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Iowa Taxpayers Association (ITA)

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Iowa Taxpayers Association Announces 90th 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.

Media representatives are welcome. For press inquiries or additional information, please contact **Nate Ristow** at 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.