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IDOT's AMP to Bring Improved Functionality and Efficiencies

In early July, IDOT began using a web-based solution for roadway maintenance and fleet management, replacing a 30-year-old legacy system. Asset Management Program (AMP) is a hosted solution with the capability to manage statewide labor, materials, fleet and equipment utilization and cost for roadway maintenance. The system integrates planning, scheduling, work recording and reporting, team performance and utilizes the full functionality of GIS to view data on a map for better decision-making about asset maintenance. AMP is yet another step towards modernizing technology to improve services.

New System Simplifies Legislative Tracking

Agency subject matter experts are often tasked by their legislative office to review new bills and amendments to determine departmental impact and identify concerns. The amount of bills to review and timeframes to respond can get overwhelming . . .over 2,600 bills were introduced just this year. Help is on the way! A new application system known as the Legislative Tracking System (LTS) is now available for use. LTS facilitates the routing of bills for review, allows reviewers to provide comments directly in the application, and provides each user a dashboard to keep track of bills assigned to them along with pending deadlines. If your agency is interested in using this new system, please email LTS.Support@illinois.gov.



Illinois Blockchain Booms

The Illinois Blockchain Initiative has been successfully leading blockchain exploration across the state, with a working group that consists of representatives from multiple state agencies. DoIT staff, Sunil Thomas and Sean O' Kelly, have been imparting their knowledge on the emerging technology as they traverse the state participating on panels and presenting at boot camps. The Illinois Blockchain Taskforce released its [Blockchain Report for Illinois](#) at the end of January, detailing many ways that blockchain can benefit our state, especially as an early adopter. The DoIT team continues to explore a variety of blockchain opportunities. If you are interested in participating in the Blockchain Working Group, please reach out to Sean.OKelly@illinois.gov.

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