




MEMORANDUM

TO: Trustee Bill Johnston, Chairperson
Economic and Community Development Committee

FROM: Jennifer Ganser, AICP, Assistant Director of Community Development 

MEETING DATE: May 8, 2017

SUBJECT: **Illinois DCEO Presentation**

Village staff invited one of our partners, the State of Illinois Department of Commerce of Economic Opportunity (DCEO), to the May 8th ECDC meeting. They will present on their department and work programs.

DCEO provides economic opportunities for business and residents. Their many offices work on business development, entrepreneurship, film, tourism, and trade & investment. DCEO also handles State incentives and will discuss updates to the incentive programs on May 8th. DCEO works with the International Trade Centers thru the Small Business Development Centers (which also presented to the ECDC). DCEO maintains data on the State much is which is online to highlight Illinois as a premier business location.

More information can be found online at www.illinois.gov/dceo .

COMMITTEE ACTION REQUESTED

No action is requested. This item is for information and discussion purposes.