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Registration is Now Open!



2022 BASA Fall Conference

October 4-5, 2022

Hilton, Polaris

Featuring Keynote Speakers:

DR. BILL DAGGETT <i>Founder and Chairman, International Center for Leadership in Education</i>		DR. JOE SANFELIPPO <i>Superintendent, Fall Creek School District, Fall Creek, WI and 2019 Education Dive National Superintendent of the Year</i>
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AMPLIFYING THE VOICE OF LEADERS

Join nationally-recognized keynote speakers Dr. Bill Daggett and Dr. Joe Sanfelippo as they discuss how to amplify the voice of leaders and how to build capacity around you to lead post-pandemic.

Dr. Daggett will go deeper into data that explores how students have changed since the pandemic and the need to look at instructional design differently to meet the changing needs of our students, as well as consider work-force design challenges.

Dr. Sanfelippo will share more on how to build capacity among us so that we can increase shared leadership, which starts by recognizing the greatness around you and building around it.

HOTEL ROOM RESERVATIONS:

Hilton Columbus/Polaris
Book by: September 3, 2022
Reserve by phone: (614) 885-1600
Group Name: BASA Fall Conference 2022
Group Code: BASA22
Reserve online www.my-event.hilton.com/cmhpohf-basa22-8e7b19b0-f31b-4d57-b092-8d92062254eb/

Hampton Inn & Suites by Hilton
Book by: September 24, 2022
Reserve by phone: (614) 885-8400
Group Name: BASA Fall Conference
Group Code: BFC
Reserve online www.hilton.com/en/attend-my-event/basa-fall-conference-2022-hampton-polaris/

Complete registration form(s) and purchase order and email to hall@basa-ohio.org or Register online at <https://basa.finalforms-amp.com/members>

Full Name _____	Title _____
School District _____	Phone _____
Address/City, State Zip _____	Email _____

Registration is \$325 for Members/\$375 Non-Members

I am paying with a P.O. / Check
PO Number

I am paying with a credit card via my BASA
AMP Account
*Please note that there is a 4% credit card fee
associated with this payment option.

Cancellations & Refunds:
Refunds or credit will be given only for cancellations made in writing (mail or fax) and received by the BASA office up to five business days prior to the event date. Cancellations 5 business days or less prior to the conference are subject to a 50% cancellation fee. No refunds will be given for "no-shows."

Questions?
For additional information, contact BASA via email at hall@basa-ohio.org or by phone at (614) 846-4080.

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Click [here](#) to download the registration form. Click [here](#) to register online.

Webinar to Overview NEXUS Pipeline Settlement Agreement and Its Impact on School Funding

Please join BASA, OASBO, and OSBA **this coming Monday, June 27, 2022, at 3:30 p.m.** to learn more about the Nexus valuation settlement, what that portends for Rover and the next steps for impacted school districts.

Webinar panelists include:

Rebecca C. Princehorn, Bricker & Eckler, LLP, RPrincehorn@bricker.com

Alan C. Harold, Stark County Auditor, acharold@starkcountyohio.gov

Kevin Miller, BASA

Katie Johnson, OASBO

Will Schwartz, OSBA

The webinar will be an hour long. For those not able to attend, we will record the webinar and make it available to our members.

Below is the registration link for the webinar:

https://learn.oasbo-ohio.org/products/nexus-pipeline-settlement-and-impact-on-funding#tab-product_tab_overview



June 2022

MAJOR BALLOT CHANGES COMING: Both new and renewal levies will be impacted by HB 140

House Bill (HB) 140, known as the “Ballot Uniformity and Transparency Act,” will be effective beginning with the May 2, 2023, election. The Act makes sweeping changes to election procedures and will require increased communication efforts by school districts to educate their voters about how a proposed levy or bond issue will impact their schools and individual tax bills.

HB 140’s most significant provisions modify the ballot language for various types of school levies and bond issues. To illustrate how these changes will appear on the ballot, the following table shows the current ballot language for a fixed-rate levy under Ohio Revised Code § 5705.21 compared to the revisions that HB 140 will make to that question.

Current Ballot Language	HB 140 Revised Ballot Language
<p>An additional tax for the benefit of (name of school district) _____ for the purpose of (purpose stated in the resolution) _____ at a rate not exceeding _____ mills for each one dollar of valuation, which amounts to (rate expressed in dollars and cents) _____ for each one hundred dollars of valuation, for _____ (number of years the levy is to run or a continuing period of time)?</p>	<p>An additional tax for the benefit of (name of school district) _____ for the purpose of (purpose stated in the resolution) _____, that the county auditor estimates will collect \$ _____ annually, at a rate not exceeding _____ mills for each one-dollar \$1 of valuation taxable value, which amounts to (rate expressed in dollars and cents) \$ _____ for each one-hundred dollars \$100,000 of valuation the county auditor's appraised value, for _____ (number of years the levy is to run or a continuing period of time)?</p>

The sample ballot language shows three significant changes made by HB 140:

1. Adds a school district's total estimated annual revenue from the levy to the ballot. While this information was already contained in the ballot language for a fixed-sum levy such as emergency levy, now it will be applied to all levies (excluding bond issues).
2. Expresses the cost to the taxpayer per \$100,000 instead of per \$100. This implicitly assumes that each property is worth at least that much.
3. Bases the cost per \$100,000 on true value, referred to as the "county auditor's appraised value," instead of on assessed / tax value, which is 35% of the appraised value for real property only. However, the ballot millage for the levy will still be expressed in mills (one-tenth of a cent) for each \$1 of taxable value, which means that the ballot language will be expressing amounts based on two different valuations (assessed/tax value for the millage and true/appraised value for the cost per \$100,000 calculation).

For any proposed levy that is a renewal, decrease, increase or expansion of an existing tax, HB 140 adds an additional requirement to calculate the cost per \$100,000 based on the estimated effective tax rate for residential/agricultural (Class 1) properties. This calculation would thus be based on a different millage than the full voted rate shown on the ballot, which may cause additional confusion for voters, not to mention that all properties are not residential or agricultural properties.

Voters will need to be educated, not only about a proposed ballot initiative and its importance to their school district, but also the difference between how property taxes are levied versus how they are paid. If individual voters wish to better understand the impact of a proposed levy on their specific property and circumstances, then the county auditor can calculate the estimate based on all relevant factors. However, it is important to note that the following differences among taxpayers, levies and properties mean the calculation of the actual taxes on an individual property derived from a levy can vary significantly:

- The type of property;
- The use of the property (such as CAUV, forestry/timber, and manufactured homes);
- Reduction factors that apply to fixed-rate levies mean property owners often pay lower effective rates for such levies rather than the full voted rate, and such reduction factors typically vary by property class (Class 1 (residential and agricultural) and Class 2 (commercial) property) or do not apply at all (public utility personal property);
- The wealth-based homestead exemption and any other discounts applicable to individual property taxpayers; and
- State subsidies (i.e. the 10% residential/agricultural, 2.50% owner-occupied rollbacks) that may apply to some levies and properties but not to others.

In short, a particular property tax rate levied by a school district or other taxing subdivision results in multiple different property tax rates actually paid by property taxpayers, but the changes made by HB 140 fall short of capturing these nuances.

HB 140 will impact the form of election proceedings as they are submitted by school districts to county auditors and board of elections prior to the election date. Election proceedings used by a school district for a prior election will also need substantial revisions to comply with HB 140's many new requirements.

PARTNER UPDATES



As your Human Resource and Athletic Department staff starts to plan for August and the 22-23 school year, the topic of Pupil Activity Permits (PAP) will be on their agenda. Under the old system, every coach had to go to at least 5 different sites or sources to get 5 different certificates with 5 different expiration dates to even begin the process of applying for a PAP through the Ohio Department of Education. Finally, there is ONE location that a coach can go to and ONE certificate that a District can track!

1. What is Coaches' Tool Chest (CTC)?
 - CTC is a web-based certification program fully approved in the State of Ohio by the Ohio Department of Health (ODH) and the Ohio Department of Education (ODE) to provide athletic coaches with one location to complete all athletic coaching certification requirements <https://coachestoolchest.com/about-us/>.
2. Does CTC include the recent requirement for PBIS training for coaches that was added to the Ohio Administrative Code?
 - We are currently working with ODE and a multi-county Educational Service Center team to finalize the PBIS training that we will be including on our platform. We expect to meet the requirement of having PBIS training in place by June 2023.
3. Can our District use ESSER Funds to cover the cost of the training?
 - Yes! Some school districts have used ESSER funds to purchase subscription codes for coaches while others have chosen to use Title II A Professional Development funds.


- Cost of CTC is \$49/year. School districts can choose if the cost is paid by each individual coach, or the school can purchase a block of subscription codes for coaches to use.
4. Why are over 300 Ohio School Districts already using CTC?
 - The previous certification system is not user-friendly and outdated; CTC provides a number of benefits but there are three major things it accomplishes for schools regarding coaches' certifications:
 - One place for coaches to go each year meet their mandated courses
 - No more tracking of staggered expiration dates for the athletic department.
 - Quality updated professional development for our coaches that include social and emotional learning strategies.
 5. Does this meet ALL of the requirements of ODE and ODH to apply for a PAP?
 - Yes! CTC has been approved by ODH and ODE to fully certify a coach in the State of Ohio including Sudden Cardiac (Lindsay's Law), Concussion, First Aid, CPR, and Coaching Fundamentals.
 6. How long is the certification valid?
 - The certification is valid from the time of completion until June 30th of the school year for which the certification was completed.
 - Annual certification is a change - we know repetition is learning. A coach who is exposed to the material on an annual basis has a higher probability of reacting in the most effective manner in a situation. Annual certification also allows for the content to be updated more frequently and more on topic than our current training.
 7. Do I still need to apply/renew my PAP?
 - Yes, so long as you have a current CTC certification, you have completed the required training to renew your PAP or apply for your initial PAP through the Ohio Department of Education website (OH ID account).
 8. Will a Coach be able to print a certificate to certify training was completed?
 - Yes, at the conclusion of the course the coach will have the option

to print or email (or both) a certificate detailing the coursework completed.

- Coming soon - the coach will have the ability to directly upload the certificate to a Final Forms account.

9. Does CTC do anything other than certify coaches?

- Yes!
 - Emergency response information by school
 - OHSAA sport-specific handbook/bylaw reference information
 - Step-by-step instructions in the event of an emergency

 **Manuals**

Please choose a sport.

 **Coursework**

Please choose a coursework.

 **School Information**

Please Select a School

Interested in learning more about Coaches' Tool Chest? Email info@coachestoolchest.com or call 513-486-6463.



Division of Environmental and Financial Assistance
May 2022

Recycling and Litter Prevention Water Bottle Refilling Station Program

Purpose

To purchase and install bottle refilling stations (new or retrofit) that will encourage schools to reduce, reuse, and recycle and discourage single-use plastic water bottles, removing potential plastic waste and improving landfill diversion.

Eligible Applicants

Ohio Academic institutions, public and private K-12.

Eligible Costs/Activities

Purchase of water bottle refilling station (new or retrofit), and related signage, outreach, and education.

Funding

The maximum amount of grant funding available is \$5,000 per school or \$10,000 per school district. Grantees have 12 months to purchase and install the equipment. Grant recipients will receive a 100% payment when the contract is executed.

Additional Information

Schools or school districts are not eligible for the program if they have any outstanding financial or environmental compliance issues. Timeline extensions and/or additional grant funds are not permitted under this program.

For more information, please visit our webpage at recycleohio.gov or contact us at recycle@epa.ohio.gov.



PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Registration is Open!



Welcome to Connect & Collaborate 2022

Connect & Collaborate is specifically designed for Ohio's PreK-12 support professionals from educational service centers, information technology centers, other regional providers, and school districts.

The last few years have been incredibly challenging, so this year we are taking it back to the basics: transforming teaching and learning!

Instruction • Leadership • Operations
Partnerships • Technology
Five Categories. Endless Topics.

The cost for members is \$399* (non-members \$425) until August 31, 2022. Add \$25 after this date.

Register four people and get the fifth registration for \$200 (non-members, fifth person is \$215)!

Register by August 31 at bit.ly/RegisterCC22.

Hotel reservations can be made by calling the Renaissance at 833-427-0292; be sure to mention the Connect & Collaborate conference for your discounted rate. Or you can make your reservation online at bit.ly/HotelCC2022.

Contact us for more information: info@oesca.org.

*Members and partners of OESCA, OTESCA, or MCOECN

Connect & Collaborate 2022 Back to the Basics

September 26-27, 2022

Renaissance Columbus Westerville-Polaris
Westerville, Ohio

Hosted by the Ohio ESC Association, OTESCA,
and the Management Council(OECN)



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