



ISAC COUNTY BUDGETING AND PROPERTY TAX SEMINAR

October 2 . 2019

Gateway Hotel and Convention Center | Ames

9:00 am - 9:30 am | Registration and Morning Refreshments

9:30 am - 9:45 am | Welcome

- Bill Peterson, ISAC Executive Director

9:45 am - 10:15 am | SF 634 Requirements and Changes

- Lucas Beenken, ISAC Public Policy Specialist

A detailed description of SF 634 and what it means for Iowa's counties.

10:15 am - 11:00 am | Property Tax Trends

- Peter Fisher, Iowa Policy Project

The history and future of property tax trends in Iowa.

11:00 am - 12:00 pm | SF 634 Requirements and Changes

- Carrie Johnson, Department of Management
- Julie Roisen, Department of Revenue

A technical overview of the property tax related responsibilities of the Department of Revenue and the Department of Management.

12:00 pm - 12:45 pm | Lunch

12:45 pm - 1:45 pm | County Budgeting and SF 634 Panel

Moderator | Lucas Beenken, ISAC

- Dawn Jindrich, Linn County Finance Director
- Marge Pitts, Clay County Auditor
- Mark Campbell, Webster County Supervisor

Panelists will discuss how budgeting will be affected by SF 634 and what strategies can be used to most effectively budget for the present while planning for the future.

1:45 pm - 2:00 pm | Break

2:00 pm - 3:00 pm | Budgeting Efficiencies Panel and Attendee Sharing

Moderator | Lucas Beenken, ISAC

- Ryan Dokter, Sioux County Auditor
- Dave Muhlbauer, Crawford County Supervisor
- Eric Van Lancker, Clinton County Auditor

County officials will discuss efficiencies used in their counties. Attendees will be asked to bring and share examples as well.

3:00 pm - 4:00 pm | Budgeting Transparency and Communications

- Leanne Harter, Story County Outreach and Special Projects Manager
- Gary Sawyer, Iowa State University

A panel of county and communication professionals will share best practices for keeping citizens aware of and involved in county government functions and services.