nate – April
Welcome Kristi – June
Eligible Charitable Organizations – Kristi Harshbarger – July
Autopsies – Kristi Harshbarger – August
Open Meetings and Open Records – Kristi Harshbarger – September
Iowa Supreme Court Happenings – Kristi Harshbarger – October
Campaigns and Elections – Kristi Harshbarger – November
Goals, Timing and Deadlines in 2012 – Kristi Harshbarger – December

NACo News

County Government Works – February
NACo Rural Action Caucus Updates – February
National County Government Month – March
NACo Legislative Conference, March 4-9, 2011 – Grant Veeder – May
NACo WIR Conference – Grant Veeder – July
See Feature – September
Online Game will let Students 'Run their own County' – Tom Goodman – November

Save the Date! NACo Annual Conference – November

PREFERRED VENDOR HIGHLIGHTS

Advanced Correctional Healthcare – February
Law Offices of Hopkins & Huebner, P.C. – March
Inmate Medical Budget Protection: Savings Made Simple – March
LBC Technology – April
Vanguard Appraisals – May
Bankers Trust – June
Purple Wave – July
DEVNET, Inc – October
Dan Corbin, Inc. – November
Danko Emergency Equipment/Federal Warning Systems – December

TECHNOLOGY CENTER

By Robin Harlow

Broadband Future, Part One – January
New Excellence in Action Nomination Process – February
Engage – March
Further Engagement – April
Everything Old is New Again – May
Generations and Gadgets – June
The Year of CSN – July
Rural Broadband Update – August
Understanding Outsourcing – September
Social Networking Sites – October
Technology Trends – November

By Legislative Services Agency

Enhanced 911 Communication – November

By Tammy Norman

Video Chatting – February
The Art of Googling – March
iPad 2 – May
Printers – June
Office Move – July
Pocket Video Camera – August
Photo Books – September
Laptops – November

ISAC BRIEF

ISAC Board of Directors Meeting Summary - December 9, 2010 – January
Call for Nominations: ISAC Golden Eagle – February
ISAC Excellence in Action Award Nomination Form – March
ISAC Board of Directors Meeting Summary – January 28, 2011 – March
ISAC Board of Directors Meeting Summary – February 24-25, 2011 – April
Welcome Ashley – May
Welcome Gina – May
ISAC Board of Directors Meeting Summary - May 6, 2011 – June
ISAC Wellness Program Update – Jenna Kunstle – June
Goodbye to Lauren – July
Board Meeting Summary - July 8, 2011 – August
Goodbye from Chelsea – August
Welcome Mindi – August
2011/2012 District Officers – August
ISAC Scholarship Golf Fundraiser a Success! – October

Board Meeting Summary - September 15-16, 2011 – October

2012 Scholarship Application Now Available – October
Statement of Ownership – October
Board Meeting Summary – October 17-18, 2011 – December

LETTER TO THE EDITOR/MEMBER EDITORIAL

Job Creation in Iowa, a Three Point Program – Stan Walk – March
Property Taxes – July

MISCELLANEOUS

Introduction to Planning and Zoning Workshops – February
Making Medicare Make Sense – February, May, July, August, October
Upcoming LAD Courses – April
Iowa's Public Employees Leadership Academy – Bob Sperry – April
Annual Retirement Account Check-ups – NRS – April
The Cooperative Purchasing Advantage – U.S. Communities – April
U.S. Communities – May
Hiring Seasonal Workers – ICAP – June
Independent Contractor and Workers' Compensation Coverage – IMWCA – July
U.S. Communities – August
Iowa Floor Center: Living With Floods – September
ICAP 25th Anniversary – October
Decals Available from Keep Iowa Beautiful – November
Nationwide Retirement Solutions – November
Driving in a Winter Wonderland – IMWCA – November
A Message from IPAIT – Adam Corrie – December

ABOUT THE COVER

2011 ISAC Legislative Priorities – January
High Trestle Trail – Robin Harlow – February
Dragon Fly – Lauren Adams – July
Harper's Ferry – Steve DeVries – August
Iowa Interstate Railroads – December

EMPLOYMENT/FOR SALE

Page County Assistant to Engineer – January
Wapello County GIS Coordinator – February
Keokuk County Engineer – March
Clinton County Communications/E911 Manager – August, September
Linn County Public Health Director – October
Polk County Director of Public Works – December

ISAC AD

2011 Spring School of Instruction – February
2011 ISAC Golf Scholarship Fundraiser – April, May, June, July, August
2011 CCMS Annual Conference – June, July
2011 Fall School of Instruction – August, September
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