



*Joining together is a beginning... working together is a success.*

## Associate Membership Program

ILLINOIS ASSOCIATION OF  
COUNTY BOARD MEMBERS AND COMMISSIONERS  
413 West Monroe  
Springfield, Illinois 62704



*A partnership with  
Illinois counties*

## **Associate Membership**

As the demands on local government become more complex, county board members are always seeking new, cost-effective ways to provide services to the citizens of Illinois.

The Illinois Association of County Board Members and Commissioners (IACBMC) believes that developing a strong relationship with the private sector and other public sector organizations is beneficial to our member counties and the people county governments ultimately serve.

IACBMC's Associate Membership Program is uniquely designed to foster a positive relationship between Illinois counties and the organizations and firms who offer technical assistance and services needed in today's complex county government system.

The investment is an inexpensive way for business professionals to develop mutually beneficial relationships with county officials and keep abreast of the latest happenings in local government. Associate members interact with county board members through conferences and other meetings and receive informational publications through the year.

Any commercial enterprise, non-profit organization, institution of higher education or public sector agency interested in the objectives of the Illinois Association of County Board Members can become an associate member. Associate members do not have voting privileges and are not eligible to serve on any IACBMC board or committee.

**The cost of associate membership is \$250 per year for corporate and \$200 per year for academic and non-profit. To sign up, please complete the membership application and submit it, along with the annual application fee to the Association address printed on the application form.**

### **Mission Statement**

It is the mission of the Illinois Association of County Board Members and Commissioners (IACBMC) to enhance the stature, role and responsiveness of county government in the State of Illinois. IACBMC will promote the ability of Illinois counties to provide responsible public service, efficiently through cooperation legislative action, education of public officials, provision of quality member services and programs, and increasing public awareness of local government issues.

# Associate Membership Application

The Illinois Association of County Board Members and Commissioners (IACBMC) welcomes membership from businesses, corporations, academic, not-for-profit organizations, as well as, county governments who are interested in the objectives of the Association. By becoming an affiliate of IACBMC, you will have contact with a large network of local government officials and related professionals as they work together to address such common challenges as transportation, economic development, planning, land use, health care and public safety.

## Benefits of Associate Membership

- A sustaining partnership and opportunity to network with Illinois county officials
- Inclusion in Association mailings of general interest
- Subscription to *Local Illinois*, the quarterly magazine of the IACBMC (*includes new member listing*)
- A 10% discount on advertising in *Local Illinois*
- Eligibility to register for IACBMC meetings and conferences at county rate (*excludes exhibiting vendors*)
- Priority status over non-members for reserving exhibitor space
- Ability to sponsor events at IACBMC conferences and workshops
- E-mail subscription to *Counties at the Capitol*, the legislative bulletin published periodically when the General Assembly is in session
- Subscription to *Talking Points* and *GrantLine*, IACBMC's electronic news bulletins
- Access to direct mail list of county board chairs (*some restrictions may apply*)
- Listing on the IACBMC website and link to your website

## Associate Membership Fee

Business / Corporate – \$250.00

Academic / Not-for-Profit – \$200.00

I hereby make application for Associate Membership to the Illinois Association of County Board Members and Commissioners.

Organization / Business \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Name \_\_\_\_\_

Title \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone \_\_\_\_\_ Fax \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail address \_\_\_\_\_ Website \_\_\_\_\_

Membership dues are invoiced on an annual basis. The IACBMC Executive Board reserves the right to reject any application that it deems inappropriate or incompatible with the mission of IACBMC. Make checks payable to Illinois Association of County Board Members. Payment must be received within 30 days for application to be considered valid.

Direct membership inquiries and application form to

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