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**Iowa Taxpayers Association (ITA)**

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**Iowa Taxpayers Association Announces 90<sup>th</sup> Annual Tax Symposium**

**DES MOINES, IA — December 1, 2025 —** The Iowa Taxpayers Association (ITA) is proud to host its **90th Annual Tax Symposium on December 4–5 at The Meadows Events and Conference Center at Prairie Meadows**. This milestone event will bring together Iowa's leading policymakers, business leaders, and tax professionals to explore the latest developments in economic and tax policy shaping the state's business climate.

**Symposium Highlights Include:**

- **Thursday, December 4 | 9:30 a.m.**  
Debi Durham, Director of the Iowa Economic Development Authority and Iowa Finance Authority, will present Iowa's strategic vision for economic growth, including key policy initiatives and industry trends.
- **Thursday, December 4 | 12:15 p.m.**  
Presentation of the **Linda S. Weindruch Award to Bruce W. Baker of Nyemaster Goode, PC**, honoring his deep knowledge of Iowa's tax laws and administrative rules that has brought clarity to complex tax issues, benefiting both the legal and business communities.
- **Friday, December 5 | 8:00 a.m.**  
ITA President & CEO Nate Ristow will moderate a **Legislative Panel** featuring Senator Dan Dawson (R), Senator Bill Dotzler (D), Representative David Young (R), and Representative David Jacoby (D) discussing key business tax issues expected in the upcoming legislative session.
- **Friday, December 5 | 12:15 p.m.**  
A **Gubernatorial Candidate Forum**, moderated by Nate Ristow, will provide candidates an opportunity to share their vision for Iowa's fiscal future, addressing tax policies, budget priorities, and long-term financial sustainability.

For a full agenda and speaker list, visit [www.iowataxpayers.org](http://www.iowataxpayers.org).

**Media representatives are welcome.** For press inquiries or additional information, please contact **Nate Ristow** at [nate@iowataxpayers.org](mailto:nate@iowataxpayers.org) or **(515) 243-0300**.

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**About the Iowa Taxpayers Association (ITA):**

Founded in 1935, the Iowa Taxpayers Association is a business-sponsored, nonpartisan organization dedicated to promoting sound fiscal policy. ITA provides objective research and

advocacy on tax and spending policies, helping shape a transparent and equitable tax system for Iowa's business community.