



March 19, 2009

Mr. Jim Page
Executive Director
ILEAS
1701 E Main Street
Urbana, IL 61802

Re: Request for liaison from IPWMAN to ILEAS

Dear Mr. Page:

First, a heart felt thank you for all the assistance and guidance in helping the Illinois Public Works Mutual Aid Network (IPWMAN) become a full fledged mutual aid program. We are excited to be a partner in mutual aid with ILEAS, MABAS and the other state mutual aid programs.


We appreciate the assistance that David Owens has provided to our committee and hope that he will continue to serve on our Board of Directors. In looking forward to the future of cooperation of the mutual aid programs, we would like to have a liaison on the ILEAS Board of Directors. In addition, we would like for this person to also serve on the Law Enforcement Mutual Aid Committee under the ITTF. We feel this will provide cross-communication between the agencies and help to enhance all of our capabilities.

We have nominated Barb Stiehl, City of Urbana to be our liaison. Her contact information is below:

- Barb Stiehl, City of Urbana - Interim Secretary/Treasurer for IPWMAN
Phone: 217.819.3155
Email: blstiehl@city.urbana.il.us

We greatly appreciate all the support to date from the members of ILEAS and look forward to building upon our relationship. Please do not hesitate to contact me if you need additional information or have suggestions on how we can improve our operations or success as a mutual aid partner in Illinois. We look forward to hearing from you soon.

Sincerely,


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Interim President - IPWMAN

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