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LEGISLATIVE EXCHANGE 2019

AGENDA

FEBRUARY 5-6, 2019
MADISON CONCOURSE HOTEL

LEGISLATIVE EXCHANGE 2019

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Tuesday, February 5, 2019

8:30 a.m.	Registration and Continental Breakfast (Sponsored by Alliant Energy, Gregory & Appel Insurance and Boston Mutual Life Insurance Company, and PFM)
9:00 a.m.	Opening Remarks Mark D. O'Connell, Executive Director, Wisconsin Counties Association
9:01 a.m.	Gubernatorial Remarks Tony Evers, Governor, State of Wisconsin
9:12 a.m.	Welcome Lance Pliml, Chair, WCA Board of Directors
9:20 a.m.	Working with Wisconsin Counties Update Douglas O'Brien, Regional Director, United States Department of Health & Human Services
9:30 a.m.	New State Agency Leaders Joel Brennan, Secretary, Wisconsin Department of Administration; Emilie Amundson, Secretary, Wisconsin Department of Children and Families; Peter Barca, Secretary, Wisconsin Department of Revenue
10:00 a.m.	Break
10:15 a.m.	Predicting the Future Mark D. O'Connell, Executive Director, Wisconsin Counties Association
10:50 a.m.	Introduction to Forward Analytics Dale Knapp, Director of Research & Analytics, Wisconsin Counties Association
11:15 a.m.	Digital Counties and Artificial Intelligence Oliver Buechse, Co-Founder, Advancing AI Wisconsin
11:45 a.m.	Lunch (Sponsored by PMA Financial Network/WISC/Forecast5 Analytics and von Briesen & Roper, S.C.)
12:45 p.m.	Legislative Update Kyle Christianson, WCA Director of Government Affairs; Sarah Diedrick-Kasdorf, WCA Deputy Director of Government Affairs; Dan Bahr, WCA Government Affairs Associate; Marcie Rainbolt, WCA Government Affairs Associate
1:45 p.m.	Break
2:00 p.m.	Ask the Attorney and WCA Staff Andrew Phillips, Attorney, von Briesen & Roper, S.C.
2:30 p.m.	Leadership and the Impact It Leaves Mark Tauscher, Former American Football Offensive Tackle in the National Football League (NFL) and Green Bay Packers Hall of Famer
3:30 p.m.	"Tommy: My Journey of a Lifetime" Tommy G. Thompson, Former Governor of Wisconsin

5:00 p.m. -
7:00 p.m.

WCA County Reception

(Tommy G. Thompson book signing starting at 5:00 p.m.)

Wednesday, February 6, 2019

7:30 a.m. -	Hot Breakfast
8:15 a.m.	(Sponsored by Crivello Carlson, S.C.; Enbridge; and National CooperativeRx)
8:30 a.m.	Call to Order and Welcome Mark D. O'Connell, Executive Director, Wisconsin Counties Association
8:35 a.m.	Legislative Leadership Roundtable Robin Vos, Speaker, Wisconsin State Assembly; Gordon Hintz, Minority Leader, Wisconsin State Assembly; Scott Fitzgerald, Majority Leader, Wisconsin State Senate; Jennifer Shilling, Minority Leader, Wisconsin State Senate; Mark D. O'Connell, Executive Director, Wisconsin Counties Association (Moderator)
9:35 a.m.	Legal Updates Andrew Phillips, Attorney, von Briesen & Roper, S.C.
10:00 a.m.	Break
10:15 a.m.	New State Agency Leaders Craig Thompson, Secretary, Wisconsin Department of Transportation; Mary Kolar, Secretary, Wisconsin Department of Veterans Affairs; Brad Pfaff, Secretary, Wisconsin Department of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection; Andrea Palm, Secretary, Wisconsin Department of Health Services; Sara Meaney, Secretary, Wisconsin Department of Tourism; Elizabeth Kluesner, Deputy Secretary, Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources
11:00 a.m.	Opioid Litigation Update Erin Dickinson, Owner and Founding Partner, Crueger Dickinson LLC
11:20 a.m.	The Insiders: Chuck Chvala and Scott Jensen Chuck Chvala, Democrat, Former Senate Majority Leader; Scott Jensen, Republican, Former Assembly Speaker
11:50 a.m.	Adjourn - Grab a box lunch for the road (Sponsored by Nationwide Retirement Solutions)

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