

Chattanooga Chapter

AGA Newsletter

Welcome!

Greetings AGA Members! I want to thank Maury Nicely once more for speaking with us last month. His presentation on FMLA, handbook guidelines, and workplace violence was very informative. For our next meeting, we are honored to have Chief Fred Fletcher from the City of Chattanooga. The meeting will be held on April 18, 2017, 11:30 A.M. at the McDaniel Building (455 N. Highland Park, 37404). The cost of the luncheon is \$16.50 per person.

Please RSVP to Carlos Pride at: cpride@chattanooga.gov by April 14, 2017 to attend.

Speaker Bio



On June 12th of 2014 Fred Fletcher was sworn in as the Chief of Police for the City of Chattanooga. Chattanooga Chief of Police Fred Fletcher has 20 years of law enforcement experience in Austin, Texas – the second safest large city in the nation. In his former leadership position, Fletcher implemented community outreach programs to improve the relationships between police officers and citizens.

Now, as the Chief of Police for the City of Chattanooga, Fletcher has changed not only how the Chattanooga Police Department does business, but how community and police partner to solve problems.

Fletcher not only brought experience to Chattanooga, but he also brought along his own personal philosophies on effective policing. Since taking office the Chattanooga Police Department has dramatically reduced overall crime citywide by 11 percent in 2015 with 1,386 less crimes reported than the previous year. In 2016, the City of Chattanooga experienced 856 fewer crimes than 2015, a 7.62% reduction in overall crime.



April 2017



Paul Boylan - President, AGA Chattanooga Chapter

Lunch Menu:

Entrée

Taco Bar: Soft tortillas with Key Lime Chicken with black beans, Spanish rice, shredded Monterey Jack cheese, lettuce, pico de gallo, sour cream, and guacamole

Nacho Bar: Ground Chuck, pinto beans, tomato, jalapeno, sour cream and guacamole

Sides

Chips

Traditional Red Salsa, tomatillo salsa, & chipotle salsa

Drinks

Iced Tea

Chattanooga Chapter

AGA Newsletter

National/Local News

CGFM—Certification

The CGFM certification is the Mark of Excellence in Federal, State and Local Government. Since its inception in 1994, the CGFM has become the standard by which government financial management professionals are measured. Its education, experience and ethics requirements have served to elevate the most seasoned financial professionals. More than 14,000 individuals have received the designation so far. Now it's your turn. Experience the benefits of certification first hand - the CGFM is the mark of excellence in your profession. We look forward to adding your name to our distinguished list of Certified Government Financial Managers.

Additional CPE Opportunity

The Compass: Being Effective from Any Position

Date/Time: April 11, 2017 (11:30 AM—1:00 PM)

Location: Chattanooga State Community College Campus (Omni Building)

Topic: The Compass: Being Effective From Any Position

Speaker: Reggie Piercy, SVP of Operations for Vision Hospitality Group

CPE Credit: 1 hour

Pricing: \$25 for Members or \$30 for Non-Members

Register by 5 pm on April 6, 2017. To avoid being charged, cancellations must be made within 7 days of the event.

Officers & Board Members—Chattanooga Chapter

2016-2017 Officers:

- Paul Boylan - President
- Holly Wormsley - President Elect
- Carlos Pride - Treasurer
- Simone White - Secretary
- Immediate Past President - Beverly Adams

2016-2017 Board Members:

- Jennifer Reeves
- Autumn Jewel
- Shannon Stephenson
- Josh McCutcheon
- Brooke Weaver
- Dawn Manka



April 2017



Gerry Boaz—GASB/Single Audit Update—March 2017



Mayor Coppinger of Hamilton County Proclaimed March/April as CGFM Appreciation Month. Pictured with Paul Boylan & Josh McCutcheon

AGA Newsletter

Community Outreach



April 2017

Community Outreach



Wish List

Donate items from the list below and make a big difference in the lives of the animals we care for every day!
No time to shop...monetary donations are always appreciated.

- | | |
|---|--|
| <p>Immediate
 Purina ONE Dry Dog and Cat Food
 Purina ONE Dry Puppy and Kitten Food
 Canned Cat Food
 Canned Kitten Food
 Prescription Diet Cat Food- email director@thalppc.com for more details.
 KMR Kitten Formula- Powdered and Liquid
 Kitten Feeding bottles
 Esbilac Puppy Formula- Powdered
 Puppy Feeding Bottles</p> <p>Continuous
 Puppy Pads
 Cat Treats
 Flat, nylon leashes with clip
 Nylon Dog Collars (all sizes)
 Martingale/Greyhound Collars (all sizes, preferably with a buckle)
 Cat Litter- Scoopable
 Cat Litter- Clay- for kittens
 Sisal or cardboard scratching posts & inserts
 Dog & Cat Toys (new or slightly used)
 Alpo Snaps Dog Treats Beggin' Strips or Pup-Peroni Dog Treats
 Enrichment Treats, such as:
 Hot dogs
 Squeeze Cheese (canned spray cheese)
 Plain Greek Yogurt
 Chicken and Beef Broth (for pupsicles- dog enrichment)
 Natural Balance Food Rolls (Treats for training purposes and enrichment)
 Crunchy dog treats</p> | <p>KONG toys- Medium, Large, and XLarge
 KONG Wobblers- all sizes
 Benebones
 Elk Antlers
 Clean, empty plastic containers (like yogurt cups, butter/sour cream/etc containers)
 Clean, clear, empty plastic screw top containers with lid (like peanut butter containers)
 Towels, Blankets, sheets (no electric blankets, please)
 Cat/Dog Beds (laundered or new)
 HE type Detergent only
 Fabric Softener Dryer Sheets
 Spray Cleaner (Environmentally Friendly please)
 Toilet Paper
 Paper Towels
 Scrub Pads
 Sponges
 Brooms
 Swiffer Sweeper (dry) refills
 Trash Bags (33 gallon or larger & Kitchen size)
 Playtex (or other brand) gloves for washing dishes
 Stamps (Forever type please)
 Copy Paper</p> <p>Large Items
 Kuranda beds for Dogs/Cats (go to: https://kuranda.com/donate/4867)
 Agility Equipment
 Wire Crates & Plastic Cat Carriers
 Cargo Van or Minivan to transport animals to vets, offsite events
 Refrigerator – 3.5 cu ft (tall dorm size) or full size
 Small Chest Freezer</p> |
|---|--|

NOTE: Please do not hesitate to contact us regarding items you wish to donate that are not on our list! You may also view our AMAZON.COM wish list (which contains many of these items) at: <https://www.amazon.com/gp/registry/wishlist/?ie=UTF8&cid=A2P5QC28T8MZBC>

For the month of April, we will be collecting items listed on the “Wish List” for the Pet Placement Center, Chattanooga’s oldest no-kill shelter. Please bring your items or donations to our next AGA meeting (April 18th). Thank you for your help, it’s greatly appreciated!