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May 16-18, 2012

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Please **RSVP** For Events:

Reception: May 16th Yes _____ No _____

Lunch: May 17th Yes _____ No _____

Breakfast: May 18th Yes _____ No _____

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Room Rate: **\$89+ Tax**
(Must indicate IEZA Conference)

Website:

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Wednesday, May 16, 2012

Noon to 5:00 p.m.

IEZA Golf Outing

Contact: Emily McConville
(815) 539-7459



WELCOME

6:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. Welcome Reception
(Open Bar and Heavy Hors D'oeuvres)

Thursday, May 17, 2012

9:00 a.m. to 9:30 a.m.

Welcome and Opening Remarks

Craig Coil, IEZA President

Honorable Merv Gillenwater, Mayor - City of Effingham

9:30 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.

Spotlight on Effingham

Learn about all of the Zone activity and development in Effingham, the "Crossroads of Opportunity"

Todd Hull, Economic Development Director
Effingham Enterprise Zone Administrator

10:30 a.m. to 10:45 a.m. Break

10:45 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

State to State Business Tax Comparisons

John F. Gremer, Partner - State and Local Tax
KPMG - Chicago

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12:00 p.m. to 1:30 p.m. Lunch/Break

Growing Illinois Marketing Initiative Overview

Janet Mathis, Executive Director, Renew Moline

Midwest Disaster Area Bonds

Aaron Gadousas, Senior Vice President,
Stern Brothers & Company

1:30 p.m. to 2:45 p.m. Boundary Amendment
Case Study

***Archer Daniels Midland Rail Yard and
Intermodal Facility Project***

Project Background and Overview

Benedetto (Ben) Guido, VIA RAIL Logistics, LLC

Enterprise Zone Boundary Amendment Process

Craig Coil, EDC of Decatur and Macon County

2:45 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. Break

3:00 p.m. to 4:15 p.m. Boundary Amendment
Case Study

TCI Manufacturing and Equipment Sales, Inc.

Hear how TCI worked with local officials on a boundary expansion to the Zone and incorporated new taxing districts into a new property tax abatement agreement.

Mike Maynard, President, TCI Manufacturing

4:15 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. Open Forum

At the request of many members, this is an open topic session where program experts can answer general questions about zone operations and application processes.

5:00 p.m. to ??? Dinner (On Your Own)

IEZA and the Effingham Convention and Visitors Bureau will provide suggestions at the conference.

Friday, May 18, 2012

8:30 a.m. to 9:30 a.m. Breakfast Buffet

9:00 a.m. to 9:45 a.m.

Legislative Update

Update on the Enterprise Zone termination date extension legislation and related items of interest to all IEZA members

Craig Coil, IEZA President

John Thompson, Legislative Chairman

9:45 a.m. to 10:45 a.m. Open Discussion

Learn about and discuss how zones across the state implement accountability and performance standards for Zone projects.

Topics will include:

Pre-Development Agreements

Clawback Agreements

Local Enterprise Zone Abatement Processes.

John "Jamie" Boyd, Kankakee County

States Attorney and IEZA Presenters

10:45 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. Break

11:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

Illinois' Competitive Edge from a Site

Selectors Perspective

Matthew Adams, Real Estate & Location

Strategy Practice, Deloitte Consulting, LLP,

Chicago

12:00 p.m. to 12:15 p.m.

IEZA Board/Business Meeting

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