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MARCH 2016 NEWSLETTER

PRESIDENTS LETTER:

Associated Detectives & Security Agencies of Illinois Inc.

Robert Rusch
President



Founded 1933
Incorporated 1937

My Fellow ADSAI Members,

I am very excited to be your new president for 2016. Getting involved in this organization over the last 4 years has been both exciting and challenging. I have learned so much and met so many great people. With this new year come new issues legislatively that affect both our detective and security members. As such, we need to work together as an organization to combat the negative bills and promote the positive bills put forth in Illinois this year. The service tax issue is still on the table as well. I want our organization to work closely with the national organizations concerning any issues that face both of our industries. NCIS, ASIS, NAPPS and ILAPPS are some of the organizations that we can work with this year.

Our organization has a new golf outing/fundraising committee headed up by our secretary Bia Tyk. She has volunteered to bring some new ideas concerning our fund raising efforts. One change you will notice is that our golf outing is going to be moved up to July. Stay tuned for those details in the coming weeks.

One of the things I would ask of the membership this year is to get more involved. This is a great way to get involved with minimal time required. ADSAI has standing committees that you will hear more about in this newsletter. The membership committee needs a chairperson. If you would like to head up this committee, please let me know. Speaking of membership, please renew for 2016 if you have not done so already. We must have your renewal prior to the March meeting per the by-laws. The easiest way to renew is on the ADSAI.org home page. Scroll down to the bottom and click on the PayPal logo. This will bring you to the payment screen where you can choose your membership level and pay with a credit or debit card. You do not need a PayPal account to use this option.

The meeting schedule has been set for the year. Please see the meeting dates in this newsletter. Finally, I want to thank you for putting your trust in me to lead this organization this year. I hope to see many more of you at the meetings and if you ever have a question, please do not hesitate to contact me at rrusch@atgf.com

Yours in 2016,

Bob Rusch
President

MINUTES OF THE MEETING - OCTOBER 28, 2015:

MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE ASSOCIATED DETECTIVES AND SECURITY AGENCIES OF ILLINOIS (ADSAI) TOPAZ WEDNESDAY JANUARY 27, 2016

Meeting called to order at 7:18pm

- Pledge & Introductions

John Carr - Lobbyist

- 2 new initiatives that will affect our agencies
 - Service tax
 - House Bill 4463 - Armed guards and police officers will be required to also carry a Taser (paid for by the agency)
 - Does not address existing act about the legality of carrying Taser
 - Creates a new act
- "Huckabee" Initiative – passed by House, vetoed by Governor Rauner
 - A moving party can sue Unlicensed agencies
 - Vetoed due to attorney's fees

Question from the floor – possible Republican Governor Candidate wants to get rid of FOID card

Secretary Report – Bia Tyk

- Newsletter had been sent out
 - Some concerns from members about all photos from golf outing being included

Treasurer Report – Karen O’Donnell

- All accounts payable and receivable are up to date
- \$4963 in account

Break for dinner 7:40pm

Meeting back to order 8:30pm

Board of Directors – James Huckabee

- Due to current financial condition – increase dues by \$50, money allocated to legislative activities
 - New members – new membership fee
 - Current Members – same fee as before
- Lobbyist efforts and how money will be allocated will be discussed in future meetings
 - NCSS - National Organization that focuses on national legislation
 - Want to make sure they have specific states in mind as well
 - Concerns from the floor – how are we using the money allocated to these lobbyists??
 - Money we paid is donation to fund
 - Dick Lockhart – did not increase fee, only bill us while he is in Springfield (5 months)
 - Saved us \$10,000
 - We pay him \$1500/month

By-Laws – Harry Petraitis

No Report

Membership Committee – James Walsh

- Members have until March 21st to renew membership
- About 50% members have not yet renewed membership
- People not opening emails thru constant contact
- New Members
 - Rose Spignoli
 - Monica P. – previous member, but rejoining

State Legislation – Terry Bell

- Cook County regulations – requirement \$100,000 insurance policy

National Legislation – James Huckabee

- Hit the Hill – NCSS conference

Central/Southern Chapter – Manny Manias

- Meeting 2/12

Health and Welfare – Toni McWherter

- Welcome new female members
- Jerry Dover – follow up on colon cancer
- Terry Bell – surgery again on Monday

Internet/website – Roy Bucklin

- NCSS are working for us – we benefit from what they do
- ADSAI.org
 - Lists membership info
 - Link to NCSS – about what they do
 - PayPal – able to pay dues, dinner, etc. on website

Michael Coutre – asked to speak

- IDFPR taking turn – merging with law enforcement, new legislation
 - How law enforcement makes stops

Alan Engel

- August 2016 – complaint filed on behalf of September of unlicensed individual – pending
- August 2016 David Carrasco – maybe working without a license – status pending, not company in Kankakee

Advertising – James Walsh

- Renewals in March
- 4 current advertisers
- Working on sales letter

Training – Bernie Greenawalt

- Industry Standards – investigations standard submitted to ASIS - approved and now in effect
- Free copy on ASIS website
- Technical committee formed
- ASIS volunteer conference in Washington last week
 - Coming together of standards, developers, Police officers, etc. to establish standards of active shooting training and response

ILAPPS – Manny Manias

- Convention July 15 & 16

No Old Business

New Business

- Elections Night
- Nominating Committee: Roy Buckland, Dan Overton and Karen O'Donnell
 - Open positions – President, Vice President, Treasurer, 2 Board members
 - Dan Overton
 - 35 people in the room that can vote
 - President – Nominations
 - James Walsh – nominated by the committee
 - Bob Rusch – motion from the floor
 - Voting Results: Bob Rusch
 - Which means, James Walsh will be Chairman of the Board for 1 year
 - Vice President
 - Manny Manias volunteered, new VP – 1 unanimous vote
 - Treasurer
 - Jerry Keeley volunteered – 1 unanimous vote, new Treasurer
 - Board of Directors
 - James Mulligan
 - Bia Tyk
 - Unanimous vote

Split the Pot winner – Dean Gluth

Next meeting – March 2016

Motion to Adjourn 9:30 pm

MEETING LOCATION FOR MARCH 23, 2016:

ADSAI Monthly Meeting March 2016 Meeting

When

Wednesday

March 23, 2016

Board Meeting at 5:45pm

Dinner at 7:00pm

Where

Buca Di Beppo

15350 S 94th Ave

Orland Park, IL 60462

Menu

ADSAI March 2016 Meeting Menu

Wednesday March 23, 2016

Buca Di Beppo

15350 S 94th Ave

Orland Park, IL 60462

Board Meeting at 5:45pm

General Meeting and Dinner at 7:00pm

Appetizer

Mozzarella Caprese

Vine Ripen Tomatoes, Fresh Mozzarella Cheese, Fresh Basil and Basil infused Olive Oil

Salad and Hot Bread

Apple Gorgonzola Salad

Granny Smith Apples, Spiced Walnuts, Dried Cranberries tossed with Mixed Salad Greens and Italian Vinaigrette Dressing ~ Gorgonzola Cheese on the side

Unlimited Entrees

Spaghetti with Meat Sauce

Chicken Parmesans topped with Marinara Sauce and Fresh Mozzarella Cheese

Salmon Sorrento with Lemon Butter Sauce, Roma Tomatoes and Capers

Fettuccine Supreme with Broccoli

Desserts

Chocolate Chip Cannoli's

Beverages

Coffee, Tea, Milk, Soda included

Cash Bar

Please R.S.V.P. by March 21, 2016 to Secretary Bia Tyk at

bia@tricoinvestigations.com

Reservation Price per Person: \$45

At the Door Price per Person: \$55

Please R.S.V.P. to

Secretary Bia Tyk at bia@tricoemail.com

Membership Renewals:

Thank you to all the members who have renewed and also to our newest members.

Just a reminder that renewal reminders have been sent out. If you have not renewed your membership, please do so A.S.A.P.

ADSAI 2016 Committees:

The standing committees for 2016 are as follows:

1. Investigation, Fair Practice and Grievance Committee
 - a. Mike Coutre - Chairperson
 - b. Alen Engel
2. Legislative Committee
 - a. Ed Williams
3. Membership Committee
 - a. Vacant
4. B-Laws Committee
 - a. Harry Petraitis - Chairperson
 - b. Terry Bell
 - c. Dan Overton
 - d. Bia Tyk
5. Entertainment Committee
 - a. Dan Overton-Chairperson
 - b. Bob Rusch
6. Internet Committee
 - a. Roy Bucklin-Chairperson
 - b. Bob Rusch

There is an Advertising Committee that is not yet standing. We need someone to head up this committee. If interested, please contact Bob Rusch at rrusch@atgf.com

FROM DICK LOCKHART:

Important State Legislative Websites

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What Legislative District am I in (Senate and House), and who are my representatives?

<http://www.elections.il.gov>

This will take you to the Illinois State Board of Elections website. On the top left of the screen, click *Option, District/Official Search*. To the right of the next screen, click *Mobile/Lite Version*

Search. On the next screen there is a map. At the bottom of the map, enter your address or zip code. Click *Find Address* then *OK.* Click *Confirm Address.* All pertinent contact information, including your various representatives, District numbers, party affiliation, addresses and phone numbers.

How can I find out the status of a piece of legislation?

<http://www.ilga.gov/>

Look on the left side of the home page for the Illinois General Assembly. Enter the number of the bill into the box, such as *sb 90* or *hb 90*. Click *Go.* If you don't know the number of the bill, you can also search by keyword.

How do I find out if the State Legislature is in session?

<http://www.ilga.gov/>

There is a box on the top left side of the home page which will tell you whether or not the House or the Senate is in session. If the House or Senate is not in session, the next session date is given.

Some of the legislation that has been introduced:

HB 5747

<http://www.ilga.gov/legislation/BillStatus.asp?DocNum=5747&GAID=13&DocTypeID=HB&SessionID=88&GA=99>

SB 2409

<http://www.ilga.gov/legislation/BillStatus.asp?DocTypeID=SB&DocNum=2409&GAID=13&SessionID=88&LegID=93891>

SB2800

<http://www.ilga.gov/legislation/BillStatus.asp?DocTypeID=SB&DocNum=2800&GAID=13&SessionID=88&LegID=96110>

HB4463

GOLF OUTING 2016:

ADSAI's annual golf outing is our major fundraiser! Please save the date!

When: Friday July 15, 2016

Where: Broken Arrow Golf Club
16325 Broken Arrow Drive
Lockport, IL 60441

Time: 9:00a.m. Shotgun Start

More information to come soon!

ASIS EXPO:

An opportunity like this comes only once a year.

Request your **Complimentary Expo Pass** for the **ASIS 26th New York City Security Conference and Expo** to:

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ASIS 26th New York City Security Conference and Expo will take place on **April 27-28, 2016 in New York City**, so mark your calendars and invite your colleagues.

Do not miss this opportunity! Request your pass today. Space is limited.

Associations1 Conference:



2016 Associations One Investigation & Security Conference will be held in Columbus, OH - May 19-21, 2016

Location:

[Crowne Plaza Columbus Dublin OhioÂ \[Complete Hotel Information and Reservations\]](#)

600 Metro Place North
Dublin, Ohio, 43017

Please [submit your contact information](#) and we will keep you updated on the speakers and vendors for the upcoming 2016 conference!



Conference Host:

2016 [Ohio Association of Security and Investigation Services](#)



ILAPPS Conference:

2015-2016

ILAPPS

Illinois Association of Professional Process Servers

NEW Announcement!

NAPPS for Process Servers at the 2016

5th Annual Conference & Membership Meeting



MARCH 4, 2016

NOW OPEN: registration & reservations 2016 CONFERENCE CONFERENCE EDUCATION & TRAINING

**NAPPS & ILAPPS PRESENT
GARY CROWE**

Napps Administrator



ILAPPS is grateful and excited to announce the confirmation of special guest Gary Crowe, who will be attending the conference during June 16-June 17, 2016!

On behalf of NAPPS, Gary Crowe will be joining us all the way from Portland Oregon!

Crowe has been a rock for ILAPPS throughout exploration of becoming a State Charter. He holds a wealth of knowledge on the historic value of process servers and the top issues facing us today.

He is always here to answer questions and his leadership skills have guided many down professional avenues.

We give him a sincere *THANK YOU* and hope to continue to work with him in the years to come.

Mr. Crowe will be speaking to attendees after lunch on the afternoon of June 17th. He will be speaking about the following topics:

- 1) MEMBERSHIP in NAPPS
- 2) COMPLIANCE in the INDUSTRY and THE FSC DESIGNATION NAPPS is CREATING
- 3) REVIEW of the ALBUQUERQUE CONFERENCE IN JUNE.

DURING THE AM hours of JUNE 17, 2016

ILAPPS presents:

**SPECIAL GUEST
ED WILLIAMS**

Edward W. Williams with the law firm of Williams & Nickl, LLC will present a 4 hour process serving seminar covering the following topics:

- A. Due Process and Legal Jurisdiction
- B. The Mechanics of Lawful Methods of Service
- C. Best Practices For Process Serving
- D. Skip Tracing and Due Diligence
- E. Basic Surveillance Techniques
- F. Affidavits and Reporting
- G. An Overview of the Illinois Eavesdropping Law:
The Legalities of Video and Audio Recording
of Serves

This seminar will be interactive and a Question and Answer period will be provided for each topic.

THE COUSE IS SCHEDULED TO TAKE PLACE ON

FRI. JUN 17, 2016.

9AM-1:00PM

**ATTENDEES WILL RECEIVE A
CERTIFICATE UPON COMPLETION.**

Ed Williams posses over 20 years of experience representing licensed professionals and licensed agencies. He previously served for 3 years as a Prosecutor and as the Chief of General Prosecutions at the Illinois Department of Financial and Professional Regulation (IDFPR).

He is an active associate member of ILAPPS,;and during the 2015 Membership Meeting made an extension to be the consulting attorney for ILAPPS. Before the meeting adjourned, members voted to accept this generous offer.

Williams is located in Chicago, and is partner at Williams & Nickl law firm where he offers educational seminars for citizens of the alarm, security, private detective, and service of process profession.

[Click here to read more about Williams & Nickl](#)

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5TH ANNUAL CONFERENCE & MEMBERSHIP MEETING

STARTING AT 3PM
THUR. JUNE 16

CLOSING AT 5PM
FRI. JUNE 17

CONFERENCE

\$149 MEMBER
\$249 NON MEMBER
\$75 MEMBER PERSONAL
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