

# Road Shows on Local Redistricting in Wisconsin

**You are invited to attend a free “road show” workshop on Wisconsin Local Redistricting.**

The Wisconsin State Legislature along with the University of Wisconsin and University of Wisconsin-Extension are sponsoring six free workshops on local redistricting to be held throughout the state in April.

**April 1** – Madison

**April 7** – Appleton; **April 8** – Waukesha

**April 13** – La Crosse; **April 14** – Eau Claire; **April 15** – Rhinelander

## Who Should Attend?

The workshops are intended for local officials who will be participating in redistricting, as well as others such as planners or land information staff who may be providing technical assistance for the redistricting process. All are welcome to attend, however, attendees may choose between two sessions depending on their role and level of involvement in the redistricting process.

## Sessions

The workshops will be divided into two sessions:

### Morning session (9:00 a.m. to 12 noon):

The morning session will provide an overview of the redistricting process in Wisconsin and will introduce participants to the legal and procedural aspects of redistricting. The session will cover the “nuts and bolts” of redistricting and highlight state and local resources on redistricting in Wisconsin. It is intended for those who want information on local redistricting in Wisconsin, but may not necessarily be drawing the supervisory districts and wards on the application.

### Afternoon session (1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.):

The afternoon session will introduce participants to redistricting data from Census 2010 and provide an introduction to an online software application (WISE-LR) designed to assist in local redistricting. We would like to keep this session open for those who will actively be drawing the supervisory districts and wards for their county or municipality. The afternoon session will be taught in a computer lab so participants will gain a “hands on” experience with the new software. *Note: Space is limited in the afternoon session. Priority will be given to those who will be actively involved in providing technical support to the local redistricting process. **Advance registration is required and should be limited to one person per organization/governmental unit, unless space permits.***

## Registration

To register online go to: <http://legis.wisconsin.gov/wiselr/roadshows.htm> (Registration will be open 2/17/11)

For more information about the workshops (including directions and parking information) and about the WISE-LR application, please visit the WISE-LR website: <http://www.legis.wisconsin.gov/wiselr>

Additional information will be sent with your confirmation of registration. If you have questions or need more information please contact:

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