



## The DoIT Digest

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### This Week:

- **Welcome Cluster CIOs!**
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### Welcome to Cluster CIOs!

Cluster CIOs (CCIOs) join DoIT on August 16<sup>th</sup>. In this new role, CCIOs will focus on coordinating IT investments, services, and projects; aligning Agency strategy with DoIT services and capabilities; driving inter-operability and collaboration; and advising agency leadership and CIOs.

- **George Wang, Students Cluster**
- **Chuck Dodson, Public Safety Cluster**
- **Sunil Thomas, Business and Workforce Cluster**
- **Monica Carranza, Government and Public Employees Cluster**
- **Brad Long (Interim), Health and Human Services Cluster**
- **Steve Buche, Natural & Cultural Resources Cluster**



Learn more about the new CCIOs [here](#).



### What's New on the Wiki?

A summary of the **"What We Know, IT"** Survey has been posted on the [IT Transformation Wiki!](#) As always, if you have any questions, please send a message to [IT.Transformation@Illinois.gov](mailto:IT.Transformation@Illinois.gov).

### DoIT is highlighting New Mobile Apps at the Illinois State Fair

- **Illinois State Fair App** – provides information and activities to enhance the state fair experience for visitors, volunteers, and vendors.
- **ISAC (Illinois Student Assistance Commission) Student App** – helps students and parents with the college planning process.
- **ILocate** – find services provided by Illinois state agencies.
- **Department of Innovation & Technology (DoIT)** – offers access to technology services, information, and products.

You can access and download all of the State's mobile applications at [Going Mobile in Illinois](#).



Visit DoIT in the Governor's Tent at the intersection of Main Street and Brian Raney Avenue, between Ethnic Village and the Emerson Building.

## Featured FAQ of the Week:

### *How should Agencies procure IT goods and services?*

For common equipment and services, consult the updated [DoIT Product & Services Catalog](#), available on the DoIT website. DoIT has implemented a paperless ordering process through the Catalog. When contemplating other IT purchases, agencies should verify that a master contract does not already exist for the good/service that they would like to procure. For orders against masters, agencies should continue to submit the Procurement Business Case (PBC) for approval through the Remedy PBC system. DoIT staff will review/approve all PBC's through the current process based upon dollar thresholds in the IT/Telecom portfolio. Any other new IT procurement or project is required to be entered in to the Enterprise Portfolio Management (EPM) portal at the conceptual phase. Most contracts will be put through the statewide master contract process so other agencies can utilize them. CMS/CPO will not publish an IT procurement without DoIT approval.

To see more information, visit [Frequently Asked Questions](#)  
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