

# **2019 SPONSOR PROGRAM**

## The Government Finance Officers Association of Arizona

#### Mission:

GFOAz promotes excellence in government financial management through leadership, education and communication.

#### **About:**

The Government Finance Officers Association of Arizona (GFOAz) is a non-profit professional organization that serves the government finance profession in Arizona. GFOAz serves as the state chapter of the national Government Finance Officers Association. We were founded in 1965 and have a membership of nearly 400 individuals. We encourage membership from state, county, and city governments, school districts, colleges, universities, special districts, and private firms. The purpose of GFOAz is to improve the practice of governmental finance in the state of Arizona as developed and recommended by the Government Finance Officers Association of the United States and Canada as well as other recognized authorities.

#### Vision:

GFOAz provides a system of networking, training and information sharing opportunities. These opportunities help those individuals responsible for municipal and other local government fiscal policy and management develop knowledge, enhance skills, and improve performance.

### Goals and Objectives:

The GFOAz board has established goals and objectives for the following areas:

- Organizational structure
- Membership
- Sponsorship and financial support
- Training and career development
- Communications
- League support services

# Programs and Services

GFOAz serves government finance officers statewide and any person who is interested in the principles and practices of government finance, and who subscribes to the purposes of the GFOAz with the following programs and services:

- Two conferences held in February and August
- Three annual trainings (January, May and October)
- Up to 43 CPE credits annually
- Scholarship opportunities that include one to the Advanced Government Finance Institute (AGFI), one scholarship to the Government Finance Officers Association of the United States and Canada (GFOA) annual conference, two scholarships to the GFOAz Winter Conference and two scholarships to the GFOAz Summer Conference
- Monthly communication through e-mail blasts, social networking and four online newsletters
- Website available to the members and public
- Online resource pool available to members
- Presentation of GFOA awards to member organizations

The range and substance of GFOAz's programs and services is made possible through the generous support of our sponsors.

#### 2019 Conferences and Trainings

Sponsors at silver, gold and platinum levels mix and mingle with attendees at the Winter and Summer Conferences, and three additional trainings of GFOAz with city, town and county finance directors, budget officers, accountants and other local government officials.

#### **January Training**

January 15 in Tempe, AZ

Provides up to 5 CPEs

#### Winter Conference

February 20-22 in Flagstaff, AZ

- Provides up to 15 CPEs
- Opening reception, luncheon & annual business meeting
- Sponsor recognition
- Relaxed, informal networking
- Approximately 220 attendees

#### **May Training**

Location and date TBD

• Provides up to 5 CPEs

#### **Summer Conference**

August 7-9 in Tucson, AZ

- Provides up to 15 CPEs
- Opening reception & luncheon
- Sponsor recognition
- Relaxed, informal networking
- Approximately 220 attendees

#### **Fall Budget Forum**

Location and date TBD

Provides up to 5 CPEs

## Our Sponsors

GFOAz promotes excellence in government finance management through leadership, education and communication. Your contribution allows us to provide affordable, high-quality workshops and conferences to Arizona's government finance professionals. Sponsorship of GFOAz is offered on the calendar year. We offer several options to support GFOAz with a variety of benefits that will provide your organization with excellent visibility and name recognition in 2019.

#### **Our Sponsors**

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Winter Conference Registrations	1	1	2
Summer Conference Registrations	(for either the Winter or Summer Conference)	1	2
Extra GFOAz Event of Your Choosing	N/A	N/A	1
Tabletop Exhibit Space (Upon Request) Sponsors with exhibit space will be included in a sponsor drawing for attendees.	N/A	N/A	1 - 6' table at each conference
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Commercial Memberships to GFOAz	N/A	1	2
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