



Illinois State Association of Counties

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The Honorable Fred Crespo
State Representative
1014 East Schaumburg Road
Streamwood, IL 60107

The Honorable Stephanie Kifowit
State Representative
1677 Montgomery Road, Suite 116
Aurora, IL 60504

Dear Representatives Crespo and Kifowit:

The Illinois State Association of Counties (ISACo) thanks you for the opportunity to participate in the Property Tax Relief Task Force's School Funding and School Property Tax Subcommittee hearing on Tuesday, October 1, 2019.

During the hearing, county assessment professionals indicated a willingness to assist the Task Force. In particular, these professionals offered to review any future legislative drafts emerging from the work of the Task Force to ensure technical accuracy and consistency with policy objectives sought by legislators. This letter is to reiterate this offer and request that county technical expertise be utilized before any potential legislation is formally introduced. If requested, ISACo is more than willing to coordinate with all parties to facilitate such a review.

Please feel welcome to contact me at 217/679-3368 (office), 217/836-9164 (cell) or by email at jmccoy@isacoil.org whenever I can be of service. Thanks.

Respectfully,

Joe McCoy
Executive Director