



# Lincoln Trail

Area Development District

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## REGIONAL AWARD WINNERS HIGHLIGHT LINCOLN TRAIL AREA DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT'S 56TH ANNUAL MEETING

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The Lincoln Trail Area Development District's (LTADD) Fifty-Sixth Annual Meeting on Wednesday, April 17, 2024, was highlighted by the presentation of the LTADD Board of Directors' prestigious *Palmer A. 'Pete' Peterson Award* to Judge Executive David Daugherty of Marion County; and the acceptance of the "*Dorothy Dolle Award*" by Ms. Betty Nalley of Bardstown in Nelson County.

The Annual Meeting was held at the Historic State Theater in Elizabethtown, Hardin County. LTADD Chair, Judge Executive David Daugherty of Marion County served as Master of Ceremonies, welcoming guests from the region's eight counties and other areas of the Commonwealth.

Judge Executive David Daugherty was presented with the LTADD Board of Directors' *Palmer A. 'Pete' Peterson Award*. This award is presented annually in memory of Pete Peterson, a former staff member of the LTADD, to an outstanding member of the Board of Directors. The recipient is recognized for their outstanding leadership, cooperation, and dedication to the aims of the LTADD.

Ms. Betty Nalley was the recipient of the *Dorothy Dolle Award*, which is presented annually to an individual within the Lincoln Trail region who demonstrates service and dedication to the cause of Older Americans in the region and exemplifies the standards, dedication, and service set by Ms. Dolle, also a former LTADD employee.

The 2024-2025 Officers for LTADD were recognized and sworn in during the meeting:

JUDGE/EXECUTIVE DAVID DAUGHERTY (Marion County) - CHAIR

JUDGE/EXECUTIVE TIMOTHY GRAVES (Washington County) - 1ST VICE CHAIR

MAYOR JIM PHELPS (City of Hodgenville) - 2ND VICE CHAIR

MS. BECKY MILLER (Grayson County) - SECRETARY

MAYOR JEFF GREGORY (City of Elizabethtown) – TREASURER

The LTADD Officers were sworn in by Senator Stephen Meredith, who represents Senate District 5.

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**About LTADD.** The Lincoln Trail Area Development District (LTADD) was created as a non-profit corporation on March 23, 1968. The organization was designated as a Kentucky public agency in 1972 through KRS 147A, the legislative action creating area development districts. LTADD includes the eight west-central Kentucky counties of Breckinridge, Grayson, Hardin, LaRue, Marion, Meade, Nelson and Washington. The LTADD Board of Directors is comprised of elected officials from the counties and communities within the District, as well as non-elected citizen members representing a cross-section of the region's social and economic institutions.

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