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**AGA names a new president**

NASHVILLE, Tenn. — The Nashville Chapter of the Association of Government Accountants (AGA) is proud to announce that Shirley A. Henry, CPA, CGFM, of Nashville, has been sworn in as president of the Nashville Chapter for 2011-2012.

Henry, a charter member of the Nashville Chapter, has been a member of AGA since 1978 and has served in various leadership roles for several committees including the Awards Committee, Membership Committee, Newsletter Editor and Chapter Secretary.

Other professional affiliations include being a graduate of the Tennessee Government Executive Institute and a member of the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants. Volunteer activities have included church treasurer, volunteer tutor for the Volunteer Literacy Program and member of the Board of Directors, and volunteering with the Christian Community Outreach Center.

Henry has spent her career, except for a short time in accounting with Bowling Green Municipal Utilities, in the field of auditing with the Comptroller's Office Division of State Audit in increasingly responsible positions for 33+ years. She is a summa cum laude graduate of Western Kentucky University with a Bachelor of Science degree in Accounting and a minor in Business Administration. She is a certified public accountant and a certified government financial manager.

AGA, a national professional association of 15,000+ members, represents every level of government financial management, and the association awards the CGFM to those who exhibit excellence in the specific skills needed for the broad area of government financial management.

The Nashville Chapter AGA represents over 300 members who are dedicated to improving financial management in federal, state, and local governments in Tennessee.

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