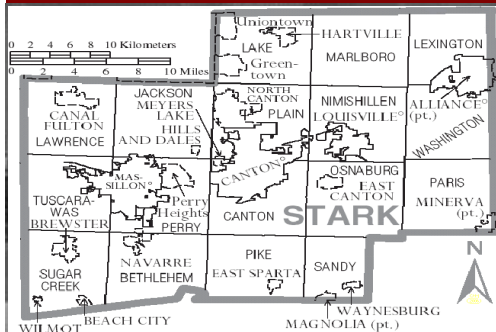


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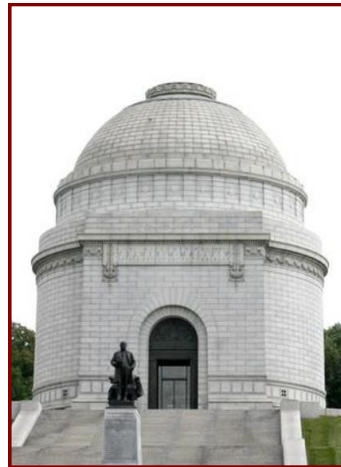
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The 2024 Stark County Governmental Law Seminar

Thank you for joining us for the 2024 Stark County Governmental Law Seminar. This seminar is presented by the Stark County Prosecutor's Office and the Stark County Regional Planning Commission on a biennial basis.

It is our mission to provide attendees with useful and up-to-date information regarding the current status of the law as it relates to political subdivisions within Stark County. This year's presentation will consist of a general session followed by four breakout sessions. Attendees are free to choose which breakout sessions to attend.

Welcome to the seminar!



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General Session

9:15 a.m. to 10:00 a.m.

Welcome & Introductory Remarks:

Robert Nau & Kyle L. Stone

TITLE: The Future of Solar Development in Ohio



Senate Bill 52 increased local input into the solar and wind approval process, impacting new project applications across Ohio. Matt Butler, Public Information Officer, and Julie Graham-Price, Community Liaison, from the Ohio Power Siting Board will provide an overview of the siting process, an update on the implementation of SB 52 as well as what to expect next as Ohio transitions toward giving local officials greater authority over the siting of solar and wind facilities.

Presenters:

Matthew Butler, *Administrative Officer/Public Information Officer* & Juliana Graham-Price, *Community Liaison, Ohio Power Siting Board*



Session One:

10:10 a.m. to 11:05 a.m.

Workshop A: Basics of Zoning

Presented by: Jessica L. Logothetides, *Assistant Prosecuting Attorney, Stark County Prosecutor's Office*

Workshop B: RPC Grants

Presented by: Diane Sheridan, *Chief of Community Development*, Lisa Snyder, *Senior Community Development Planner* & Jeff Brown, *Principal Planner, Stark County Regional Planning Commission*

Workshop C: Employment Law

Presented by: Rob Duffrin, *Assistant Prosecuting Attorney, Stark County Prosecutor's Office*

Session Two:

11:15 a.m. to 12:10 p.m.

Workshop A: Land Bank

Presented by: Sarah Peters, *Land Bank Manager* & John Anthony, *Staff Attorney, Stark County Regional Planning Commission*

Workshop B: Public Records & Records Retention

Presented by: Aaron Violand, *Assistant Prosecuting Attorney* & Bennet Stuffle, *Assistant Prosecuting Attorney, Stark County Prosecutor's Office*

Workshop C: Cultivating an Understanding of Agricultural Exemptions

Presented by: Todd Paulus, *Unit Manager, Stark County Combined General Health District* & Jessica Logothetides, *Assistant Prosecuting Attorney, Stark County Prosecutor's Office*

Luncheon:

12:10 p.m. to 1:10 p.m.

Session Three:

1:10 p.m. to 2:00 p.m.

Workshop A: Nuisance Abatement

Presented by: Randy Ruszkowski, *Unit Manager, Stark County Combined General Health District* & Deborah A. Dawson, *Civil Division Chief, Stark County Prosecutor's Office*

Workshop B: Fair Housing and Zoning

Presented by: Valerie Watson, *Fair Housing Manager, Stark County Regional Planning Commission*

Workshop C: Contracting with a Public Entity

Presented by: Gerard T. Yost, *Civil Division Senior Assistant, Stark County Prosecutor's Office*

Session Four:

2:10 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Workshop A: Stark County Off-Road Drainage/ Ditches Program

Presented by: John Weeden, *Executive Director* & Isabelle Bruder, *Drainage Specialist, Stark Soil & Water Conservation District*

Workshop B: Sunshine Law

Presented by: John Lysenko, *Assistant Prosecuting Attorney, Stark County Prosecutor's Office*

Seminar Concludes