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Michael Hendricks Receives 2013 Ivan H. Brinegar Municipal Management Award

INDIANAPOLIS – Noblesville Deputy Mayor Michael Hendricks received the **2013 Ivan H. Brinegar Municipal Management Award** from the Indiana Association of Cities and Towns (IACT). Hendricks received the award on Monday, October 7 during the Presidents' Reception at the 2013 IACT Annual Conference & Exhibition in Indianapolis.

The Ivan H. Brinegar Municipal Management Award is presented to an appointed municipal official with a minimum of 10 years of city or town service who displays strong leadership, and contributions to the community and serves as a role model to citizens and other municipal officials.

Hendricks was nominated by Mayor John Ditslear who detailed Michael's near 20-year history with the City, fourteen of those years spent as the Director of Noblesville Wastewater Utility. Ditslear also noted that Mike has been integral in implementing efficiency standards and managing tight budgets. In addition to his commitment to excellence at City Hall, Michael dedicates much of his free time to the Noblesville Schools and many youth sports organizations.

"Mike's a hard worker and dedicated not only to the City of Noblesville, but to numerous other organizations. We are so pleased for him to receive this well-earned honor," said Mayor John Ditslear. "I cannot think of anyone more deserving of the Ivan H. Brinegar Award than Mike." the Mayor added.



In its 37th year, the IACT Annual Awards program, presented by Umbaugh, recognizes communities and individuals in municipal government for excellence and outstanding achievement. An eight-member panel of qualified judges selected this year's winners from a competitive field of nominees from around the state.

The Indiana Association of Cities and Towns (IACT) is a coalition of municipal officials who seek to improve the quality of life in Indiana through effective government, and is a member of the National League of Cities. Founded in 1891, IACT is one of the oldest state municipal organizations in the country, with 464 cities and towns as members. IACT advocates for municipalities as the official voice of municipal government in Indiana, and promotes good government through education, training and leadership.

Conference Facts:

2011 IACT Annual Conference and Exhibition
October 9-11, 2011
JW Marriott, Indianapolis
Attendance: 800 (pending final registration count)

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