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## KANE COUNTY 2040 PLAN

# Kane County Planning Cooperative

November 2023

## Community Health Assessment Survey

The Kane County Health Department seeks feedback to help plan for community health needs



Your input counts!  
¡Su participación cuenta!

## Take the Community Health Survey Completa la Encuesta de Salud Comunitaria

Kane Health Counts needs your help to learn what we need to make our county healthier. This anonymous survey will help us understand our community's physical and mental health, quality of life, availability of services, and more. Share your feedback and help us improve the health of Kane County!

The survey will remain open through the end of November.

For more information or to complete the survey, click [here](#).

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# Planning Employment Opportunity

Kane County Development and Community Services is seeking to hire a Planner / GIS Specialist



The Kane County Development and Community Services Department is looking to hire a Planner / GIS Specialist to support the department's planning and geospatial mapping needs.

This individual will be responsible for preparing updates and implementing the County's Comprehensive Plan as well as providing professional assistance and information to the Department Director, the Regional Planning Commission, the County Board, and the general public. They will also be responsible for coordinating the Department's Geographical Information System and internal mapping functions with the GIS Department.

This position is 35 hours per week with a salary range of \$56,000 - \$63,000 (DOQ). A complete description of the Planner / GIS Specialist position, including essential duties and preferred knowledge / experience, can be viewed in this [job posting](#).

Please visit Kane County's [employment page](#) to complete the online application and EEO form, upload your cover letter, resume and references.

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# Energy Efficiency Webinar

## Bringing Energy Efficiency to Underserved Households: Examples to Emulate



Energy efficiency can produce numerous economic, health, and environmental benefits, but most utility and third-party programs do not adequately serve the households that would stand to gain the most, such as renters and low-income households.

Join us to learn about a new [ACEEE](#) toolkit highlighting best practices for increasing program participation among underserved residential customers. We will discuss strategies for programs to better reach all underserved households as well as specific strategies for reaching renters, income-eligible households, and rural households. Attendees will also hear from guest speakers who have successfully incorporated many of the strategies into their programs.

The webinar will be held on Thursday, November 30, 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM ET.

For additional info on the webinar's speakers and to register, visit the [sign-up page](#).

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## Back to Business Relief Grants

Illinois Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity announces additional funding for B2B New Biz Grant Program



# Grants of up to \$30,000

for Businesses Started during the Pandemic

On November 16th, Governor JB Pritzker and the Illinois Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity (DCEO) announced another round of Back to Business relief grant funding. The B2B NewBiz Grant Program will provide a total of \$25 million in grants to businesses having opened during the height of the pandemic, 2020-2021.

The Back to Business New Business Grant (B2B New Biz) Program, administered by the Illinois Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity (DCEO), targets businesses which opened during the height of the pandemic, 2020-2021 to support their recovery from adverse economic impacts.

Grant funding may be used to help offset operational losses, bring back staff, and cover a number of eligible costs associated with maintaining productive business operations.

Applications for funding will be accepted between November 30, 2023 and January 11, 2024.

Visit the IL DCEO B2B New Biz program [webpage](#) for complete details and to apply.

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