

UPDATED AGENDA 11.27.2019

Agenda

WISCONSIN COUNTIES UTILITY TAX ASSOCIATION

Friday, DECEMBER 6, 2019

Wisconsin Counties Association Board Room

22 E Mifflin St #900

Madison WI 53703

Time: 10:30 A.M. – 1:00 P.M. WORKING LUNCH

CALL IN INSTRUCTIONS:

CALL IN NUMBER: (515) 606-5187 Hit #

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LEADER CODE: Alice will open the line

Time: 10:30 A.M - 1: 30 P.M.

- **Call to Order/Introductions President Brad Karger**
 - Roll Call/ Welcome Guests
 - **Minutes from October 4, 2019 meeting (handout)**
- **Treasurer's Report- Supervisor Yeomans (handout)**
- **11:15 a.m. CONFIRMED SPEAKER Nathan Butzlaff, Rep. Sam Kerkman Office** to discuss response from State Auditor about raising utility information to legislative co chairs
- **11:30 am CONFIRMED SPEAKER JOHN DICKERT, Dept of Revenue Director of state and local taxes** to discuss response from DOR legal Dept about releasing information and DOR omnibus tax package to be circulated with specific parts that will benefit local government
- **Executive Director Report**
 - Update WCUTA legislation with Coalition partners for 2019 session
 - Options to pursue related to a legislative Council Study committee and the utility tax formula
- **Other legislation of interest:**
- **Rep. Samantha Kerkman (AB235/SB251)** creates a levy limit exception for those that receive reduced utility aid payments.

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- **Senator Rob Cowles Rep. Sam Kerkman Senate Bill 60/AB 173** requires DOR to post details on its websites of general purpose revenues collected, where the dollars come from and how they are expended. (Handout)
 - **AB-344 Property Tax Exemption (Quinn, Romaine)** Telephone Company Tax Exemption for property used to provide broadband service.
 - **AB 237 relating to: (Kuglitich and Cowles)** reimbursement grants to employers for payment of costs for certification programs in solar energy and wind energy systems.
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- Any Other business
 - **Next meeting date**
 - **Adjourn**

Please RSVP as soon as possible for lunch order.

Directions

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