

**Illinois State Budget: Tax and Spend 101 Workshop**  
**Friday, October 15, 2004**  
**Agenda**

- 8:00a.m. Registration & Refreshments**  
Public Affairs Center, Conference Room C/D, First Floor
- 8:30a.m. Introduction and Welcome**  
Kent D. Redfield  
*Interim Director, Institute for Legislative Studies*
- 8:45a.m. Triple Helix: The State Budget Timeline**  
Christopher Z. Mooney  
*Professor, Institute of Government and Public Affairs*
- 9:15a.m. Budget Making and Breaking: The Political Dynamics**  
Charles N. Wheeler III  
*Director, Public Affairs Reporting Program*
- 10:15a.m. Money In: Taxes and Fees**  
Kent D. Redfield  
*Interim Director, Institute for Legislative Studies*
- 10:30a.m. Money Out: State Dollars at Work**  
Ethan Bernick  
*Research Fellow, Institute for Legislative Studies*
- 11:30a.m. Panel Discussion: Let's Make a Deal: Budget Making in Illinois**  
Moderator: Charles N. Wheeler III,  
*Director, Public Affairs Reporting Program*
- Panelists:  
Tom Ryder, *Former Illinois State Representative*
- Donne E. Trotter, *Illinois State Senator*
- Douglas L. Whitley, *President/Chief Executive Officer, Illinois Chamber of Commerce*
- 12:30p.m. Lunch**  
**Luncheon Speaker:**  
John Filan  
*Director, Governor's Office of Management and Budget*
- 2:00p.m. Adjourn**