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**Unified Development Ordinance Open House - August 16**

WOODSTOCK, IL - An open house to present recommendations for drafting a Unified Development Ordinance (UDO), will be held between 4:30 p.m. and 6:30 p.m. on Tuesday, August 16 at the McHenry County Administration Building in Woodstock, IL. The UDO will update and combine existing ordinances in order to produce more clear, consistent, modern, and streamlined processes for land use change, development, and the protection of agricultural and natural resources in unincorporated McHenry County. This will include revisions of the County's zoning, subdivision, and sign ordinances, among others.

The project consultant, Camiros, Ltd., has compiled its recommendations on the UDO into a *Technical Review Memorandum*, which reflects comments received at previous meetings with county staff, stakeholder groups, and the public.

During the open house, attendees will be able to view and explore exhibits on the recommendations, ask questions, and provide feedback to Camiros staff.

Later that same evening, Camiros will present its report to the County Board at its 7:00pm meeting. The public will also have an opportunity to address the County Board about the UDO during the meeting's public comment period.

**What: Unified Development Ordinance Open House**  
**Date: Tuesday, August 16**  
**Time: 4:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.**  
**Location: Conference Rooms A & B**  
**McHenry County Administration Building**  
**667 Ware Road, Woodstock, IL**

The *Technical Review Memorandum* can be downloaded at [www.camiros.com/mchenrycoUDO/materials.htm](http://www.camiros.com/mchenrycoUDO/materials.htm).

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