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### **Steve Myers receives Illinois REALTORS® Political Involvement Award**

**SPRINGFIELD, IL** — REALTOR® Steve Myers, of Springfield, has received the Illinois REALTORS® Political Involvement Award. He is the president and managing broker of Myers Commercial Real Estate in Springfield.

The award is given to individuals for outstanding political and legislative service to the REALTOR® organization. The announcement was made at the Illinois REALTORS® Capitol Conference in Springfield on March 29.

The award honors Illinois REALTORS® for achievements and excellence in political and grassroots involvement. Throughout his career in real estate, Myers has been committed to promoting the power of REALTOR® political advocacy.

He is a member of the Illinois REALTORS® Political Involvement Group, the association's Plaza Committee and has chaired the Commercial/Industrial/Investment Committee.

Myers is a multiple term State Legislative Contact and has demonstrated the power of grassroots advocacy by building relationships with elected officials. In his hometown, he has facilitated several placemaking grants, created a coalition to address the vacancy of commercial properties

that could be converted into affordable housing and assisted in creating a registry of local vacant properties.

Myers is a past president of Capital Area REALTORS® and has been awarded his local association's community service award. In 2018, he was named Capital Area's REALTOR® of the Year.

[Illinois REALTORS®](#) is a voluntary trade organization representing more than 50,000 members engaged in all facets of the real estate industry. In addition to serving the professional needs of its members, the association works to protect the rights of private property owners in the state by recommending and promoting legislation that safeguards and advances the interest of real property ownership.