NEW MEMBER TRAINING SEMINAR
February 5, 2017
CCAO BASICS
Welcome to YOUR Association!
Objectives for Seminar

• All the ways CCAO and NACo are here to help you succeed
• Offer expert sessions on key aspects of your statutory responsibilities
• Ready to advocate on behalf of county government
• Forum to network and have some fun
CCAO Exists to Advance Effective County Government through:

- Legislative Advocacy
- Education & Training
- Technical Assistance & Research
- Quality enterprise service programs
- Promoting greater awareness and understanding of county government
County Commissioners Association of Ohio

- CCAO IRC 501 (c)(4)
  - Performs the most major lobbying, education, training, information and technical assistance programs. All staff are on the CCAO payroll.
CCAO Governance

• CCAO is governed by a board of directors that may include up to 35 members.
  • 15 are elected to a two-year term
  • 9 are appointed to a one-year term
  • 6 are the most recent Past Presidents

• The board includes the 5 CCAO Officers
  • President, 1st Vice President, 2nd Vice President, Secretary and Treasurer.
2017 CCAO Officers

L to R: 2nd Vice President Julie Ehemann, Shelby; Treasurer Debbie Lieberman, Montgomery; 1st Vice President Daniel Troy, Lake; President Ed Humphrey, Clermont; Secretary Tom Whiston, Morrow; Past President Doug Corcoran, Ross
CCAO Executive Committee

• 5 Officers
• 2 other Board Members
• Acts between Board Meetings
• Deals with Management Details of Association
CCAO Standing Committees

- Agriculture & Rural Affairs
- Justice & Public Safety
- Jobs, Economic Development & Infrastructure
- General Government & Operations
- Human Services
- Metropolitan & Regional Affairs
- Small County Affairs
- Taxation & Finance
CCAO Special Committees & Task Forces

- CCAO Deferred Compensation Committee
- Energy Program Executive Committee
- Joint Committee on Administration of Elections
- Special Committee on Revision of Drainage & Ditch Laws
- Water Quality Task Force
Affiliates

- County Administrators Association
- County Commissioners Clerks & Engineers Administrative Professionals Association
- Ohio County Dog Wardens Association
- Emergency Management Association of Ohio
- Facility Management Association
- Family & Children First Coordinators Association
- Ohio County Home Association
- County Loss Control Coordinators Association
- Planning Directors Association
- County Sanitary Engineers Association of Ohio
- Organization of Solid Waste Districts of Ohio
Staying Connected

- **Counties Current** – Weekly electronic publication tailored to county government interests.

- **Statehouse Report** - Weekly electronic report keeps our members and affiliates apprised of legislative activities at the Ohio Statehouse that could impact county government.

- **CCAO Roster** - Our annual CCAO Roster of members is an excellent photo directory of county commissioners, county executives, and council members.
Social Media

• Like “County Commissioners Association of Ohio” on Facebook.
• Follow “OHCounties” on Twitter.
• Help us promote your county. Photos of a groundbreaking ceremony? Important county news to share? Send to Communications Coordinator Andrew Johnson at ajohnson@ccao.org.
Advocacy and Educational Opportunities

- Second Wednesday Webinars
- Regional Legislative Briefings – Feb. - April
- NACo Annual Conference – July 21-24, Greater Columbus Convention Center, hosted by Franklin County
- Annual Winter Conference – Dec. 10-12, Hyatt Regency Columbus
- Consultations upon request
CCAO Education & Research Foundation

• CCAO E&R Foundation IRC 501 (C)(3)
  • Specialized research, information, education programs and publications using foundation grants and tax exempt donations.
    • Foundation grants received for various special research projects.
    • County Courthouse Symposium (2014)
    • Economic Development Symposium (2015)
    • Opiate Epidemic Symposium (2016)
County Governance Facility LLC

- CCAO, CORSA, CEBCO
  - Equal owners of facility
  - Purchased in 2008
- Facility is governed by Boards Coordinating Council
CCAO 2017 Board of Directors

Tony Anderson - Fayette County
Brian Baldridge – Adams County
Jay Begg – Allen County
*Tim Bubb – Licking County
Armond Budish – Cuyahoga County
Thom Collier – Knox County
Bob Corbett - Champaign County
Mike Crabtree – Scioto County
*Doug Corcoran - Ross County
Carl Davis - Monroe County
Christopher Day – Preble County
Lenny Eliason – Athens County
*Julie Ehemann - Shelby County
Patricia Geissman - Medina County
Pete Gerken - Lucas County
Robert Glaser - Greene County
Thomas Graham – Jefferson County
Michael Halleck - Columbiana County

*Ed Humphrey - Clermont County
Ted Kalo – Lorain County
Casey Kozlowski – Ashtabula County
Gary Lee - Union County
John Love – Putnam County
*Deb Lieberman - Montgomery Co.
Gary Merrell - Delaware County
Kerry Metzger - Tuscarawas County
Glenn Miller - Henry County
Ann Obrecht – Wayne County
John O’Grady – Franklin County
Holly Stacy – Seneca County
Brian Stewart - Pickaway County
*Daniel Troy - Lake County
Douglas Weisenauer - Crawford Co.
*Tom Whiston - Morrow County
Shane Wilkin – Highland County

* Denotes Executive Committee