



## April 2019 Newsletter

Greetings Members,

Happy Fiscal New Year!

Our Chapter Executive Committee (CEC) is hard at work wrapping up our projects from the past year and ensuring that everything is ready for the new chapter leaders to assume their respective roles.

Congratulations are in order to the Chapter Treasurer and the CEC for receiving our seventh “Clean” audit opinion on the financial transaction from the preceding fiscal year! This was an amazing feat, considering all of the added challenges that we faced the past year. I am beyond grateful for all of your hard work and extra efforts to maintain this high standard of excellent performance.

Thank you is on order to all those that took time out of their busy schedules to complete the annual chapter membership survey, this information is critical to the continued success of our Greater Columbus AGA Chapter.

The Chapter leadership enjoyed seeing several of you at our May 15<sup>th</sup> webinar on “Fraud and Data Analytics” and the monthly luncheon was held with the new chapter officers as our annual tradition of celebrating the winners of the late elections is commemorated with a chapter officer induction luncheon.

We also enjoyed seeing some new faces at the CEC meeting on May 20<sup>th</sup>, 2019 in room B419!

Your chapter of the Greater Columbus Association of Government will be recognized on July 23<sup>rd</sup>, during the next Professional development Training event! We are being honored for our commitment to delivering numerous and relevant training opportunities to our members and DFAS Columbus webinar attendees.



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We are excited to embark on a new chapter with our Greater Columbus AGA community! Look for a new spin on our communications and operations as the next group of leaders adds their unique style into our organization.

Thank you,

Chapter President 2018-2019  
Matthew R. Little CDFM  
Greater Columbus AGA



# What you need to know

## Treasurer's Report – as of 4/30/2019

Checking Balance: \$23,067.74 (-\$362.53) ↓

Savings Balance: \$1,057.53 (\$0.00)

Certificate of Deposit: \$ (\$0.00)

### Get Involved:

Our Greater Columbus chapter currently has CEC Openings in for Historian, Education, Communications, and Programs and Community Service. Not interested in a position but want to help? Serve on a Committee! We would love to have you involved and it is a great way to build you resume. Contact any chapter leaders or [greatercolumbusaga@gmail.com](mailto:greatercolumbusaga@gmail.com) if you are interested.

### Full AGA Webinar Schedule Continues:

AGA National has published the full topic and date list for AGA Webinars for 2019-2020.

Our chapter has purchased all 12 webinars!

Visit: <https://www.agacgfm.org/webinars.aspx>

### Membership:

May 31st is the deadline, or your membership will be suspended, and you will lose all the great benefits of Membership!

Ask you chapter leadership about our annual college scholarships!

### New Members:

Please welcome her to our chapter!

- Kristin Garrett

### Help us Fundraise:

Do not forget to renew your Kroger Plus Card with Community Rewards!

Find instructions on our website:

[Kroger Community Rewards](#)

We are always in need of volunteers throughout the Ohio State Football Season! Find out how you can be a part of the OSU Football action next season!

## Chapter Member Centric Report

Please take a look at our chapter's Member-Centric Report! The report is intended to summarize our chapter's most recent fiscal year and give members access to our activities, finances, and strategic goals.

<https://www.agacgfm.org/AGA/Resources/Performance%20and%20Accountability/CCR/AGA-CCR-2017-18.pdf>

Remember: AGA is the member organization for government financial management professionals. We lead and encourage change that benefits our field and all citizens. Our networking events, professional certification, publications and ongoing education help members build their skills and advance their careers.

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**Looking Ahead – Calendar of Chapter Events**

May 6th-10th	Public Service Week	
May 15, 2019 2:00pm-3:50pm	Fraud/Data Analytics	2 CPE
May 20, 2019 11:00-12:00	CEC Meeting Membership Open House	
May 22, 2019	New Officer Induction Luncheon	
June 12, 2019	AGA Webinar-Leadership	2 CPE
June 17, 2019	CEC Meeting	
June 18, 2019	Monthly Luncheon	1 CPE



**Some of the FUN people working the Ohio State merchandise booth at the 2019 Spring Game!**

**Each fall for the last 12 years, the Greater Columbus Chapter has had the opportunity to work during OSU Football home games and earn money to help fund our chapter's activities. This includes the funding of scholarships, purchasing the AGA Webinars for continuing education, and other operating expenses. As with any non-profit organization, fundraising tends to be a challenge, but this has proven to be a great source of revenue for our chapter.**

**For each OSU home football game, we gather a minimum of eight volunteers to work in the booth selling OSU shirts, hats, and other OSU branded merchandise. Volunteers must be at least 15 years old and family, friends, and neighbors are most welcome to join AGA members in supporting the cause!**

# Greater Columbus AGA

## Officer and Chapter Executive Committee Roster

President	Barbara Bail
President-Elect	Cynthia Shoe
Secretary	Kristen Hershberger
Treasurer	George "Pat" Jackson

Immediate Past-President	Matthew Little
Accountability Outreach	Cindy Shoe
By-Laws	Elizabeth Gibbs
Communications 1	Pat Jackson
Communications 2	Joe Scipione
Communications 3	Vacant
Community Service 1	Ben Thayer
Community Service 2	Vacant
CGFM 1	Ayisha King
CGFM 2	Glenn Weimar
Education 1	Eric Gersper
Education 2	William Kays
Finance & Budget 1	Marc Willis
Finance & Budget 2	Shaq Chambers
Historian	-Vacant-
Membership 1	Christina Bortner
Membership 2	Bob Palmieri
Programs 1	-Vacant-
Programs 2	Kristen Hershberger

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