



ILGISA SPRINGFIELD REGIONAL MEETING

Illinois Department of Transportation

2300 S. Dirksen Parkway

Springfield, IL 62764

Friday, March 7, 2025

TENTATIVE AGENDA for #ILGISASpringfield2025

- 8:30 - 9:00 AM** Registration
- 9:00 - 9:20 AM** **Welcome to ILGISA**
Michael Kamin, GISP, ILGISA President
- Welcome to IDOT**
Cheryl Kulavic-Knope, Illinois Department of Transportation
- 9:20 - 10:20 AM** **SESSION 1**
IDOT GIS Emergency Response Actions
Brandon Keller, Illinois Department of Transportation
- Geospatial Intelligence for Emergencies - ISP at the DNC**
Illinois State Police
Nick Gray, Illinois State Police
- 10:20 – 10:35 AM** Networking Break
- 10:35 – 12:00 PM** **SESSION 2**
Navigating a Flood: Nebraska 2019 Bomb Cyclone / Flood
Casey DunnGossin, State of Nebraska
- City of Rockford July 13th-15th Storm Event**
City of Rockford
Justin Emerson and Alecia Stepler, City of Rockford
- Utilizing Dashboards and Web Map Applications for Preliminary Damage Assessments**
Josh Thompson, Peoria County

- 12:00 – 130 PM** Networking Lunch
- 1:30 – 2:30 PM** **SESSION 3**
ILEMA-OHS Common Operating Picture
Brent Thomas and Ronnie Henkhaus, Illinois Emergency Management and Office of Homeland Security
- 2:30 – 2:45 PM** Networking Break
- 2:45 – 3:45 PM** **SESSION 4**
Use of UAV's (Drones) in Emergency Management/Disaster Response
Chad Sperry, Western Illinois University, GIS Center
- 3:45 – 4:00 PM** **Closing Remarks / Announcements**
- 4:00 – 5:00 PM** **Optional Drone Flight Demo / State of Illinois EOC Tour**
- 5:30 - 7:00 PM** ***Join us for an Informal Happy Hour!***
Location TBD

Agenda revised 3/4/25

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