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AUGUST 29, 2008

CORSA ANNUAL MEETING, THE RAMADA PLAZA HOTEL & CONFERENCE CENTER, COLUMBUS

ASSOCIATION NEWS

THANK YOU, LAKE COUNTY!

The staff and members of CCAO/CEAO extend a warm round of applause for Lake County Commissioners Robert Aufuldish, Raymond Sines and Daniel Troy and County Engineer James Gills and their staff for hosting the 128th CCAO/CEAO Annual Summer Conference on June 8-10, 2008. Creating the perfect Great "Lake" Experience began with a Vineyard Experience at Chalet Debonné and continued by spouse/guest registrants discovering our place in nature at the Holden Arboretum, Rider's Inn, Headlands Dunes and Mentor Marsh State Nature Preserves.

In addition, CCAO/CEAO thanks members of the Ohio House of Representatives who addressed the CCAO Update from the Ohio General Assembly: Larry Flowers (Dist. 19), Majority Floor Leader; Matt Dolan (Dist. 98); and Lorraine Fende (Dist. 62). Representative Flowers also participated in the 9-1-1/Communications session prior to the legislative panel.

Lt. Governor Lee Fisher presented the bi-partisan jobs stimulus package that the Administration developed in partnership with Senate President Bill Harris and House Speaker Jon Husted at the general session. He also recognized current collaborative efforts by local governments to be efficient and encouraged officials to apply for collaboration grants to explore new opportunities.

Secretary of State Jennifer Brunner joined representatives from the Ohio Association of Elections Officials in updating our members on elections administration, particularly with an eye on the November presidential election.

CCAO/CEAO could not plan high-quality summer conferences without the help of the host county. Thank you for your warm hospitality and a Great "Lake" Experience!

COUNTY COMMISSIONER DAYS – AUGUST 19-20

Ross County Commissioners Jim Caldwell, Frank Hirsch, and Doug Corcoran and OSU Extension

invite you to attend County Commissioner Days on August 19-20, 2008 in historic Ross County (Chillicothe) - Ohio's First Capital. Highlights of activities include:

MONDAY – AUGUST 18

Optional Golf Outing – Chillicothe Country Club, Woodbridge Avenue and Arch Street, (740) 775-0150. Experience 9-holes of rolling hills and lightning fast greens the evening before County Commissioners Days begin. Tee times are reserved for the first 24 golfers. Cost: \$25 payable by cash or check only at tee time. Call to schedule your tee time.

TUESDAY – AUGUST 19

- 9:30-11:30 a.m. – CCAO Board of Trustees Meeting – The meeting is open to all county commissioners and staff members. If you would like to address the Board, please contact Kathy Dillon, CCAO Office Manager and Boards' Liaison, at (614) 220-7998 or (888) 757-1904 by July 21, 2008.
- Photo Session – County commissioners and county OSU Extension agents may have their photo taken to include with a press release for home county media.
- Buffet Lunch (sponsored by CCAO)
- County Tours: historical/cultural, agricultural/industry, business/economic development, and government facilities/services.
- Dinner and Tecumseh out door drama

WEDNESDAY – AUGUST 20

- Breakfast (catered by the Ross County Farm Bureau)
- Educational Sessions I –How Cooperatives Can Impact Your Community Businesses; Central Business District: Measures of Success (and Failure); Van Wert County OSU Extension's Use of a County-Wide Economic Development Advisory Group to Benefit the Local Economy; Be Healthy Now: CCAO and OSU Extension Partnership for Healthy Employees; and the Winning 4-H Plan (for special needs youth).
- Educational Sessions II: Local Government Leadership Education for Elected and Appointed Officials in Ohio; Growing Community Through Farmers' Markets;

Ohio Market Maker: Making Local Food Connections Through an Economic Development Tool; Worksite Wellness Efforts in Ross County; Ready or Not? Business Continuity Planning for the First Four Hours after an Emergency or Disaster; and Real Money, Real World (for youth).

- Closing Luncheon

Early registration fee – before August 4: Both days - \$98/one day - \$70/Tuesday or \$40/Wednesday. Late registration fee – after August 4: Both days - \$108, one day - \$80/Tuesday or \$50/Wednesday. Presenter: \$25. Child ticket to Tecumseh (16 years or younger) - \$10. Individuals are responsible for making their own lodging reservations. Please see the registration form for options.

For more information, please contact OSU Extension South East Region, 16714 Wolf Run Road, Caldwell, OH 43724, (740) 732-2381 or fax (740) 732-5992.

PHOTOS NEEDED: OHIO STATEHOUSE MUSEUM PHOTO PROJECT

The Capitol Square Review and Advisory Board (CSRAB) has developed a design plan to create updated, high-tech, interactive exhibits and educational programs at the Ohio Statehouse. CSRAB and CCAO have partnered on this project are seeking the assistance of all counties. The Ohio Statehouse Museum Web site portal is featured on the front page and under the education tab of the Statehouse Web site – www.ohiostatehouse.org. The new Ohio Statehouse Museum is scheduled to be completed in early March 2009.

How can counties participate? Thanks to **Allen, Champaign, Clinton, Fayette, Hancock, Henry, Knox, Putnam, Ross, Stark, Summit, Washington, Wayne, Wood, and Wyandot** counties for submitting CDs containing photos for the new Ohio Statehouse Museum project! These photos highlight individuals who have come to serve their fellow citizens and make a difference either as governors, legislators, business people, farmers, concerned citizens, athletes, action shots of people at work or play, and school children.

At this point, the CSRAB still needs A LOT of photos to make the exhibition work.

Participating counties have been very thoughtful about the photos sent. However, CSRAB is willing to still accept any and all images to make the project successful. Counties may still submit photos of 25 individuals. The photos can be random people who are young, old, male, female, etc. Photos do NOT need to be the top historical figures of the county. The Ohio Statehouse is working hard to highlight the diversity throughout our great state.

The Ohio Statehouse Web site highlights plans of the interactive museum, including a fly-through video. The Ohio Statehouse Museum Web site portal is featured on the front page and under the education tab of the Statehouse Web site – www.ohiostatehouse.org. The new Ohio Statehouse Museum is scheduled to be completed in early March 2009.

The deadline has been extended to July 15, 2008 due to the importance and significance of the project. If you have any questions, please contact the Capitol Square Review and Advisory Board at (614) 752-9777.

KEEPING AMERICA HEALTHY: NEW PROMISING PRACTICES GUIDE AND WEBSITE LAUNCHED

The Partnership to Fight Chronic Disease (PFCD) recently released a new resource called *Keeping America Healthy: A Guide To Successful Programs*, which highlights successful health and wellness programs in schools, communities, workplaces, and within the health system, and identifies the essential elements that these programs share. Within the document you'll find nearly 150 programs featured as, *Programs that Work*, *Programs to Watch*, or *Programs with Promise*. In addition to the extensive, hard-copy document, a Web site has been launched - www.fightchronicdisease.org/promisingpractices - on which you can search the database of programs by state, health target and setting; submit additional programs to be considered for inclusion on the site; and download the entire guide and its accompanying materials. Contact Jenny Camper

with the Ohio PFCD at (614) 224-0658 or jcamper@lesiccamper.com if you have any questions.

CEBCO REGIONAL SEMINARS TO BE HELD THROUGHOUT THE STATE IN JUNE

It's NOT too early to begin to think about healthcare benefits for 2009! CEBCO, the County Employee Benefit Consortium of Ohio, will be conducting regional seminars throughout the state. CEBCO offers medical, prescription, dental, life and employee assistance programs. Each of the programs can be purchased separately.

Counties participating in the CEBCO plans currently are: Allen, Ashtabula, Athens, Butler, Carroll, Champaign, Clark, Darke, Delaware, Geauga, Hardin, Hocking, Logan, Madison, Putnam, Union, and Williams. The CCAO office employees also are covered by the CEBCO program.

Please mark your calendar for the following meetings in your area. Vendor partners will be available to present the program, as well as, members from participating counties. Lunch will be provided. All meetings begin at 10:00 a.m.

June 18 - Northeast - Medina County
Galaxy Restaurant, 201 Park Centre Drive, Wadsworth

June 23 - Southwest - Clinton County
Clinton County Community Center (I-71, Exit 50), 111 South Nelson Avenue, Wilmington

June 24 - Northwest - Defiance County
Defiance County Public Safety & Emergency Management Agency, 22491 Mill Street, Defiance

June 25 -Southeast - Muskingum County
Holiday Inn - Zanesville (I-70, Exit 160), 4645 East Pike, Zanesville

To RSVP for any of the CEBCO Regional Seminars please contact Melissa Bodey, CEBCO Benefits Specialist, at (614) 220-7997, (888) 757-1904 or mbodey@ccao.org by June 16 .

IN MEMORIAM

ARDETH CHUPP

This week, CCAO was saddened to hear of the death of former Huron County Commissioner Ardeth Chupp after a three year battle with cancer. Chupp served in county government, including offices of county treasurer and county commissioner, for more than 36 years. She enjoyed many roles in her life as wife, mother, aunt, public servant, farmer, factory worker, fisherwoman, and traveler. She also helped many individuals and charities throughout her life. Notes of sympathy may be sent to the Chupp Family, 2336 Old State Road, North Fairfield, OH 44855. The CCAO staff extends heartfelt sympathy to the family in the loss of their loved one.

STATE ACTIVITIES

SUPREME COURT RULING ON FAMILY RIGHTS IN AUTOPSY DISPUTE MAY SAVE COUNTIES MILLIONS IN PENDING CASE

Counties statewide may have dodged what they said was a potential \$90 million bullet on Thursday when the Ohio Supreme Court ruled that relatives of deceased persons have no right under state law to tissue samples from autopsies.

Justices, answering a question from a federal judge who is overseeing a class action lawsuit, said in a 6-1 opinion (Albrecht, et al. vs. Treon et al, Opinion No. 2008-Ohio-2617) that next of kin do not have a protected right under Ohio law to tissue, organs or other body parts a coroner may have removed or retained for forensic examination and testing.

Justice Evelyn Stratton said the case involved "the balancing of delicate issues" over a family's right to properly bury their loved ones, "in a condition that is as complete as possible," against the state's right to conduct an autopsy where appropriate.

"We are mindful of the right of a decedent's next of kin to attend to the proper preparation and burial or cremation of the body. But nothing in the United States Constitution, the Ohio Constitution, Ohio statutes, or common law establish a protected right

in autopsy specimens in Ohio," Justice Stratton said in the majority opinion.

She said that if the General Assembly believes relatives should have a right to autopsy specimens when a coroner's office is through with them, legislators should provide the right by statute.

The question reached the Supreme Court in the form of a request from U.S. District Judge Susan Dlott of Cincinnati. She is presiding over a proposed class action lawsuit implicating coroners and commissioners in 87 of the 88 counties who have retained and disposed of body parts without prior notice to next of kin.

Hamilton County officials settled a separate, but virtually identical, federal lawsuit in 2005 for \$6 million.

Pending before Judge Dlott is a lawsuit that Mark and Diane Albrecht filed against Clermont County Coroner Brian Treon, who arranged for an autopsy of their son, Christopher. Although his body was released for burial, the parents discovered later the coroner retained his brain for forensic analysis.

Before reviewing federal claims made in the lawsuit, Judge Dlott asked the Supreme Court to answer the threshold question of rights under Ohio law. Concurring with Justice Stratton were Justices Maureen O'Connor, Terrence O'Donnell, Judith Lanzinger, and Robert Cupp. Chief Justice Thomas Moyer concurred only in the answer to the question. Justice Paul Pfeifer dissented. He said that prior to enactment of a 2006 law that gave coroners the right to dispose of autopsy specimens; Ohio law granted next of kin a protected right in a deceased family member's body.

The CORSA claim staff and the law firm of Isaac, Brant, Ledman, & Teetor (IBLT), who is a member of CORSA's defense panel, has been coordinating the defense of the potential law suite on behalf of both CORSA members and non-member counties. In conjunction with the original lawsuit against the Clermont County Coroner, the plaintiff's attorney issued subpoenas on 86 Ohio Coroners, demanding that the Coroners produce autopsy reports on autopsies performed since 1991 in which organs or tissues were removed without notice to

the next of kin. The CORSA claim staff and IBLT provided advice and assisted both CORSA and non-CORSA coroners in responding to the subpoena and protecting their interests.

As the case proceeded, IBLT recommended that a motion be filed with the federal trial court for the state law question to be certified to the Ohio Supreme Court. The Federal Court granted the motion to submit to the Ohio Supreme Court the question on whether the next of kin of a decedent upon whom an autopsy has been performed has a protected right under Ohio law in the decedent's tissues and organs that were removed during an autopsy. The CORSA claim staff, IBLT, and CCAO staff worked with various associations that have an interest in the case to file amicus briefs supporting the Ohio Supreme Court accepting the question for review. The Buckeye State Sheriffs Association, the Ohio Association of Chiefs of Police, the Ohio Prosecuting Attorneys Association joined with CCAO in filing a brief.

The latest ruling came as a result of the Court accepting the question regarding the rights of the next of kin of decedents.

Although the federal case is still pending, we believe the Court ruling will be instrumental to the federal court deciding on whether or not to grant the plaintiff's request for filing a class action suite against the remaining 87 counties (excluding Hamilton). For additional information, please contact Beth Miller, CORSA Claim and Litigation Manager, at (614) 220-7989, (888) 757-1904 or emiller@ccao.org.

DEPARTMENT OF DEVELOPMENT
ANNOUNCES PLANNED ROLLOUT OF LOCAL
GOVERNMENT COLLABORATION GRANT
APPLICATIONS

The Ohio Department of Development on **May 20th** launched the **Local Government Services Collaboration Grant Program**, an initiative designed to encourage new forms of collaboration among Ohio's many governmental jurisdictions. The **Local Government Services Collaboration Grant Program** was established in the 2008-2009 Ohio Biennial Budget and is designed to provide

grants to local governments interested in examining the possibility of combining the provision of local government services with those of other local governments.

Eligible applicants for the program are counties, municipal corporations, or townships. The applicant must propose a feasibility study designed to combine its provision of local government services with those of at least two other counties, municipal corporations, or townships; or any combination of at least two other counties, municipal corporations, or townships.

Examples of local government services include, but are not limited to: economic development, health and human services, police and fire protection, 9-1-1 emergency service, public safety communications, refuse collection, snow removal, road repair, parks and recreation, and public utilities such as water and sewer services.

The Ohio Department of Development seeks to identify thoughtful and creative collaboration ideas for feasibility studies. Applications will be due on or before **July 29, 2008** to the Ohio Department of Development. For more information go to www.odod.state.oh.us/Collaboration/

OHIO ETHICS COMMISSION ISSUES NEPOTISM BULLETIN ON SUMMER HIRES

On May 29, 2008, the Ohio Ethics Commission issued a bulletin reminding all public agencies about the nepotism restrictions contained in the Ethics Law. The bulletin can be accessed on the Commission's website at www.ethics.ohio.gov. Click on nepotism bulletin.

During the summer season, many public agencies hire part-time, temporary, or seasonal employees to help perform additional duties or staff special programs. The Commission issued this bulletin to make sure that all public officials and employees are reminded of the restrictions in the law if any of their family members are seeking public jobs, including summer jobs.

As more fully explained in the bulletin, the Ethics Law prohibits any public official or employee from hiring a family member. The law also prohibits a

public servant from recommending a relative or otherwise acting to get a job for a family member. The restriction applies to all family members, regardless of age, including children and step-children, grandchildren, and spouses, and to all types of public jobs, including, but not limited to, temporary, seasonal, and part-time employment. If you have any questions about the bulletin, please contact the Commission at (614) 466-7090 and ask for an advisory attorney.

FEDERAL ACTIVITIES

MEDICAID CUTS ARE STILL IN PLAY

As House leaders are working to put together a "slimmed-down version" of the supplemental war funding bill (H.R. 2642), sources on Capitol Hill are saying that the provisions that would block implementation of seven harmful regulations that cut Medicaid may be pulled out to satisfy the White House. The House and Senate both approved versions of the bill which included moratoria on all seven regulations and the Senate also added language to block implementation of an administration "directive" which limits SCHIP enrollment. Rumors have been circulating about which moratoria might be dropped, but according to Energy and Commerce Committee staff, the situation is very fluid, but that decisions will likely be made early next week about what the bill will include.

Moratoria on all seven onerous Medicaid regs have passed both houses by veto proof bipartisan votes. The bill containing the moratoria on the seven Medicaid regs was reported out of the House Energy and Commerce Committee unanimously with bipartisan support. These regs hurt county hospitals, graduate medical education, school health programs, county services for people with disabilities and county and state budgets. At a time when the economy is fragile, billions of dollars should not be cut from the Medicaid program.

Contact Governor Strickland and the Ohio Congressional Delegation concerning these seven Medicaid reg. For more information please contact Paul Beddoe, NACo Associate Legislative Director, at (202) 942-4234 or pbeddoe@naco.org.

NACo ACTIVITIES

VOTING CREDENTIALS – 2008 NACo ANNUAL CONFERENCE

The NACo Annual Conference will be held July 11-15, 2008 in Jackson County (Kansas City), Missouri. To ensure that member counties can participate in the NACo annual election of officers and policy adoption for the “American County Platform,” the NACo staff needs your help!

In order to vote a county must have paid its membership dues for 2008 and have one paid registrant for the conference, according to NACo bylaws. Credentials information and a “NACo 2008 Credentials (Voting) Identification Form” were distributed on May 7 to member counties. Please indicate on the form the name of the voting delegate and alternate authorized to pick up your county’s voting materials. You must also indicate your county’s choice on the form in the event that your delegate does not pick up the county’s ballot. Your choices are:

- Allow **another county within your state** to pick up your ballot
- Allow **CCAO President Daniel Troy (or designee, such as CCAO Executive Director Larry Long)** to pick up your ballot
- Allow **no one** to pick up your county’s ballot.

Additionally, the president of the board of county commissioners must sign the form. On-site balloting procedures have also changed.

Please fill out the “NACo 2008 Credentials (Voting) Identification Form” in advance and return it by Friday, June 27 to: Credentials Committee, c/o Emily Landsman, National Association of Counties, 25 Massachusetts Avenue, NW – Suite 500, Washington, D.C. 20001, (202) 942-4242, fax (202) 393-2630 or elandsman@naco.org. More information can also be found on the front page of www.naco.org.

If you have any questions about CCAO’s voting procedures at the NACo Conference, please contact Mary Jane Neiman, CCAO Public Relations Associate, at (614) 220-7979, (888) 757-1904 or mjneiman@ccao.org.

CONFERENCES

OHPELRA SUMMER WORKSHOP

The Ohio Public Employer Labor Relations Association (OHPELRA) will host their 2008 Summer Workshop on Friday, July 11, 2008 at the Columbus Police Training Academy, 1000 North Hague Avenue, in Columbus. Registration and a continental breakfast begin at 9:00 a.m. Sessions will focus on “You Be the Arbitrator” and “Religious Discrimination Issues in the Workplace.” Lunch will be served. The workshop ends at 2:30 p.m.

Registration fee: FREE for OHPELRA members or \$150 for non-members. Cancellation deadline: July 7, 2008. For more information about the seminar or your OHEPRLA membership status, please contact Laura Joy Campbell, OHPELRA Treasurer, Butler County Department of Personnel, 315 High Street – Floor 6, Hamilton, OH 45011-6062, (513) 887-3595, fax (513) 785-5199 or campbellj@butlercountyohio.org.

CLASSIFIEDS

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

The Mental Health and Recovery Board of Wayne and Holmes Counties is seeking an experienced professional to lead our agency in achieving its mission of providing a unified and comprehensive system of behavioral health services for the citizens of Wayne and Holmes Counties. The Executive Director manages and directs all operations of the Board. With responsibility for over \$12 million, the Board funds and monitors services that are provided by a network of contract agencies.

Successful candidates will have strong management, communication, and leadership skills, and a proven work history in the areas of financial planning and management, innovative problem solving, coalition building, and strategic planning. He/She must possess direct service experience and a familiarity with mental health, substance abuse, recovery and human service policies and practices.

Master’s degree required, MPA, MBA, or behavioral social sciences preferred. Other highly desirable

attributes include administrative experience in public behavioral health or nonprofit management, strong oral and written communications, levy experience, and external relations. Salary commensurate with education and experience and excellent fringe benefits including PERS and health plan. The MHRB is an equal opportunity/affirmative action employer.

Apply by sending a cover letter and resume, including contact information for at least three professional references by **July 1, 2008** to: Search Committee, Mental Health and Recovery Board of Wayne and Holmes Counties, 2345 Gateway Drive, Suite C, Wooster, Ohio 44691. Applications may also be sent via fax: 330-264-7879 or email: jbogner@whmhrb.org

COUNTY PLANNING DIRECTOR

The Trumbull County Planning Commission is seeking to fill the position of County Planning Director. The Executive Director is responsible for developing and supervising the planning, community and economic development activities of Trumbull County, Ohio. Eligible applicants require a minimum of a Bachelor's Degree, Masters preferred, in Planning or a related field, and a minimum of seven years of related experience and/or training; excellent written and verbal communication skills; grant writing experience; and computer skills including word processing. Starting salary range from \$56,362 to \$68,369. Please send a resume to the: Trumbull County Planning Commission, 347 N. Park Ave., Warren, Ohio 44481. Application deadline is **Friday, July 11, 2008**.

WSD MAINTENANCE TECHNICIAN - WW

Job Duties: Performs daily operation and fundamental maintenance and repair of all wastewater collection system components, treatment plants, sampling, and testing equipment. Operates locating equipment to identify/mark locations of sewer lines and associated appurtenances. Inspects/repairs/maintains sewer mains, valves, storage tanks, vaults, and meters to ensure system integrity and functionality of collections system infrastructure utilizing specialty tools and equipment. Required to operate a county vehicle and assists in the operation of trucks,

tractors, backhoes, valve operators, and other special equipment utilized in maintenance of collection system. Performs maintenance/repairs on circuits, motors, pumps, switches, heaters, appliances and electrical panels, etc. Repairs/replaces worn mechanical parts in pumps or motors and operates equipment in the facilitation of duties. Works alone or with other persons in short- or long-term team projects to resolve problems or conflicts in any area of county operations or to complete assigned projects at the direction of any county supervisor or Department Head when assigned. Participates in cross-training and maintains proficiency in area of cross-training as necessary. New and other related duties as assigned. Reports safety/risk management issues to immediate supervisor.

Qualifications: High school diploma or GED equivalent. Knowledge of position specific tasks (i.e., Wastewater treatment plant maintenance, Wastewater collection systems, electrical maintenance equipment operations, etc.), ability to read and perform basic mathematical calculations, ability to follow verbal and written instruction. Ability to effectively interrelate with co-workers, contractors, and the general public. Requires strong public relations skills. Ability to organize and accurately document information and data pertinent to operations. Must be able to understand and follow County safety procedures. Effort involves moderate lifting, pushing, pulling, reaching and bending. Requires normal vision and hearing acuity. Manual dexterity is high. There is prolonged exposure to various temperatures/weather conditions. Exposure to unfavorable health/safety conditions is frequently present. Daily involvement in hazardous work may exist. Requires physical ability and personal mobility to perform duties as assigned. Must have and maintain valid driver's license. May be required to obtain a Class B commercial driver's license. --or education, training and/or experience in an amount equal to the Minimum Qualifications stated above.

Application Deadline: **June 17, 2008**. Contact Information: Attn: Human Resources, 101 East Main Street, Room 322, Batavia, Ohio 45103, (513) 732-7110, (A completed employment application is required for each position and must be received in

the Human Resources Department by 4:30 P.M. on the posted deadline date. A resume can also be attached for consideration. Neither faxed nor e-mailed documents are acceptable.) For more information and to download a mandatory application; visit our website at www.co.clermont.oh.us. Send completed application and resume to Clermont County Human Resources, 101 E. Main St., Batavia, Ohio 45103. Contact (513) 732-7110 with any questions. Clermont County is an EOE.

BUDGET ANALYST

Hamilton County, Ohio, Office of Budget and Strategic Initiatives is seeking a budget analyst. Duties include analyzing agency budget requests for county departments; preparing budget recommendations, monthly and annual financial reporting; and serving as liaison between budget director and officials on fiscal matters. Assists with support functions as determined by the County Administrator. Candidates should possess a bachelor's degree with course work in public finance, public policy, economics, financial

management or accounting; or equivalent work experience. Salary range is \$39,000 to \$53,000, based on qualifications.

Send your resume/application to Hamilton County Human Resources Department, 138 E. Court Street, Room 707, Cincinnati, OH 45202, fax to (513) 946-4720. View full job posting and apply online at:

<http://www.hamiltoncountyohio.gov/Personnel/BOCCoverPage2.asp>. Deadline: **June 24, 2008.**

CLASSIFIED ADS

CCAO publishes the County Information and Data Service (CIDS) weekly. Classified ads will be published free of charge as a service to counties. Ads will run for two weeks if space is available. Ads will also be published on the CCAO website at www.ccao.org. When submitting your ad to CCAO please provide a link to the job posting online and a deadline. Please provide a copy of the classified ad by 5:00 p.m. on Wednesday of each week. Transmit the copy to Mary Jane Neiman, CCAO Public Relations Associate, by e-mail mjneiman@ccao.org.