This Week:

- Collaborative Transformation
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Collaborative Transformation
CIOs from over 60 state agencies gathered to discuss current topics around Illinois’ IT transformation. The theme for the bimonthly meeting was “Collaborative Transformation” and discussions focused on ways DoIT is working across agencies to drive innovation and modernization. Specific topics included enterprise applications & governance, cybersecurity, enterprise resource planning (ERP), IT resource provider program (ITRP), Illinois Century Network, as well as discussions on project server and the open data portal.

High-Speed Fiber Expansion for Decatur IL
The Illinois Century Network (ICN) recently entered into a partnership with the City of Decatur for the construction, management and maintenance of a fiber network. This system will allow Decatur to begin to implement Smart City applications and technologies, as well as provide critical services for law enforcement, government, healthcare, education and many other city of Decatur municipal agencies. Congratulations to the ICN team on this promising opportunity!

Sharing Successes - IDFPR E-License
The Illinois Department of Financial and Professional Regulation (IDFPR) is taking steps to use technology for improving licensing procedures. They recently introduced the electronic license pocket card for the convenience of more than 110,000 Illinois professionals required to carry their certification. The mobile enabled portal provides users with status updates and notifications. DoIT staff assisted with this initiative, which is another step toward Going Mobile in Illinois.

DoIT FYIs & Reminders

I-Cycle Program - As of November 16, changes were made to the I-Cycle Program (recycling services). More information on the details and procedure changes can be found here.

MyBenefits Marketplace - The State of Illinois now offers web-based online enrollment entitled “MyBenefits Marketplace” for all benefit plans administered by the State of Illinois. Employees can access the website MyBenefits.illinois.gov via your computer, smartphone or tablet.

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