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McHenry County GIS Day

WOODSTOCK, IL - On November 16th (from 3 PM to 7 PM), McHenry County will celebrate International GIS Day. A geographic information system (GIS) empowers the County to integrate digital information with maps. An open house will be held prior to the County Board meeting in the Administration Building in Conference Rooms A&B. This open house will showcase how the County GIS is used to:

- Improve public safety
- Reduce staff time
- Manage resources more efficiently
- Improve decision making
- Provide better information to the public

Please stop by and meet County staff and interact with the technology. There will be representatives from Administration, Assessments, Division of Transportation, Emergency Management, Geographic Information Systems (GIS), Health, Planning and Development and the Sheriff's Department. You can learn more about the County GIS activities at www.mchenrycountygis.org.

For more information about McHenry County GIS Day, please call 815-334-4496 or email gis@co.mchenry.il.us.

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