



August 10-14, 2009

Moline, Illinois



- Do you want to **improve your skills** in developing your community?
- Do you want to **gain credentials** as a professional in community and economic development?
- Do you want to **network** with other professionals facing the same challenges?

Midwest CDI may be for you!

The Midwest CDI is your path to becoming a better community and economic developer.



The Midwest Community Development Institute (CDI) is a comprehensive training program in community and economic development designed for community leaders and development professionals.

Much better training for small towns than basic ED class. Incredible program! I so value what I've learned over the last three years and love that I can test for professional certification.

Stephanie McMahon, Director, Sullivan, IL Chamber and Economic Development



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The Midwest CDI is hosted by the nationally recognized Illinois Institute for Rural Affairs at Western Illinois University.



Registration

The tuition for attending the Midwest CDI is \$500. The tuition after July 1 is \$550. This fee includes lunch on Monday–Thursday (August 10–13), a field trip, a closing dinner, and all materials, readings, and handouts. The Midwest CDI will begin at 10:00 AM on Monday, August 10 and will end at 2:00 PM on Friday, August 14.

The tuition for the Advanced Year is \$135. The tuition after July 1 is \$150. Advanced Year fee includes: lunch Wednesday–Thursday (August 12–13), a special session on technology in community development, a closing dinner, and all materials, readings, and handouts. The Advanced Year will begin at 9:00 AM on Wednesday, August 12 and will end after dinner on Thursday, August 13.

Dress for all activities is business casual. Registration is available online at www.midwestcdi.org.

2009 CDI Location – Stoney Creek Inn

101 18th Street, Moline, Illinois

Stoney Creek Inn is located on the Mississippi Riverfront in downtown Moline. Excellent amenities include complimentary continental breakfast, comfortable meeting rooms, and wireless Internet access. Rooms at reduced rates have been set aside for CDI attendees. Rates per night are \$89 for a Deluxe Room. Rooms and rates are subject to availability, reservations must be made by **July 10, 2009**. For reservations, call Stoney Creek Inn at (309) 743-0101 and ask for the special CDI rate. For more information, see the Web site: www.stoneycreekinn.com.

Cut out and mail in registration form

Name: _____

**Please print your name the way you want
it to appear on your name tag:** _____

Title: _____

Organization/Business: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ **E-mail:** _____ **Fax:** _____

Please indicate which session you will attend: **Complete and return this form** • Attention: Sandy Wittig
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Macomb, Illinois 61455-1390 • Phone: (309) 298-2237 • (800) 526-9943

- Year One Registration fee: \$500 Full Registration before June 30, 2009.
 Year Two \$550 full registration after June 30, 2009. \$135 Advanced Year only available after
 Year Three completing Years One, Two, Three.
 Year Advanced

Please make checks payable to the Illinois Institute for Rural Affairs.

Or pay by credit card: Visa MasterCard Discover Card

Credit Card No: _____ Exp. Date: _____

Signature: _____

Questions?? For additional information, please visit our Web site at www.midwestcdi.org or contact Sandy Wittig at 309-298-2237 or info@midwestcdi.org.