



CCAO SUMMER SYMPOSIUM 2023

Economic Development Strategies: Ohio Counties Reaching Forward

AUGUST 16-18, 2023
Cherry Valley Hotel | Newark, Ohio

SCHEDULE AT A GLANCE

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 16

Time	Session	Room
2:00 – 4:30 p.m.	Registration Opens	Buckeye Room/Woodhull Foyer
2:15 – 4:15 p.m.	Robert's Rules of Order and Conducting Effective Meetings	Woodhull BC
5:00 p.m.	Meet in Hotel Lobby for Transportation	Lobby
6:00 – 8:00 p.m.	Dinner	Clover Valley Golf Club 8644 Johnstown-Alexandria Rd, Johnstown, OH 43031

THURSDAY, AUGUST 17

7:30 – 9:00 a.m.	Breakfast	River Birch
9:00 – 9:10 a.m.	Welcome	Woodhull BCD
9:10 – 10:20 a.m.	Building for the Future, Broadband in Ohio	Woodhull BCD
10:30 – 11:45 a.m.	Landbanks: A Tool to Revitalize Neighborhoods	Woodhull BCD
11:45 – 1:15 p.m.	Lunch	Patio/Lobby (Rain - River Birch)
1:15 – 2:40 p.m.	Creating the Framework for Economic Development	Woodhull ABCDE
2:50 – 4:10 p.m.	Strengthening Workforce Development in our Communities	Woodhull BCD
4:30 – 5:30 p.m.	Cabinet Directors' Roundtable Discussions	Woodhull ABCDE
5:30 – 6:00 p.m.	Reception	CK Pub/Patio/Lobby
6:00 – 8:30 p.m.	Dinner, Dessert & Conversation followed by social	River Birch

FRIDAY, AUGUST 18

7:30 – 9:45 a.m.	Breakfast	River Birch
7:50 – 8:25 a.m.	Brief State Budget Overview and Its Impact on Counties	River Birch
8:30 – 9:45 a.m.	Discussions with Lawmakers	River Birch
10:00 – 12:00 p.m.	CCAO Board Meeting With Discussion on Ohio Housing's Needs and Strategies	Woodhull ABC
12:00 – 1:30 p.m.	Lunch	River Birch

SYMPOSIUM SCHEDULE - WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 16

Time	Session	Room
2:00 – 4:30 p.m.	Registration Opens	Buckeye Room/Foyer
2:15 – 4:15 p.m.	Robert's Rules of Order and Conducting Effective Meetings Moderator: Denise Driehaus , CCAO Treasurer and Hamilton County Commissioner Speakers: Byron Baxter , PRP Theresa Elder , Assistant Clerk, Ottawa County Mary Zoeller , Deputy Clerk to Commission, Montgomery County Objectives: This session will provide a greater understanding of Robert's Rules of Order and help you to utilize these Rules to conduct a more effective meeting.	Woodhull BC
5:00 p.m.	Meet in Cherry Valley Hotel Lobby for Transportation	Lobby
6:00 – 8:00 p.m.	Dinner	Clover Valley Golf Club 8644 Johnstown- Alexandria Rd Johnstown, OH 43031

SYMPOSIUM SCHEDULE - THURSDAY, AUGUST 17

7:30 – 9:00 a.m.	Breakfast	River Birch
8:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.	Registration	Buckeye Room/Foyer
8:00 – 8:30 a.m.	CCAO Executive Committee Meeting	Denison
9:00 – 9:10 a.m.	Welcome Speaker: Glenn Miller , CCAO President and Henry County Commissioner	Woodhull BCD
9:10 – 10:20 a.m.	Building for the Future, Broadband in Ohio Moderators: David Kern , Defiance County Commissioner Chris Abbuhl , CCAO 1st Vice President and Tuscarawas County Commissioner Presenters: Amy Elbaor , Assistant Chief, BroadbandOhio Sarah Briggs , Vice President, AT&T Ohio Brian Young , Director, State Government Affairs, Charter Communications Marla Akridge , Executive Director, Tuscarawas County Economic Development Corporation Objectives: Discuss BroadbandOhio and an overview of the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) maps for broadband coverage; highlight funding sources, how to "braid" funding streams; spotlight examples of what providers have done in their counties and how to expand those projects to other counties.	Woodhull BCD

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Time	Session	Room
10:30 – 11:45 a.m.	<p>Landbanks: A Tool to Revitalize Neighborhoods</p> <p>Moderator: David Painter, CCAO 2nd Vice President and Clermont County Commissioner</p> <p>Presenters: Carolyn Rice, Montgomery County Commissioner</p> <p>Shawn Carvin, Executive Director, Ohio Land Bank Association</p> <p>Alex Iarocci, Executive Director, Ashtabula County Land Reutilization Corporation</p> <p>Objectives: This session will provide an overview of how landbanks are established, how they function, and how commissioners can use them to revitalize communities in their county. Speakers will present case studies of successful landbank practices with commercial and residential properties, and how to maximize the impact of these redevelopment organizations.</p>	Woodhull BCD
11:45 – 1:15 p.m.	Lunch	Patio/Lobby (Rain - River Birch)
1:15 – 2:40 p.m.	<p>County Economic Development: Creating the Framework for Economic Development Success</p> <p>Moderator: Judy Dodge, Montgomery County Commissioner</p> <p>Presenters: Mark Barbash, Director, Ohio Economic Development Institute</p> <p>Dan Dean, Fayette County Commissioner</p> <p>Mollie Fitzgerald, Executive Director, Athens County Economic Development Council</p> <p>James Hill, Executive Director, Sidney Shelby Economic Partnership</p> <p>Objectives: This session will be offered in a small group, round table discussion format so participants can share ideas with their peers. Facilitators will introduce case studies of development that explore different topics, including how to create an investment-ready site; how to use various local and state incentives to meet an employer's needs; and, how to create an overall business climate that is conducive to economic development.</p>	Woodhull ABCDE

SYMPOSIUM SCHEDULE - THURSDAY, AUGUST 17

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2:50 – 4:10 p.m.	<p>Strengthening Workforce Development in our Communities</p> <p>Moderator: Sabrina Christian-Bennett, Portage County Commissioner</p> <p>Presenters: Jack Everson, Ross County Commissioner and Executive Director, BESTOhio Industry Sector Partnership</p> <p>Mike Longo, Director, Lorain County Workforce Development Agency</p> <p>Jessica Borza, Senior Workforce Advisor, Ohio Manufacturers' Association</p> <p>Objectives: This session will spotlight workforce development best practices that commissioners, workforce areas and OhioMeansJobs centers can use to better serve Ohioans and businesses.</p>	Woodhull BCD
4:10 – 4:30 p.m.	20-minute Refreshment Break	Woodhull Foyer
4:30 – 5:30 p.m.	<p>Cabinet Directors' Roundtable Discussions</p> <p>Moderator: Glenn Miller, CCAO President and Henry County Commissioner</p> <p>Lydia Mihalik, Director, Ohio Department of Development</p> <p>Brian Baldridge, Director, Ohio Department of Agriculture</p> <p>Anne Vogel, Director, Ohio Environmental Protection Agency</p> <p>Giles Allen, Director, Legislative Affairs for Ohio Governor Mike DeWine</p>	Woodhull ABCDE
5:30 – 6:00 p.m.	Reception	CK Pub/Patio/Lobby
6:00 – 8:30 p.m.	Dinner, Dessert and Conversation	River Birch
8:30 p.m.	Social (optional)	CK Pub/Patio

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Time	Session	Room
7:30 – 9:45 a.m.	Breakfast	River Birch
7:50 – 8:25 a.m.	Brief State Budget Overview and Its Impact on Counties Presenters: Kyle Petty, Esq. , CCAO Managing Director of Policy Dr. Jon Honeck , CCAO Senior Policy Analyst Rachel Reedy , CCAO Outreach and Member Engagement Manager James Kennedy , CCAO Policy Analyst	River Birch
8:30 – 9:45 a.m.	Discussions with Lawmakers Moderator: Casey Kozlowski , CCAO Secretary and Ashtabula County Commissioner State Representative Thaddeus Claggett Assistant House Minority Leader Dontavius Jarrells State Representative Adam Mathews House Minority Leader Allison Russo State Senator Tim Schaffer State Representative Brian Stewart	River Birch
9:45 – 10:00 a.m.	Break	
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