Gulf Coast Chapter

Linda Benoit, Chapter President

To improve efficiency for members and officers, we have moved to a wild apricot website, <https://gcfgfoa.wildapricot.org>. On our site, officers can post power point presentations for seminars; announcements and updates, which then generate notification emails to members. The website allows members to enroll in meetings and seminars, and to renew their memberships via PayPal payment. We also have a job board where members can post openings, and a discussion board for local topics. Thanks to Jason Loschiavo from Metroplan Orlando of the Central Florida Chapter for the wild apricot set up tips.

The Gulf Coast chapter has an exciting year planned.

On September 22, we will have an 8 hour continuing education conference in Teco Hall at the Oldsmar Public Library. Our speakers and topics will include:

Public Records Matt Daugherty, SML

Federal Grants Monitoring & Procurement Corinne Ahrend, Crowe Horwath

Capital Assets & Intangibles Andrew Laflin, CLA

Government Revenues Kim Adams, City of Largo

We have chapter luncheon meetings scheduled throughout the year:

December 14, Ken Burke, Pinellas County Clerk of the Circuit Court

April 12, Molly Button(FLC) and Marianne Edmunds on capital financing options

June 7, Michael Twitty, Pinellas County Property Appraiser

We will have our annual 8 hour investment conference on February 2, 2018.