



County Road Association
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TODAY!



9th Annual Legal Issues Symposium

What's new with the classics?



Tuesday, December 5, 2023 | 8 -11:45 a.m.

Comfort Inn & Suites and Conference Center | 2424 S. Mission St., Mt. Pleasant

CRA's 9th Annual Legal Issues Symposium is back for 2023 and covers three classic, ever-evolving topics in county transportation infrastructure law!

"Leave it to policy" kicks off the event covering how investing in good policy now can pay dividends in the future, followed by a deep dive into the incoming \$1.5 B in Broadband Equity, Access and Deployment (BEAD) dollars and how BEAD will affect the right-of-way (ROW) with **"BEAD's coming to your ROW!"**

We'll cap the morning with a session on **legislative and recent case law review**. You'll also get the chance to ask your burning legal questions as we close with an "open mic" session!



9th Annual Legal Issues Symposium and **"Crisis at the Road Agency!"** (inc. breakfast, lunch): **\$175**

9th Annual Legal Issues Symposium only (inc. breakfast): **\$99**

Register online! micountyroads.org/DecemberEvent

CRA hotel room block available through Comfort Inn & Suites for **\$85/night**.

For more info, call 989.772.4000. **Room block closes Nov. 27.**

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 Stay with us for **"Crisis at the Road Agency!"** 

AGENDA

- 8 a.m. **Registration and Breakfast**
- 8:30 a.m. **Welcome**
Mark Christensen, CRA President and Superintendent Manager, Road Commission for Montcalm County
- 8:35 - 9:45 a.m. **Leave it to policy**
Meet Ward Cleaver, manager, Mayfield County Road Commission. At this picture-perfect fictional road agency, despite the hijinks of staff and misguided neighbors, things are A-OK. All thanks to well-written road agency policy.
Ryan Fantuzzi, Attorney, Kirk, Huth, Lange & Badalamenti, PLC
- 9:45 - 10:00 a.m. **Break**
- 10:00 - 11:00 a.m. **BEAD's coming to your ROW!**
There is a sixth dimension where over \$1.5 B in BEAD is coming to Michigan. You live in this dimension. And will want to be ready. Liability, residents, the law, commerce and money may all collide in your ROW in 2024 and beyond.
Mischa Boardman, Shareholder, Zausmer
Devin Sullivan, Shareholder, Zausmer
- 11:00-11:15 a.m. **Break**
- 11:15-11:45 a.m. **Double Jeopardy**
This is Jeopardy! The morning's panelists join Legal Issues Forum chair Jennifer Henderson for a panel discussion on recent cases and legislation. Plus, your opportunity to ask questions!
Ryan Fantuzzi, Attorney, Kirk, Huth, Lange & Badalamenti, PLC
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Moderator: Jennifer Henderson, General Counsel, Road Commission for Oakland County
- 12 noon **Lunch**

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