

### **CCAP UPDATE**

#### COUNTY COMMISSIONERS ASSOCIATION OF PENNSYLVANIA

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### There's Still Time to Register!

Join your county peers August 4 to 7 in Gettysburg, Adams County for the **138<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference and Trade Show!** You still have time to register!

The **Conference agenda** includes a full slate of speakers and education, a trade show with a variety of vendors, networking with peers, association business and awards honoring your colleagues. Online registration will end at 3 p.m. on July 25.

Our overnight room blocks at the **Wyndham Gettysburg** and **Courtyard by Marriott Gettysburg** are now closed. However, we encourage you to call both hotels to inquire about availability and rates. Additionally, **Destination Gettysburg** has a list of other hotels in the Gettysburg area.

Highlights of this year's Conference agenda include:

• Sunday: The first day of the Conference features CCAP Policy Committees, the

- trade show with our vendors, and the Welcome Reception with exhibitors.
- Monday: Our Opening General Session kicks off the day with keynote speaker, James Robilotta, several educational breakout sessions, dedicated time with our vendors, and the district meetings.
- Tuesday: CCAP's Annual Business Session (with a hybrid voting option) is where members vote on resolutions, bylaws, the slate of officers and the 2029 Annual Conference locations. The day ends with the Annual Dinner and Awards Presentations honoring President Michael Rivera, Berks County, and county award recipients.
- Wednesday: The Conference ends with another set of breakout sessions along with a packed Closing General Session featuring two speakers on electionrelated topics as well as Dr. Laurel Harry, Secretary, PA Department of Corrections and Rick Siger, Secretary, PA Department of Community and Economic Development.

We look forward to seeing you in Adams County next month!

For more information and the latest Conference agenda click the link below:

CCAP Annual Conference and Trade Show



## **CCAP Members and Staff Attend the 2024 NACo Annual Conference**

Pennsylvania counties were well represented at the 2024 NACo Annual Conference in Hillsborough County, Florida, July 12-15. This conference is the premier gathering of leaders from the nations 3,069 counites, parishes and boroughs. The conference featured a full schedule of learning, networking and collaboration. This included the final report from the Commission on Mental Health and Wellbeing, AI policies and practices for counties, tools for county leaders to overcome division and foster collaboration and much more.

#### **Counties Earn Awards at NACO's Annual Conference**

Six Pennsylvania counties received Achievement Awards at NACo's Annual Conference, held in Florida this past week, July 12-15.

These awards recognize outstanding county government programs and services through a non-competitive application process. Included in this year's 2024 Achievement Awards are:

**Potter County** - *Revitalize Potter County* - Category - Arts, Culture and Historic Preservation

**Berks County** - *Berks 1st Magazine* - Category - Civic Education and Public Information

**Snyder County** - *Snyder County Faylor Lake Disc Golf Course* - Category - Community and Economic Development

Northampton County - Deterra - Category - Health

**Potter County** - *No Veteran Left Behind* - Category - Human Services

**Chester County** - Chester County GIS Productivity Tools and Applications - Category - Information Technology

**Lackawanna County** - *Fridays in the Park* - Category - Parks and Recreation

Kudos to Potter County for taking home two awards! For more detail on these awards and the contribution each county made to their community, please click the link below:

NACo Achievement Awards

# Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Security Agency (CISA) Releases Guide

CISA has released the **Guide to Operational Security for Election Officials.** This guide outlines operational security (OPSEC) in elections and provides a detailed review of risks and real-world examples, along with offering practical mitigation strategies.

By integrating OPSEC principles into daily operations and promoting a security-conscious culture, election workers can minimize the risk of unauthorized information disclosure while ensuring transparency for legitimate inquiries.

For more information, contact **EISRMA@cisa.dhs.gov**.

### **PA County Careers**

Check out the **CCAP Job Center webpage**, where you'll find county government job openings statewide! You can also use this page to submit a county job posting.

For information on submitting a job posting, contact **CCAP**.

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