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# **Certified Government Financial Manager 2007-2008 Plan**

## Goal 1: Support current CGFMs

Provide educational offerings that meet CPE requirements

Identify educational opportunities from sources outside our chapter.

Publicize CGFM courses: self-study, on-line, and courses.

Promote awareness of CGFM requirements.

Market educational events that meet CGFM CPE requirements.

Encourage CGFM renewals thru calls, e-mails, letters, newsletters, or websites.

Recognize CGFM designation in chapter publications, with name tags, etc.

Publicize new CGFMs in chapter and local publications.

Gain more recognition for government employees who are CGFMs

#### Goal 2: Market CGFM service mark locally

Contact area government accountability leaders to promote the CGFM.

Send letters to local government accountability leaders to promote the CGFM.

Get an employer in our chapter area changes its policy to recognize the CGFM

Obtain endorsement of CGFM from area employer, elected official or principal.

Request the Governor (or other elected official) designate a CGFM recognition month.

Submit endorsement to National CGFM Coordinator & publish in chapter newsletter.

Submit chapter CGFM specific goals to regional and national CGFM coordinators

### Goal 3: Assist potential new CGFMs in attaining certification

Conduct review class for potential CGFM candidates

Participate in CGFM Mentoring Program for candidates in studying for the exam.

Pay exam fees for up to 4 members who pass the exam as a reimbursement scholarship.

Post a suggestion to the CGFM listserve.

Create a revolving study materials library and pre-tests to assist exam candidates.

#### Goal 4: Designate a chapter resource to work with CGFM certification

Designate one luncheon meeting to recognize chapter CGFMs

Communicate and promote CGFM with chapter & community

Encourage chapter members and non-members to take the CGFM exam.

Publish an article on the CGFM program in the chapter newsletter.

Retain as many CGFMs as possible.

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