



**Message from the Executive Director**

Hello GFOA Alberta Finance Leaders,  
Why don't penguins like talking to strangers in March? They find it hard to break the ice! I can't believe it is March already and only a few months until we meet up at the annual conference. I know you are all busy, so I will try and keep this short.  
We have had amazing response this year from sponsors and exhibitors, (new and returning). We can't wait to show you what we have planned for you over the 2.5 days!  
Speaking of plans, we hope you will join us at the tournament on June 2 to kick-off the conference, we have booked round-trip shuttle for golfers. Golf registration also includes a super this year. If you haven't registered for the conference yet or more importantly booked your hotel room, I strongly recommend that you do as it is filling up fast.  
First, a huge shoutout to this month's newsletter and **TITLE SPONSOR CIBC Wood Gundy**. Thank you Charet and James for being an integral part of GFOA Alberta. Your involvement and support contribute to the momentum we are building to give our members MORE!

**Professional Development through Online Webinars:**  
In addition to the Annual Conference, we are committed to providing ongoing professional development opportunities. Many of you have participated in the METRIX Group series and we had an awesome turnout of nearly 200 people at the Business Continuity Webinar presented by Stephen Lacroix, AEMA and Deloitte. We continue to work with our partners to deliver more quality online webinars to offer a convenient way for you and your team to stay updated on the latest industry trends, regulatory changes, and best practices. These webinars are designed to accommodate your busy schedules while delivering valuable insights that can be immediately applied to your work. Read further on in this newsletter to register for the next webinar [Public Sector Procurement Best Practices MARCH 21](#).

You may also want to check out a couple of **Public Sector Accounting Board webinars**. One is on demand regarding PSAB's exposure draft on Tangible Capital Assets, Proposed Amendments to Section PS 3150. The other webinar is on March 19<sup>th</sup> regarding PSAB's New Conceptual Framework for Financial Reporting in the Canadian Public Sector and PSAB's New Reporting Model Section PS1202.

**Feedback and Suggestions:**  
Your input is invaluable to us. If there are specific topics or areas of interest you would like us to cover in future webinars or at the Annual Conference, please don't hesitate to reach out. We are dedicated to tailoring our offerings to meet your needs and expectations.  
Thank you for your dedication to advancing our shared goals. I look forward to seeing you at the Annual Conference and witnessing the continued success of our members.

As I mentioned above, I recommend you to secure your spot soon, you can register for golf at the same time as you register for the conference [here](#).  
Should you have any questions or require assistance with **membership renewal** or **registration**, please don't hesitate to reach out to our team:  
**Communications@gfoa.ab.ca** or **Programs@gfoa.ab.ca**  
Best regards,  
Rick Wojtkiw,  
Executive Director

**PUBLIC SECTOR PROCUREMENT WEBINAR**

**INTERACTIVE SESSION**  
Join Roxanne Kits, Director, Supply Chain & Network Operations, Deloitte for an overview of the challenges and lessons learned of public sector procurement in Canada.



**MARCH 21 10:00 AM**

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**Public Sector Procurement Best Practices**  
Presented by Roxanne Kits  
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