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Bill Hannah is the Finance Director for the Village of North Aurora. Mr. Hannah has worked in the field of government finance and administration for over 20 years. Currently, he is serving as Finance Director/Treasurer for the Village of North Aurora where he has held that position since 2005. Previously, he was employed with the City of Wheaton for 4 years and the Village of Barrington for 7 years in various finance and administrative capacities. Mr. Hannah graduated from Northern Illinois University in De Kalb in 1996 with a Masters in Public Administration. He graduated from Illinois Benedictine College in 1994 with a major in Business Economics. Mr. Hannah has also earned the Certified Public Finance Officer (CPFO) designation from the Government Finance Officers Association of the United States and Canada.

Mr. Hannah is an active member of GFOA and IGFOA and has been a frequent speaker on various topics including governmental accounting, revenues, budgeting, pensions, IT and other related topics. He served as a team leader on IGFOA's Professional Development Committee for several years, was chair of IGFOA's Technical Accounting Review Committee and currently serves on the IGFOA Executive Board. North Aurora during Mr. Hannah's 10 years as Director has received every year both the GFOA Certificate for Excellence in Financial Reporting and GFOA Distinguished Budget Presentation Award. Mr. Hannah has also served as a budget reviewer for GFOA's Distinguished Budget Presentation Award Panel for 14 years and previously served on the Citizens Finance Advisors Board of the St. Charles School District for 7 years.

Frederick G. Lantz, a Certified Public Accountant, is partner and the Director of Government Services at Sikich, LLP. He is responsible for providing technical services to Sikich's clients in all areas of governmental accounting, auditing, financial reporting, budget development, revenue and expenditure forecasting, and cash and debt management. Prior to joining Sikich, Mr. Lantz was the assistant director for the Technical Services Center of the Government Finance Officers Association of the United States and Canada (GFOA), where he was a nationally recognized expert in the state and local government industry. At GFOA, Mr. Lantz was responsible for managing the Certificate of Achievement for Excellence in Financial Reporting Program, providing accounting, auditing and financial reporting assistance to state and local government officials and their auditors, and serving as a liaison to the Governmental Accounting Standards Board. He also developed courses and served as lead instructor for governmental accounting, auditing and financial reporting training courses. Mr. Lantz is a nationally recognized speaker, having spoken at state GFOA and CPA Society meetings and conferences.

Mr. Lantz has an undergraduate degree in accounting from Northern Illinois University in DeKalb, Illinois. In addition, he is a graduate of the Advanced Government Finance Institute at the University of Wisconsin Madison and has completed graduate course work in public management and management information systems at DePaul University in Chicago, Illinois. Mr. Lantz is a member of the Illinois CPA Society, serving on the Governmental Report Review; the Illinois Government Finance Officers Association, serving on the Technical Accounting Review Committee; the Association of School Business Officers, serving as a panel review chair for the Certificate of Excellence Program; the Government Finance Officers Association serving on the Special Review Committee for the Certificate of Achievement for Excellence in Financial Reporting Program; the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants, the Illinois Municipal Treasurers Association and the Illinois Municipal League.