



## News and Notices

### Open Government and Parliamentary Procedure WisLine Series Begins

**Open Meetings Law:** March 12, 2:30-4:20 p.m.

**Ethics & Conflicts of Interest:** March 27, 2:30-4:20 p.m.

**Parliamentary Procedure:** April 1, 8, 15, and 22, 3:00-4:20 p.m.

**Open Records Law:** April 17, 2:30-4:20 p.m.

**Minutes of Local Government Meetings:** April 29, May 1, and May 6, 3:00-4:20 p.m.

For more details and a registration brochure, visit <http://lgc.uwex.edu/Workshops>.

### County Officials Workshops Set for May

Newly-elected and returning county officials can hone their county government skills at seven workshops around the state.

May 8 - Richland Center	May 20 - Whitewater
May 13 - Eau Claire	May 21 - DePere
May 14 - Cable	May 22 - Stevens Point
May 15 - Rhinelander	

Get more information about this program and download the registration brochure at <http://lgc.uwex.edu/Workshops>.

### Foundations for Successful BIDs

Persons interested in Business Improvement Districts (BIDs) may attend this day-long program:

Wednesday, April 16, 2008  
The Pyle Center, 702 Langdon  
Street, Madison, WI 53706

For more information e-mail Karen Harkness at [kharkness@new.rr.com](mailto:kharkness@new.rr.com).

### WisLines Coming Up

(Click on series name to open brochure)

[Current Issues Affecting Local Government Officials:](#)

**State Shared Revenue: Its History and Possible Futures** - March 4, 10:30 a.m.-12:20 p.m.

**How to Run the Annual Town Meeting** - March 25, 10:30 a.m.-12:20 p.m.

**Regulation of Alcoholic Beverage Licensing** - April 8, 10:30 a.m.-12:20 p.m.

**Conducting the Annual Board of Review** - April 24; April 29; May 1; or May 6 (identical programs), 10:30 a.m.-12:50 p.m.

[Conducting Local Elections:](#)

**Recount How-To's** - March 11, 10:30- 11:50 a.m.

**Fall Elections - The Peculiarities and Differences** - April 15, 10:30-11:50 a.m.

[Local Land Use Planning and Zoning:](#)

**Recent Case Law** - March 26, 10:30-11:50 a.m.

**Growing Communities, Greening Communities: Managing Wisconsin's Shorelands** - April 9, 10:30-11:50 a.m.

[Open Government & Parliamentary Procedure:](#)

See program details in first column (at left).

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