



Beloit Public Library & Stateline Community Foundation Present:



KNOW YOUR LOCAL GOVERNMENT SERIES

Your Tax Dollars



Eric Miller
CITY OF BELOIT

Wed., November 16
12:00-1:00 p.m.
Beloit Public Library



Renea Ranguette
**BLACKHAWK
TECHNICAL COLLEGE**

Wed., December 21
12:00-1:00 p.m.
Beloit Public Library



Sherry Oja
ROCK COUNTY

Wed., January 25
12:00-1:00 p.m.
Beloit Public Library



Wendy LaPointe
**SCHOOL DISTRICT
OF BELOIT**

Wed., February 22
12:00-1:00 p.m.
Beloit Public Library

Register to attend, and receive a free lunch*:

www.beloitlibrary.org/how-do-i/register-for-a-program/

Lunches generously provided by Stateline Community Foundation. *Limited to 25 lunches each session.

Why should you “Know Your Local Government”?

Local government affects your day-to-day life and quality of life.

Decisions by the school board, for example, impact the quality of education that your child receives. Decisions by the city have ramifications for policing and public safety, the state of the roads and intersections, and the quality of neighborhood parks.

It is easiest to affect change at the local level.

As a resident, you can meet with and make an appeal to your elected officials, or provide feedback on an issue being discussed at a city council meeting. In small cities and towns, it can be easier to have your voice heard.

Local government decisions impact your pocketbook.

If you're a property owner, you pay for local government through your property tax bill. Of course, local governments also collect revenue from residents through fees, utility bills, etc.

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