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CEDAR COUNTY LAUNCHES BEACON™ ONLINE PORTAL



CEDAR COUNTY, IOWA. – (February 7, 2024) – Following a careful review process and a confident recommendation, Cedar County, Iowa selected Schneider Geospatial's Beacon™ product as the foremost applicable option because of its user-friendly design, superior performance record, and overall functionality. Beacon™ is an interactive public access website that allows users to interact and view County information, public records, and Geographic Information Systems (GIS).

Cedar County's Beacon™ web portal features a public site that includes important property taxation and assessment information, in-depth search capabilities and property reports. Beacon™ also provides users the ability to view an interactive map of the County's GIS data and aerial photography, as well as convenient tools to collect specific parcel information.

Cedar County's Beacon web portal has the capability for the taxpayer to electronically complete and send: address changes, property data additions or corrections and apply for Military and Homestead exemption/credit, in addition to paying property taxes online via a link to the Treasurer's Association. This is a huge step forward for the convenience for the taxpayer.

To obtain access to the Beacon site you can use either of these methods. Go to www.cedarcounty.iowa.gov, and select the GIS icon or you can go to beacon.schneidercorp.com website.

