

Agenda at a Glance

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 1

TIME	SESSION	LOCATION
8:00 a.m.	Bruce Testa Semiannual Golf Outing	The Quarry Golf Club
10:00 a.m.–Noon	Certified Government Finance Officer's (CGFO) Exam Study Group	Zapata, Ballroom Level
Noon–1:30 p.m.	CGFO Committee <i>(restricted to CGFO members only)</i>	Madero, Ballroom Level
1:00–3:00 p.m.	Conference Planning Committee	Navarro Ballroom, Ballroom Level
1:30–3:00 p.m.	Ethics Committee FRRR Committee Membership Committee Legislative Committee Communications Committee Scholarship, Fellowship, and Foundation Committee	Encino, Lobby Level Villa, Ballroom Level Olivares, River Level Sabino, Lobby Level Carranza, Ballroom Level Lantana, Lobby Level
1:30–6:00 p.m.	Registration	Navarro Ballroom Foyer, Ballroom Level
2:00–4:30 p.m.	CGFO Testing	Zapata, Ballroom Level
3:00–5:00 p.m.	GFOAT Executive Board Meeting	Navarro Ballroom, Ballroom Level
5:00–6:30 p.m.	Welcome Reception	Hidalgo Ballroom, Ballroom Level
8:30 p.m.–Midnight	Texas Hold 'Em	Olivares, River Level

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 2

7:00–8:00 a.m.	Networking Breakfast (0.0 CGFO/CPE)	Navarro Ballroom Foyer, Ballroom Level
7:00 a.m.–5:00 p.m.	Registration	Navarro Ballroom Foyer, Ballroom Level
8:05–9:00 a.m.	Welcome and Opening General Session (1.0 CGFO/CPE) • Welcome to San Antonio (Sheryl Sculley) • Legislative Update (Bennett Sandlin)	Navarro Ballroom, Ballroom Level
9:20–10:15 a.m.	Concurrent Workshops (1.0 CGFO/CPE) • GFOAT–A Fiesta of Opportunities (GFOAT Board and Committee Chairs) • Texas Credit Landscape (Rebecca C. Moses, Grayson Nicols, and Sarah Smaardyk) 📺 • Risk Management–TMLIRP Policy Potholes (Bob Haynes and Aaron Hardiman) • Latest Issues and Trends in H.O.T. Taxes (John Kroll and Ted Kamel) <i>(Repeats Friday 9:45–10:40 a.m.)</i>	Olivares, River Level Madero, Ballroom Level Hidalgo Ballroom, Ballroom Level Camino Real, Lobby Level
10:15–10:35 a.m.	Refreshment Break/Sponsor Networking	Navarro Ballroom Foyer, Ballroom Level
10:35–11:50 a.m.	Concurrent Workshops (1.5 CGFO/CPE) • Working with City Managers and City Councils (Micki Rundell and Randolph Moravec) • History of the Federal Home Loan Bank (FHLB) and Privatization of Fannie Mae and Freddie Mac (Kevin Kogucz) 📺 • Financial Lessons in Procurement, Design, and Management of Construction Projects (Brenda Jenkins and Jim Dulac) <i>(Repeats 1:25–2:40 p.m.)</i> • Becoming the Best–Following GFOA Best Practices (Steve Williams) <i>(Repeats Friday 8:10–9:25 a.m.)</i>	Camino Real, Lobby Level Olivares, River Level Hidalgo Ballroom, Ballroom Level Madero, Ballroom Level
Noon–1:15 p.m.	Lunch, Business Meeting, and Awards	Navarro Ballroom, Ballroom Level
1:25–2:40 p.m.	Concurrent Workshops (1.5 CGFO/CPE) 📺 • What Does Today's Fraud Look Like (Heather Hurlbert, Kim Maxey, and Thomas Ervin) • Municipal Contracts: The Process from Start to Finish (Stephanie Sandre) • Financial Lessons in Procurement, Design, and Management of Construction Projects (Brenda Jenkins and Jim Dulac) <i>(Repeated from 10:35–11:50 a.m.)</i> • GASB Update Including GASB 77 Tax Abatement Disclosures (Keith A. Dagen) <i>(Repeats Friday 8:10–9:25 a.m.)</i>	Hidalgo Ballroom, Ballroom Level Olivares, River Level Camino Real, Lobby Level Madero, Ballroom Level
2:40–3:05 p.m.	Refreshment Break/Sponsor Networking	Navarro Ballroom Foyer, Ballroom Level
3:05–4:00 p.m.	General Session (1.0 GCFO/CPE) 📺 • This Would Be Funny...If It Wasn't Happening to Me! How to Navigate the Future With Enthusiasm and Vigor (Jody Urquhart)	Navarro Ballroom, Ballroom Level
4:20–5:15 p.m.	Concurrent Workshops (1.0 CGFO/CPE) • Fleet Replacement–What Are Your Options? (Mark Block) • Utilities Cost of Service and Rate Analysis (Nelisa Heddin) 📺 • Investing Best Practices (Susan K. Anderson) • I Love My Job...It's the People I Can't Stand (Jody Urquhart)	Camino Real, Lobby Level Olivares, River Level Hidalgo Ballroom, Ballroom Level Navarro Ballroom, Ballroom Level
6:00–8:00 p.m.	Networking Event	Casa Rio's Fine Mexican Food Restaurant

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 3

7:00–8:00 a.m.	Breakfast	Navarro Ballroom Foyer, Ballroom Level
8:10–9:25 a.m.	Concurrent Workshops (1.5 CGFO/CPE) • It's Your Deal: Roles and Responsibilities in a Municipal Issuances (Priya Ghosh Ahola) • Understanding What Happened During the Legislative Session (Bill Longley) 📺 • Becoming the Best–Following GFOA Best Practices (Steve Williams) <i>(Repeated from Thursday 10:35–11:50 a.m.)</i> • GASB Update Including GASB 77 Tax Abatement Disclosures (Keith A. Dagen) <i>(Repeated from Thursday 1:25–2:40 p.m.)</i>	Olivares, River Level Hidalgo Ballroom, Ballroom Level Navarro Ballroom, Ballroom Level Camino Real, Lobby Level
9:45–10:40 a.m.	Concurrent Workshops (1.0 CGFO/CPE) • Hot Topics • The Path of Innovation in Irving (Chris Sanchez) 📺 • Latest Issues and Trends in H.O.T. Taxes (John Kroll and Ted Kamel) <i>(Repeated from Thursday 9:20–10:15 a.m.)</i> • Establishing a Cash Flow Model (Emily Upshaw)	Olivares, River Level Hidalgo Ballroom, Ballroom Level Navarro Ballroom, Ballroom Level Camino Real, Lobby Level
10:40–11:00 a.m.	Refreshment Break/Sponsor Networking	Navarro Ballroom Foyer, Ballroom Level
11:00 a.m.–12:15 p.m.	Closing Session (1.5 CGFO/CPE) 📺 • Economic Update: Investing in Today's Uncertain Environment (Scott McIntyre)	Navarro Ballroom, Ballroom Level
12:15 p.m.	Adjourn	

Room assignments subject to change; check app for updates. 📺 indicates recorded session.