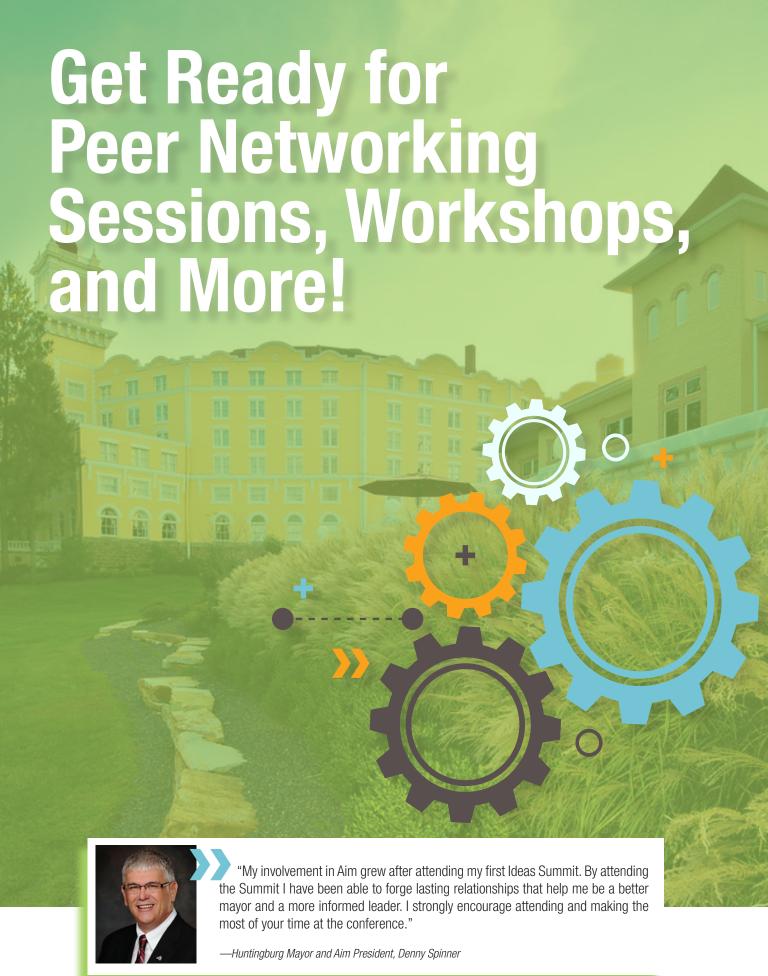


## **2019 Aim Ideas Summit**

French Lick Springs Resort

French Lick, Indiana August 27-29, 2019





The Aim Ideas Summit spotlights just how comprehensive our commitment is to accelerating Indiana municipalities. We packed in more than 130 exhibitors, organizations, and state agencies specializing in municipal government solutions, an exciting mix of speakers, 31 workshops, networking opportunities, and one-on-one consultations into a mere three days.

There is also some association business that needs to happen at the conference. Be sure to attend the Opening and Closing Business Sessions to help elect Aim officers, board members, and formulate policies for the coming year. Check the Aim website to ensure you're signed up as a voting delegate, aimindiana.org.

### **WORKSHOPS**

It wasn't easy to accomplish given the short time we have together, but we found a way to put a tremendous amount of educational programming into the Aim Ideas Summit. This year's 31 workshops are diverse and offer a great mixture of technical, nuts and bolts skills, and big picture development and quality of place topics. As always, there will be a lot of Continuing Legal Education credits. For those who attend our extended Early Bird topics, credit will be offered towards your Aim Municipal Management Institute certification. Check the Aim website frequently for topic descriptions and workshop speakers as they become available in the coming weeks.

Participation in the early bird workshops is eligible for Municipal Management Institute (MMI) credit. Thank you to MMI sponsor Wessler Engineering.



## **EARLY BIRD WORKSHOPS**

Earn MMI credit!

**Tuesday, August 27** 1:15 p.m. – 2:45 p.m.



## How to Prevent Corruption, Bribery, and Embezzlement

Recognizing patterns and warning signs of illegal acts and, ideally, thwart them before they occur.

## ADA / Title VI Compliance - Keeping Up and Getting Ahead

Interactive discussion on the hows, whys, wherefores of maintaining Title VI compliance.

## How to Utilize Opportunity Zones as an Economic Development Tool

Pairing the benefits of Opportunity Zones with actual projects and key dates.

## **Water Contamination and the Municipal Response**

A case study involving a harmful chemical making its way into the public water supply.

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## **HASHTAG MADNESS**

Feeling left out of the hashtag craze? Or, are you a hashtag savant looking to share your skills with the world? This year, those who tag #Aim2019 to share their positive conference experiences will be eligible to win a prize during the Closing Business Session. Get ready to share insights from your favorite workshops or take some selfies with your newest contacts — just remember to include #Aim2019 and you just might go home a winner!

#### **HIGHLIGHTS**

There will be several opportunities for you to meet one-on-one with experts representing several popular Aim programs.

Round up your financial questions and bring them to the conference. The State Board of Accounts will have representatives staffing their Resource Center on Wednesday, August 28.

## **AIM INDIANA MOBILE APP**

While packing your bags for French Lick be sure to download the Aim Indiana App, Aim's free mobile app for iPhone and Android devices. Closer to the conference you'll find details on all events and workshops and you can even create your own schedule to keep yourself on track! In addition to workshops, the app will have directional and parking instructions and information on featured speakers and sponsors. And, when you aren't using the app for our many events throughout the year, you can use it to view the Aim calendar or catch up on legislative information.

## **EXHIBIT HALL**

More than 130 companies, organizations, and state agencies specializing in municipal government solutions will be on-hand in the exhibit hall. Make sure to visit their booths to learn what they can offer your city or town and to find innovative technology and resources to take back to your community. The exhibit hall will kick off with the welcome reception on Tuesday and also feature a continental breakfast on Wednesday. This year's exhibit hall will feature a new, prize-winning opportunity! Have a chat with participating vendors to collect customized poker chips and drop them off at the Aim table to be eligible for some cool swag!

"We're super busy so it's not easy to get away from the office, but I know one reason we're succeeding is from the knowledge and connections I have made at the Aim Ideas Summit. It's always worth the effort to get there. And I'm energized when I get back to the office, too."

--- Waterloo Town Manager and IMMA President, Tena Woenker



"I learn so much at the Aim Ideas Summit. The workshops are informative, professional and timely. Sometimes there are more ideas than we have time to implement back home!"

— North Manchester Clerk-Treasurer and 2018/2019 ILMCT President, Carrie Mugford

"In addition to the workshops and networking, I find the exhibit hall to be a real highlight of the Ideas Summit. It's such a timesaver getting to meet so many experts all in one place."

---Dillsboro Councilman, Tom Wafford

Monday,	August 26
7:00 p.m.	Board of Directors Dinner
Tuesday,	August 27
9:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.	Registration
9:00 a.m. – 10:45 a.m.	Board of Directors Meeting
11:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.	Aim Affiliate Group Meetings  Indiana Conference of Mayors (ICOM) Luncheon Indiana League of Municipal Clerks and Treasurers (ILMCT) Executive Committee Luncheon Indiana Association of City Engineers (IACE) Luncheon
1:15 p.m. – 2:45 p.m.	Early Bird Workshops  How to Prevent Corruption, Bribery, and Embezzlement  ADA / Title VI Compliance - Keeping Up and Getting Ahead  How to Utilize Opportunity Zones as an Economic Development Tool  Water Contamination and the Municipal Response
2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.	Aim Affiliate Group Meeting  Indiana Association of Regional Councils (IARC) Advisory Council Meeting
3:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.	Workshops  Preparing Your Community for Cyber Intruders  State and Local Partnerships with Ability Indiana  The Public's Evolving Role in Place Design  Exploring Utility Rate Affordability  Roadmap to a Community-led Mental Health Initiative
4:15 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.	Opening Business Session
5:15 p.m. – 7:15 p.m.	Welcome Reception in Exhibit Hall
7:15 p.m.	Evening Open
	ay, August 28
8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.	Registration
8:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.	Continental Breakfast in Exhibit Hall
8:00 a.m. – 11:15 a.m.	Exhibit Hall Open
8:30 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.	Aim Affiliate Group Meetings  Redevelopment Association of Indiana (RAI)  Indiana ADA Coordinators Association (ADA)  Indiana Municipal Management Association (IMMA)  Council Members
8:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.	State Board of Accounts Resource Center
10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.	Workshops  LTAP Data Management System: Collecting Pavement Conditions and Financial Reports to Tell Your Story  Managing Smart with Aim Partner Bliss McKnight, Inc.  Post-Issuance Compliance Policies for Municipal Bonds  Rushville City Center Innovation: Improving Quality of Place  Strategies and Constraints for Handling Municipal Utility Collections  Vendor Solutions: Securing Your Future Online: Access, Monitor and Manage
11:15 a.m.	Grand Prize Giveaway and Exhibition Closes
11:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.	Aim Annual Awards Luncheon presented by Baker Tilly Municipal Advisors, LLC Keynote Address sponsored by Bingham Greenebaum Doll LLP
1:45 p.m. – 3:15 p.m.	Workshops  Regional Strategies Aimed at Reversing Indiana's Population Decline and Growing our Cities and Towns  Fostering Small Scale Manufacturing as an Economic Development Strategy

2:00 p.m. –	Corporate Partner Advisory Council Meeting			
3:00 p.m.				
2:00 p.m. –	State Board of Accounts Resource Center			
4:00 p.m.				
3:30 p.m. –	Workshops			
4:30 p.m.	Selecting the Right Project Delivery Method			
	Managing Smart with Aim Partner Bliss McKnight, Inc.			
	The Impact of Indiana's Circuit Breaker and Strategies for Generating     Necessary Revenues			
	Necessary Revenues     Smart Meter Technology for Municipal Water and Electric Utilities			
	Vendor Solutions			
4:45 p.m. –	Policy Platform Hearing			
4.43 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.	Folicy Flationii fleating			
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5:00 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.	Presidents' Reception			
6:30 p.m.	Evening Open			
7:00 p.m. –	Vendor Party — Hosted by Aim Corporate Partners			
10:00 p.m.	Open to All Conference Attendees			
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Thursday	y, August 29			
8:00 a.m. –	Registration			
11:30 a.m.				
8:00 a.m. –	Continental Breakfast			
9:00 a.m.				
9:00 a.m.	Workshops			
10:00 a.m.	Careful with that Tweet! How Governments Can Avoid Defamation in the			
	Digital Age			
	Effectively Making Your Case     Preparing Communities for Issues Resulting from Environmental Change			
	Preparing Communities for Issues Resulting from Environmental Change     Best Practices and Approaches to Indiana's Access to Public Records Act			
	Are you Prepared for a Deferred Compensation Plan Audit?			
	Attorney Peer Networking – Attorney CLE Program			
10:15 a.m. –	Workshops			
11:15 a.m.	TIF and Other Economic Development Tools			
	Leveraging Grant Money to Improve Quality of Place			
	Transformative Redevelopment – Converting Industrial Relics into			
	Community Assets			
	The Clerk-Treasurers Role in Water Auditing			
	Vendor Solutions			
11:30 a.m. –	Closing Lunch and Business Session			
1:15 p.m.				

Throughout the summer, Aim will be updating our workshop roster to include descriptions, speakers, and notes about workshop CLE credits and applicability to small towns. Check aimindiana.org frequently for more details!



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# REGISTER TODAY!

**ONLINE** aimindiana.org

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**FAX** (317) 237-6206

## **Hotel Information**

The hotel blocks will open June 18 for the Aim Ideas Summit. Please contact the hotel of your choice directly by August 5 to reserve your hotel room. Aim is not responsible for hotel reservations. Attendees are required to provide their name and the name of their company or municipality when reserving a hotel room. Multiple reservations cannot be made under the same name. There are separate blocks for vendors and municipal attendees. Please make sure you use the appropriate group code when reserving your room. You must be registered for the conference to occupy a room in the Aim hotel block. Reservations made under the Aim room block can be adjusted by Aim.

**Please note:** If you are a member of the Aim Board of Directors, please contact Lesley Mosier at Imosier@aimindiana.org to make your reservation.

#### **French Lick Springs Hotel**

8670 West State Road 56 French Lick, Indiana 47432 (888) 936-9360 Municipal Attendee Group Code: 0819AIM Vendor Group Code: AIM19V Room Rate: \$149/night (plus tax)

Parking: Complimentary

## **West Baden Springs Hotel**

8538 West Baden Avenue West Baden Springs, Indiana 47469 (888) 936-9360 Municipal Attendee Group Code: 0819AIM Vendor Group Code: AIM19V Room Rate: \$189/night (plus tax) Parking: Complimentary





## 2019 AIM IDEAS SUMMIT REGISTRATION FORM

Pre-Registration Deadline: August 5



Full Name	Phone
Preferred Name for Badge	Email (Required)
Title	Spouse/Guest Name
Municipality/Company	Special Needs and Dietary Restrictions
Council President's Name	
Address	
City/State/Zip	

## **REGISTRATION FEES**

	On/Before 8/5	After 8/5	Enter Amount
Aim Member — Municipal Official (Pop. greater than or equal to 1,000)	\$325	\$375	
Aim Member — Municipal Official (Pop. less than 1,000)	\$190	\$240	
Aim Corporate Partner (Non-Exhibitor)	\$325	\$375	
Aim Corporate Partner (Exhibitor)	\$250	\$300	
Non-Member (Non-Exhibitor)	\$475	\$525	
Non-Member (Exhibitor)	\$250	\$300	
Spouse/Guest	\$190	\$240	
Wednesday Only	\$250	\$300	
	Total Amount: \$		

## METHOD OF PAYMENT

☐ Check ☐ Visa ☐ MasterCard	□ Discover □ American Express					
Check # (Payable to Aim)						
Cardholder Name						
Credit Card Number						
Expiration Date						
Verification Code						
Billing Address						
City/State/Zip						
Signature of Cardholder						

## Please Check the Summit Events You Plan to Attend (for planning purposes only)

□ TUESDAY Workshop Choice #1 Corruption, Bribery, and Embezzlement	U TUESDAY Workshop Choice #2 ADA / Title VI Compliance	□ TUESDAY Workshop Choice #3 Opportunity Zones	U TUESDAY Workshop Choice #4 Water Contamination	Opening Business Session	☐ TUESDAY Welcome Reception in Exhibit Hall
☐ WEDNESDAY Continental Breakfast in Exhibit Hall	☐ <b>WEDNESDAY</b> Annual Awards Luncheon	□ WEDNESDAY Presidents' Reception	☐ THURSDAY Continental Breakfast	Closing Lunch & Business Session	

## **Cancellation Policy**

Only written cancellations will be accepted. Please mail your written cancellation to 125 W. Market St., Suite 100, Indianapolis, IN 46204; fax to (317) 237-6206; or send to Imosier@ aimindiana.org. Written cancellations received on or before August 16, will be refunded less a \$40 processing fee. Aim is not responsible for hotel reservations or cancellations.

#### **Special Needs and Dietary Restrictions**

If you require special arrangements or a special diet, please notify Aim on your registration form.

#### **Affiliate Group Events**

Aim affiliate groups may hold individual meetings and events at the conference. Attendees must be registered for the conference in order to attend affiliate events. Additional information for affiliate group members may be mailed out separately.

#### Questions?

Contact Lesley Mosier at (317) 237-6200 ext. 223 or Imosier@aimindiana.org.

#### **E-Verify Compliance**

Aim is an enrolled employer in the E-Verify Program verifying the work eligibility status of its new employees and will remain so until that program no longer exists.



