# IDAHO CENTENNIAL CHAPTER November 2016 Newsletter

# **EDUCATION**

### **DECEMBER TRAINING**

#### Wednesday, December 7, 2016 - Webinar Ethics - Joe R. Williams Building, 4th Floor Conference Room C

#### Thursday, December 15, 2016 - Luncheon

Michael Blomstrom: Ada County Sheriff's Office - Using Financial Ratios in the Procurement Process - Joe R. Williams Building, 4th Floor Conference Room C

**RSVP** for the Webinar and Luncheon will be emailed! If you don't get an RSVP, contact: Chris Floyd, <u>cfloyd@sco.idaho.gov</u>, (208) 332-8814

WEBINAR SPONSORS

Thank You: Legislative Services, State Controller, Health and Welfare, and Ada County, for sponsoring the AGA webinars this year!



### NEED CPE BEFORE YEAR END

As the year winds down, and you
find that you need some more CPE, look into the new AGA Becker



partnership for education resources. Just follow the Link: AGA BECKER



## LUNCHEON MEETING November

Lt. Calley, ACSO and Eagle Mayor Ridgeway- Contract Policing and Shared Services Model



### AGA CPE 2016

It's that time again to get your CPE certificates and log your time. Here are the links to obtain your CPE certificates that you need for your records.

PDT	LUNCHEONS	WEBINARS
2016 PDT CPE Certs (A-H) 2016 PDT CPE Certs (I-P) 2016 PDT CPE Certs (Q-Z)	Lunch Meetings	<u>Webinars</u>

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#### **About Our Chapter**

The Idaho Centennial Chapter has a diverse membership base including: local, state, and federal government professionals; private sector employees; academics; and retired professionals. Many chapter members hold professional certifications including Certified Government Financial Managers (CGFM).

## **Our Mission**

The Association of Government Accountants (AGA) serves professionals in the government financial management community by providing quality education, fostering professional development and certification, and supporting standards and research to advance government accountability.

### **Goals and Objectives**

Accountability Certification Education and Research Service

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# **COMMUNITY SERVICE**

### FOOD DONATION CHALLENGE



Thank you for your generous donations. You brought 106 lbs. of food for the foodbank. Also, we raised \$155 from lunch to donate as cash for the foodbank. Thanks for sharing and for your generosity.

# **MORE CHAPTER NEWS**

# AWARD NOMINATION

Please take a moment to recognize those in our profession who have contributed to government financial management. Idaho has a LOT of great financial managers – and we need to ensure that great work and contributions do not go unnoticed. Nominations are due by November 30, 2016, "TODAY" and the AGA's leadership and excellence awards are a fantastic way to recognize those deserving. You can find the awards and nomination forms at the link below.

If you missed this opportunity, then you can nominate someone for the Spring Awards. Information will be provided on that later.

Link to Nominations: <u>National Leadership Awards</u>

# **CITIZEN CENTRIC REPORT (CCR)**



Judy Shock did a tremendous job of compiling this year's CCR. You can see a copy of the report that has been posted on our chapter web page.

Link to CCR: AGA Idaho Centennial Chapter Citizen Centric Report

# COLLEGE AND UNIVERSITY

Did you miss seeing an article about visiting a College or University this month? Me too!

Do you know someone from Boise State, College of Southern Idaho, Idaho University, or North Idaho College? Can you get us invited to speak to their accounting students, accounting club, or "Meet the Firms" night?



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# HAVE A JOB ANNOUNCEMENT TO POST?

If you are a member and would like us to post a job announcement to our chapter members, please follow these simple instructions:

- Copy or prepare the announcement (we can't be responsible for content or format).
- Send the announcement to the following two email addresses:

Board Position	Name	Email	Phone
Communication	Amy	<u>amy.dunaway@dhw.idaho.go</u>	(208)
	Dunaway	<u>v</u>	334-6665
Programs	Chris Floyd	<u>cfloyd@sco.idaho.gov</u>	(208)
			332-8814

Your announcement will be posted on the chapter website and will be sent out in an email to all current members.

### VOLUNTEERS - We Need YOU!

Although the board positions are filled, we still need help to do all that needs to be done in order to continue supporting our Government Accounting community. Do you like doing newsletters? Do you like helping to plan an event? Do you want to help one of the current board members?

If so, contact me: <a href="mailto:steve.bellomy@DHW.Idaho.gov">steve.bellomy@DHW.Idaho.gov</a>

### **NEW WEB PAGE**

Amy Dunaway is working furiously on migrating historical information onto a new Web page that will be hosted by AGA National. We hope this site will be more serviceable and helpful to all members. A big THANKS to Amy for this unanticipated work as our Communication's Chair. Suggestions or ideas for our new website can be sent directly to <u>amy.dunaway@dhw.idaho.gov</u>.

Current Site: <u>WWW.idahoaga.org</u>

New Site Under Construction: <u>www.agacgfm.org/idahocentennial</u>

## NOTE FROM THE CHAPTER PRESIDENT

Hoping you had the very best Thanksgiving!

It seems as though this year is flying by faster than normal. Is it me getting older or just having more fun this year? Hope you are enjoying the educational events. PLEASE let us know what we can do to make AGA better for you. EVEN MORE IMPORTANT ... Please let us know what you are willing to do to make AGA better! Either way, I want to hear from you.



VOLUNTEERS

AT WORK



Steve,

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208 344-2711, <a href="mailto:steve.bellomy@dhw.idaho.gov">steve.bellomy@dhw.idaho.gov</a> (New Email)

# **CHAPTER EVENTS**

CALENDAR OF EVENTS					
LINK TO CALENDAR					
Date	Event	Торіс	CPE		
12/7/16	Webinar	Ethics	2		
12/15/16	Luncheon	Michael Blomstrom - Ada County Sheriff's Office - Using Financial	1		
		Ratios in the Procurement Process			
HAPPY NEW YEAR					
2017					
No January	Webinar.				
1/19/17	Luncheon	Stacy Pearson: VP Finance and Administration, BSU - Topic TBD 1			
2/8/17	Webinar	Government Accounting Standards Board (GASB) Update	2		

To see the **Board Minutes** and **Treasurer's Reports**, please select the link below:

AGA Idaho Centennial Chapter Board Reports: (http://www.idahoaga.org/board-reports.php)