

Indiana Agencies, Associations and Organizations

Association of Indiana Counties (AIC)

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The Association of Indiana Counties is a non-profit organization established in 1957 for the betterment of county government. The various functions of the AIC include lobbying the Indiana General Assembly on behalf of counties, serving as liaison between counties, state and federal agencies, as well as providing technical assistance and training to county officials and employees.

Building Better Communities (formerly the Center for Economic and Community Development)

<http://www.bsu.edu/cecd>

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Established in 1984 by the Indiana General Assembly as the Indiana Economic Development Academy, Building Better Communities (BBC) is a statewide public service unit of Ball State University. The mission of BBC is to help build self-sufficient Indiana communities by increasing the knowledge and ability of development professionals, government officials, and volunteers.

Federal Home Loan Bank (FHLB)

<http://www.fhlbi.com>

8250 Woodfield Crossing Blvd, Indianapolis, IN 46240

Phone: (317) 465-0200

The mission of the Federal Home Loan Bank System is to provide access to housing and to improve the quality of communities by extending credit through its more than 6,100 member banks, thrifts and others.

The FHL Bank System plays a critical role in the continuous flow of funds to the residential mortgage market. These funds originate with the sale of debt securities, called consolidated obligations, in the capital markets. The sales provide funds that are loaned to member financial institutions, which in turn provide mortgage, credit to homebuyers.

Indiana Association of Cities and Towns (IACT)

<http://www.citiesandtowns.org>

200 S. Meridian St., Suite 340, Indianapolis, IN 46225

Phone: (317) 237-6200

IACT serves as the official voice of Indiana municipal government in the General Assembly, representing municipal interests with a staff of professional lobbyists. The staff also maintains contact with the Indiana Congressional delegation on federal issues

Indiana Association for Community Economic Development (IACED)

<http://www.iaced.org/>

2105 N. Meridian St., Suite 102, Indianapolis, IN 46202

Phone: (317) 920-2300

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E-mail: iaced@iaced.org

IACED is a statewide membership organization of nonprofit organizations committed to community economic development in rural, small city, and urban areas. IACED promotes the development of financial and other resources in support of CED and maintains an effective communication network that supports members in organizing and implementing local projects.

Indiana Department of Environmental Management (IDEM)

<http://www.in.gov/idem>

Indiana Government Center North, 100 N. Senate Ave. in Indianapolis

Phone: (317) 232-8603 or 1-800-451-6027

Fax: (317) 233-6647

The Indiana Department of Environmental Management (IDEM) is dedicated to conserving, protecting, enhancing, restoring, and managing Indiana's environment. They strive to enforce environmental laws and standards, promulgate regulations consistent with the law and public policy, and promote conservation, pollution prevention, and a healthy and sustainable ecosystem.

Indiana Department of Natural Resources (IDNR)

<http://www.in.gov/dnr>

402 W. Washington St., Indianapolis, IN 46204

Phone: (317) 232-4020

Fax: (317) 233-6811

E-mail: dnrweb@dnr.in.gov

The mission of the Indiana Department of Natural Resources is to protect, enhance, preserve, and wisely use natural, cultural, and recreational resources for the benefit of Indiana's citizens through professional leadership, management, and education.

Indiana Department of Transportation (INDOT)

<http://www.in.gov/dot>

100 N. Senate Ave., Rm. IGCN 755, Indianapolis, IN 46204

Phone: (317) 232-5533

E-mail: indot@indot.in.gov

The Indiana Department of Transportation selects, develops, builds, and maintains the best transportation projects to:

- Provide mobility
- Stimulate economic growth
- Improve the quality of life

Indiana Department of Workforce Development (DWD)

<http://www.in.gov/dwd>

10 N. Senate Ave, Indianapolis, IN 46204

Phone: 1-800-891-6499

E-mail: workone@dwd.in.gov

The surest way to keep Indiana's economy moving forward is to invest in our workforce - both current and future. DWD is focused on preparing all Hoosiers for the challenges and opportunities that lie ahead. To deliver a seamless system that promotes lifelong learning.

Lifelong learning creates lifetime opportunities during three transition periods: Work-to-Work, School-to-Work, and Welfare-to-Work.

Indiana Economic Development Association (IEDA)

<http://www.ieda.org>

111 Monument Circle, Suite 2700, Indianapolis, IN 46204

Phone: (317) 684-5046

Fax: (317) 223-0450

The Indiana Economic Development Association, Inc. was formed in 1968 by professional industrial developers to provide continuity to a statewide community development effort. IEDA was incorporated in 1982 as a statewide not-for-profit economic development organization. Since its inception, IEDA has focused on two objectives: (1) to utilize the knowledge and resources of the council to make industrial development activities in the state more effective; and (2) to cooperate and interact with all state and local organizations engaged in promoting the economic welfare of Indiana.

Indiana Economic Development Corporation (IEDC)

<http://www.in.gov/iedc>

One N. Capitol, Suite 700, Indianapolis, IN 46204

Main Line: (317) 232-8800 or 1-800-468-8081

Lt. Governor: (317) 232-4545

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The Indiana Economic Development Corporation (IEDC) is the State of Indiana's lead economic development agency. The agency was officially established in February 2005 to replace the former Department of Commerce. In order to respond quickly to the needs of businesses, the IEDC operates like a business. Led by Indiana Secretary of Commerce and IEDC President Nathan J. Feltman, the IEDC is organized as a public private partnership governed by a twelve-member board. The IEDC Board of Directors is chaired by Governor Mitch Daniels and reflects the geographic and economic diversity of Indiana.

Indiana Family and Social Services Administration (FSSA)

<http://www.in.gov/fssa>

402 W. Washington St.; P.O. Box 7083, Indianapolis, IN 46027-7083

Phone: (317) 233-4454

Fax: (317) 223-4693

The Family and Social Services Administration (FSSA) provides services to families who have issues associated with low income, mental illness, addiction, mental retardation, a disability, aging, and children who are at risk for healthy development.

Indiana Finance Authority (IFA)

<http://www.in.gov/ifa>

One N. Capitol, Suite 900, Indianapolis, IN 46204

Phone: (317) 233-4332

Fax: (317) 232-6786

IFA was established by the Indiana General Assembly to promote business development and job creation in Indiana. Professionals who have expertise working with businesses and lenders staff IFA.

Indiana Housing and Community Development Authority (IHCDA)

<http://ihcda.in.gov>

30 S. Meridian St., Suite 1000, Indianapolis, IN 46204

Phone: (317) 232-7777 or 1-800-872-0371

Fax: (317) 232-7778

IHFA is a state-operated bank that finances residential mortgages and the development of rental housing. IHFA provides affordable homes for Hoosiers, stimulates the construction industry and construction employment, and is financially self-sufficient.

Indiana Land Use Consortium (ILUC)

<http://www.indianalanduse.org>

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The Indiana Land Use Consortium serves as a catalyst for education and a forum for discussion to foster responsible land use decisions and practices in Indiana.

Indiana Planning Association (IPA)

<http://www.indianaplanning.org>

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Phone: (317) 767-7780

E-mail: info@indianaplanning.org

IPA is an organization of professionals and citizen planners providing vision and leadership for the future development of Indiana communities. The association serves as a forum for the exchange of ideas, as a network in support of planning professionals, and as a bridge to build cooperation among planners, allied professionals, and the public through education and awareness.

Indiana Rural Development Council (IRDC)

<http://www.ruralindiana.org>

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The Indiana Rural Development Council, Inc. is a private-public partnership that advocates for the vitality of rural Indiana. The Indiana Rural Development Council's purpose is to facilitate efforts of citizens and other stakeholders to meet the economic and social needs of rural Indiana by cultivating innovative ideas with rural communities to be great places to live, learn, work, and play.

Indiana Utility Regulatory Commission (IURC)

<http://www.in.gov/iurc>

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The Indiana Utility Regulatory Commission regulates various aspects of the public utilities' business including the rates, financing, bonding, environmental compliance plans and service territories. The Commission has regulatory oversight concerning construction projects, and

acquisition of additional plants and equipment. The Commission has authority to initiate investigations of all utilities' rates and practices.