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Monthly Footnotes

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Welcome Members & Non-Members

NEW PROGRAM YEAR 2024 - 2025

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Wednesday, November 6

Free for AGA Members

Washington DC or Virtual

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Sherri Voigt, CGFM, CPA

We are off to a slow start for the chapter program year, but National AGA has several upcoming events that are free for members to keep your CPE on track. Don't miss out on the free sessions below!

Technology & Transformation Summit (TTS) *Free* 6 CPE
Virtual conference Wednesday, November 6
Still time to register <https://www.agacgfm.org/Events/TTS/Home.aspx>

Free Members Only Webinar 1.5 CPE
Wednesday, December 11, 1-2:15 CT
Topic & speaker not published yet
[https://www.agacgfm.org/Training/Webinars/2023-2024-Webinars/Free-Members-Only-Webinar-\(1\).aspx](https://www.agacgfm.org/Training/Webinars/2023-2024-Webinars/Free-Members-Only-Webinar-(1).aspx)

Wake Up Wednesday Coffee Chat *Free* 1.0 CPE
Wednesday, January 29, 7-8 CT
<https://www.agacgfm.org/Training/Webinars/2023-2024-Webinars/Free-Coffee-Chats.aspx>

Free Members Only Webinar 1.5 CPE
Wednesday, March 12, 1-2:15 CT
Topic & speaker not published yet
[https://www.agacgfm.org/Training/Webinars/2023-2024-Webinars/Free-Members-Only-Webinar-\(2\).aspx](https://www.agacgfm.org/Training/Webinars/2023-2024-Webinars/Free-Members-Only-Webinar-(2).aspx)

The chapter will be scheduling some webinars for winter/spring and those will be sent as the speakers are confirmed. If you have a topic area you would like us to pursue, feel free to drop a note to any board member or through the website!

Sherri

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Sister Chapter Training Opportunity:

For Info/To register -- [Agenda - 29th Annual AGA Commonwealth of VA Professional Development Training](#)

Virtual attendance options available and there are rates for attending both days or a single day



Commonwealth PDT

29th Annual



Register at <https://cvent.me/ql9Nko?RefId=PDTSummary>

Dec 12 & 13 2024
8:00am - 5:00pm
Great Wolf Lodge,
Williamsburg, VA or
virtually



Earn up to 16 CPEs, including the opportunity for CGFMs and CPAs in VA to fulfill ethics requirements.

News from an AGA member

AGA Southern Wisconsin chapter member Andy Stovich, CGFM, CPA, asked us to share the following in our newsletter. He is also a WICPA member and he wanted everyone to help the WICPA celebrate--November 2024 is Accounting Careers Month in Wisconsin. They received a governor's proclamation:





GASB Issues Guidance on Disclosure of Certain Capital Assets

The Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) released Statement No. 104, which provides new guidance on the disclosure of certain capital assets. This statement requires that specific types of capital assets, such as lease, intangible and subscription assets, be separately disclosed in financial note disclosures. Additionally, it sets requirements for reporting capital assets held for sale. The new rules are effective for fiscal years starting after June 15, 2025, with early application encouraged.

[Read More](#)

2024 ERM Workshop Executive Summary Released

AGA, in collaboration with the Association for Federal Enterprise Risk Management, is excited to announce the release of the 2024 Enterprise Risk Management Workshop Summary. This year's workshop brought together government professionals for dynamic discussions on ERM integration, the intersection of technology and AI, fraud risk management and driving value through effective risk management.

[Read Report](#)

State CIOs Reflect on Resilience After CrowdStrike Outage

Three months after a faulty CrowdStrike update caused widespread disruptions, state CIOs are reviewing their disaster recovery efforts. While many restored critical services within 24 hours, others faced tougher challenges. The incident has renewed focus on enhancing resiliency and modernizing tech infrastructure to prevent future disruptions.

[Read More](#)

Nominations Are Open for the National Leadership Awards

AGA seeks nominations for the [2025 National Leadership Awards](#), which recognize people with tremendous talent and impact in federal, state and local government and the private sector. Anyone can nominate an outstanding leader in the accountability community! The deadline for nominations is **Dec. 16 by 11:59 p.m. ET.**

[Learn More](#)

AGA Webinars Ethics: Doing the Right Thing to Restore Public Trust

Nov. 13 • 2 p.m. • 2 CPE • FOS: BETH

Safeguarding Election Mail

As the 2024 election approaches, the Postal Service is actively handling Election and Political Mail. The Postal Service's oversight agency plays a critical role in ensuring the secure and timely delivery of these materials. Special agents investigate any potential issues, and auditors conduct unannounced visits to 1,000 postal facilities nationwide to monitor election mail processes.

[Read More](#)

CGFM Virtual Training

Registration is open for January and February CGFM courses. Participants will be able to ask questions as the instructor leads them through the material. Free access to the latest online study guide is included!

- **Course 1:** Jan. 14–15
- **Course 2:** Jan. 28–31
- **Course 3:** Feb. 4–6

[Register Today](#)

Calendar of Events 2024 – 2025

Schedule of webinars to be announced

November 2024 Board Meeting - Virtual

December 2024 Board Meeting - Virtual

January 2025 Board Meeting - Virtual

February 2025 Board Meeting - Virtual

March 2025 Declared as CGFM Month
March 2025 Board Meeting - Virtual

April 2025 Board Meeting - Virtual

May 2025 Board Meeting - Virtual
May 2025 Annual Spring Symposium, UW-Madison Union South – in person

June 2025 Board Meeting - Virtual

July 2025 Board Meeting - Virtual

August 2025 Board Meeting - Virtual

September 2025 Board Meeting - Virtual

Note: Community service, VITA, and social events will be announced during the year.

*** Dates, topics, and locations subject to change as information that is more detailed becomes available. ***



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CGFM Chair – To be announced

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