

Association of Government Accountants (AGA)
Chapter Executive Committee (CEC) Meeting Minutes

Date: Thursday, April 2, 2026

Time: 11:30 AM

Location: Virtual via Google Meet

1. Call to Order

The meeting was called to order **at 11:30 AM by Chapter President Kaylynn Short.**

2. Attendance

Present:

Abdi Aden, Janice Evans, Angie James, Randy Lagerblade, Minka Lisinovic, Laura Deavers Mead, Kaylynn Short, Pam Sullivan, Tammy White

3. Approval of Previous Minutes

- **March 5, 2026 – CEC Meeting** minutes were reviewed.
 - **Motion:** Angie James moved to approve.
 - **Second:** Minka Lisinovic
 - **Result:** Motion passed unanimously.
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4. Treasurer's Report

- Treasurer's Report as of **March 31, 2026**
 - PO box has been paid
 - Lunch and Learn check to Kaylynn for the meal
- **Motion:** Pam Sullivan moved to approve.
- **Second:** Angie James

- **Result:** Motion passed unanimously.
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5. Community Service

January–March 2026: Make A Wish Foundation

- Raised \$250 on the website and \$8 in the envelope

April-June Animal Rescue League

6. Spring Seminar April 9, 2025

- Laura will be going with Melinda to speak at Grandview in the afternoon on the 9th
 - 44 people registered and told the caterers 50 so we will have enough for the speakers.
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7. Lunch ‘n Learns & Webinars

- **April 15, 2026 – Ethics Webinar**
 - 7 have registered
- **April 22, 2026 – Data Analytics/Fraud Webinar**
 - Virtual
- **May 6, 2026 – Risk Management Webinar**
 - Lunch N Learn
- **May 27, 2026 – Leadership Webinar**
 - Virtual
- **June 25, 2026 – NASACT Webinar GASBY Review 2026**
 - Cost is around \$425
 - **Motion:** Janice Evans moved to approve.
 - **Second:** Minka Lisinovic
 - **Result:** Motion passed unanimously.

9. LEAD!26 & PDT

- LEAD!26 is July 19-20 in Arlington, VA.
 - Tammy and Crystal are attending
- Chapter Scholarships for hotel – two per chapter
 - Covers 4 nights between check-in on Monday, July 20 through check-out on Friday, July 24.
 - Must send registration confirmation to AGA no later than June 12th for the scholarship.
- Early Bird registration before June 26 = \$875 for Members.
 - Earn up to 20 CPE hours.
 - Will register them after hearing back on the first-time attendee scholarship for Crystal.

10. CEC Dues

I was looking back through minutes and other communications and it looks like we voted to pay Crystal's dues last year, but I had a note that we were planning on voting again this year to pay half of her dues, since she joined in February last year, prior to serving on the CEC. Can I get a motion to reimburse Crystal \$50 for her half of the dues for this year?

- **Motion:** Pam Sullivan moved to approve.
- **Second:** Laura Deavers Mead
- **Result:** Motion passed unanimously.

11. Members

- A re-engage webinar was held yesterday as a lot of members have not renewed their memberships.

- Des Moines Chapter has 44 Active members, 26 Suspended members and 1 Resigned (not going to renew) member.
 - How do we want to proceed on contacting the 26 that haven't renewed yet?
 - We could send an email from the AGA email address to remind them.
 - We could also put a slide into our Seminar power point encouraging people to join who aren't currently a member.
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12. Next Meeting

- **Date:** Thursday, May 7, 2026
- **Time:** 11:30 AM
- **Location:** Virtual via Google Meet