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Established 1969

Welcome to the Texas State Agency Business Administrators' Association (TSABAA) 43rd Mid-Winter Conference at The George and Cavalry Court Hotels in College Station, Texas. We are delighted you could make it.

If this is your first time attending a TSABAA Conference, welcome! We are so excited you have made the decision to join us. If this is not your first conference, thank you for returning and spreading the word. I want to thank the Mid-Winter Conference Chair and Vice President, April Weiss, and the Mid-Winter Conference Program Chair, Stephanie Robinson, as well as all the other volunteers that contributed to making this conference a success. Every part of the conference is only possible because of each of them.

TSABAA is a member driven organization, so your voice matters. I want to encourage you to provide feedback and ideas. There will be a survey available after the conference to provide your thoughts and input.

On behalf of the TSABAA Executive Committee, thank you for attending the conference!

Sincerely,

Zachary Chandonnet

Zachary Chandonnet 2024 TSABAA President



TSABAA Purpose

The Texas State Agency Business Administrators' Association (TSABAA) was founded in 1969 to collaborate on mutual goals and objectives for more effectively carrying out the state's business administrative functions. TSABAA provides a platform for issues affecting the business operations of the Texas state government.

Objectives

- Promote the highest standards of ethics and efficiency in the conduct of state business affairs.
- Provide forums for the exchange of ideas, concerns and information.
- Identify and analyze statewide concerns on fiscal issues.
- Encourage and foster professional working relationships and camaraderie with counterparts of other agencies.

Learning

TSABAA fosters learning and continuing education by providing professional training, bimonthly meetings and mid-winter and summer conferences. Meeting and conference attendees earn valuable continuing professional education (CPE) credit, and networking opportunities with peers.



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Program Agenda

Wednesday, January 17

4:00 - 6:00 p.m. Check-in & Registration (*The Library @ The George*)

5:30 - 6:30 p.m. Welcome Reception (*The Library* @ *The George*)

Thursday, January 18

7:30 - 8:30 a.m.	Conference Registration (<i>The Library @ The George</i>) Breakfast served (<i>The Stables @ Cavalry Court</i>)
8:30 - 9:30 a.m.	Commitment and Collaboration (<i>The Statesman</i> @ <i>The George</i>) <i>Jeff Walker, TWDB</i>
9:30 - 10:30 a.m.	Organizational Effectiveness (<i>The Statesman</i> @ <i>The George</i>) Damon Slaydon, Texas A&M University
10:30 - 10:45 a.m.	Break (The Statesman @ The George)
10:45 - 11:45 a.m.	GenAl: Harnessing the Power and Responsibility (The Statesman @ The George) Brandon Gressett, Deloitte
11:45 - 1:00 p.m.	Lunch (The Stables @ Cavalry Court)
1:00 - 2:00 p.m.	Creating an Accountability Culture (The Statesman @ The George) Becky Beachy & Thomas Mahoney, SAO
1:00 - 2:00 p.m.	Past Presidents' Meeting (The Presidential Suite @ The George)
2:00 - 2:45 p.m.	A Forcast of the Texas Economy & 2024-25 Certification Revenue Estimate (<i>The Statesman @ The George</i>) Brad Reynolds, CPA
2:45 - 3:00 p.m.	Break (The Statesman @ The George)
3:00 - 3:30 p.m.	CAPPS - The Future of CPA's Statewide ERP (The Statesman @ The George) Clarisse Roquemore & Chelsa Vinklarek, CPA
3:30 - 4:15 p.m.	Wargaming the Elections and the Session to Come (The Statesman @ The George) Harvey Kronberg, Quorum Report

4:15 - 5:00 p.m. When the SAO Calls (*The Statesman @ The George*)

Lauren Godfrey & Charles Wilson, SAO

7:00 - 11:00 p.m. **Networking Event** (*The Stables @ Cavalry Court*)

Friday, January 19

7:30 - 8:30 a.m. Breakfast (*The Stables @ Cavalry Court*)

8:30 - 9:30 a.m. **Organizational Change Management: Caring for People**

in an Age of Technology (The Statesman @ The George)

Will Boyd, Accenture

9:30 - 10:15 a.m. **Leading Yourself Through Times of Change and Adversity**

(The Statesman @ The George)
Emily Weers, Texas A&M University

10:15 - 10:30 a.m. **Break** (*The Statesman* @ *The George*)

10:30 - 11:15 a.m. **New Horizons for Accountability**

(The Statesman @ The George)

Eric Beverly, Sunset Advisory Commission

11:15 - 12:00 p.m. A Word from LBB (*The Statesman @ The George*)

Jerry McGinty, LBB

12:00 - 12:10 p.m. **Conference Closure** (*The Statesman* @ *The George*)



2024 Officers

ZACHARY CHANDONNET, PRESIDENT

Zachary is a **Budget Analyst** for the **Texas Commission on Environmental Quality** (TCEQ). He received his Bachelor of Business Administration in Accounting from Texas State University and has over 8 years of state government experience with financial operations and budgeting. Zac enjoys watching and playing sports, time with friends and family, wilderness adventures and travelling to new places both locally and abroad. The pandemic has also opened Zac up to enjoying cooking often and

testing his hand at learning how to cook many new dishes.

APRIL WEISS, VICE PRESIDENT

April serves as the **Revenue Team Lead** for the **Texas Water Development Board** (TWDB). April has fifteen years of state experience in Accounting and Financial Reporting. She earned a Bachelor of Business Administration in Management from Texas State University and a Bachelor of Science in Management/ Accounting from Park University. April enjoys spending time with family, friends and traveling.

CHRISTOPHER PINA, TREASURER

Christopher is a **Team Lead** in the IT Business Operations Budget
Management and Forecasting area of **Health and Human Services**Commission (HHSC). He has over 12 years of state experience
working extensively as a financial analyst. He earned his Bachelors
of Business Administration in Finance from Texas State University.
Christopher enjoys playing soccer, watching sports, and spending time
with his family. After recently buying a house, he has gotten back into

building projects like recently completing a shed and turning a piano into a bar.

LISA HARALSON, SECRETARY

Lisa is the Special Assistant to Financial Operations for the Texas
Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ). She has over 25 years
of experience under the accounting umbrella and 18 of those years have
proudly been as a state of Texas employee. Lisa has worked in areas
such as: payroll, human resources, receivables, general ledger, state
policy, systems analyst, training, and project management. She enjoys being
a leader, helping others, outdoor activities, spontaneous spur of the moment

get-a-ways and goofing off with her family.

BRANDY MYERS, PAST PRESIDENT

Brandy is the **Deputy Executive Director** for the **Texas Department of Licensing and Regulation** (TDLR). She has sixteen years of state
experience in the areas of finance, budgeting, purchasing, payroll and risk
management. Brandy has a degree in Business Administration and holds
certifications as a Certified Texas Contract Developer and a Certified Texas
Contract Manager. She is also a graduate of the 2014 Texas Fiscal Officers'
Academy, the 2020 class of Leadership Texas and 2022 class of the Governor's

Executive Development Program. Brandy enjoys family, friends, sports, and shopping.



About Your Speakers

BECKY BEACHY

Becky Beachy is an Audit Manager with the Texas State Auditor's Office where she has worked for over 20 years. Her primary area of focus is performance audits, including work with the criminal justice agencies, state contracts, and foster care. In addition, she has gained expertise in the Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards. An area of impact for Becky at the SAO is leading a group that reviews and updates audit processes for performance audits.

She graduated from Texas State University with a business degree in Economics and is a Certified Internal auditor and a Certified Government Audit Professional. She loves to crochet blankets while waiting for her 3 kids at their various activities.

ERIC BEVERLY

Eric Beverly was appointed as the Executive Director of the Texas Sunset Advisory Commission effective August 28, 2023. Beverly has been a public servant in the state of Texas since 1999, most recently serving as Deputy Executive Director for Licensing Services at the Texas Department of Licensing and Regulation (TDLR). With this appointment, Beverly returns to Sunset, where he worked as a Policy Analyst from 2011 until 2016. Since that time, Beverly served as a Senior

Government Relations Officer, Director of the Field Inspections division, and most recently as Deputy Executive Director for Licensing Services at TDLR. Prior to his work at Sunset, Beverly worked at the Texas Department of Rural Affairs handling legislative liaison and governmental relations duties and in the Texas House of Representatives' Office of House Bill Analysis. Beverly is a graduate of The University of Texas at Austin. He and his wife Deborah have been married for 13 years and have one son. In his spare time, he writes music and paints.



WILL BOYD

Will Boyd is a Senior Principal in Accenture's Talent & Organization practice. With over 15 years of experience in learning & development and 10 years of experience in change management and team leadership, Will has worked extensively with Texas state agencies and non-profits in creating and delivering training programs, organizational change programs, process improvement, and organizational design. He is passionate about learning, visual storytelling, and making people laugh. Will holds an MBA

from the McCombs School of Business at the University of Texas at Austin, and a Bachelor's in Music with emphasis in Theory and Composition from the Sarofim School of Fine Arts at Southwestern University in Georgetown. Ask him which degree he finds most relevant to his work – the answer might surprise you.

LAUREN GODFREY

Lauren is an Assistant State Auditor at the State Auditor's Office where she has worked for 18 years. During her tenure, Lauren worked primarily on performance audits, including managing audit work at the Health and Human Services agencies. In addition, she has served in a number of non-audit roles at the SAO such as Legislative liaison and overseeing SAO's Professional Development department. She has a BA in Economics from the University of Texas at Austin (hook 'em) and is a Certified Public Accountant,

Certified Internal Auditor, and a Certified Government Auditing Professional.

BRANDON GRESSETT

Brandon Gressett is a Senior Manager at Deloitte with over 17 years of experience in the Public Sector supporting operating model design, cyber security, analytics, artificial intelligence and intelligent automation. Brandon pioneered the integration of Robotic Process Automation (RPA), Intelligent Optical Character Reader (IOCR), and Natural Language Processing (NLP) technologies helping create Deloitte's approach to intelligent automation. He leads current projects at the FDA, CMS, HHS and

VA deploying Automation and AI Engines, Data Operations and full system implementations enhanced with AI and automation. Brandon holds certifications for Project Management Institute (PMI) PMP°; FEAC Certified Enterprise Architect (CEA); Certified Lean Six Sigma Yellow Belt; PMI Agile Certified Practitioner (PMI-ACP), and SAFe DevOps Practitioner certified. He has an MBA from University of Texas at Austin, McCombs School of Business.

About Your Speakers

HARVEY KRONBERG

Harvey Kronberg has published the *Quorum Report*, the Newsletter of Political Texas since 1989. Quorum Report is a non-partisan online publication covering state politics and government from an insider's perspective. The site can be found at www.quorumreport.com.

Originally a contract writer for *Quorum Report*, Kronberg bought the publication in 1998 and converted it to the first exclusively online subscriber-based publication covering Texas politics and government for political professional.

Kronberg also is a political analyst for Spectrum Cable News and a regular on their nightly *Capitol Tonight.* Spectrum Cable News is a 24-hour news channel broadcast in most cities in Texas. Kronberg is also a former contributing columnist to the *Austin American Statesman*.

Quoted in publications as diverse as *The New York Times, Wall Street Journal, Congressional Quarterly, The Dallas Morning News, The Houston Chronicle, Christian Science Monitor,* etc. Has received no prestigious awards cuz he is just too much of a pain in the ass. However, the February 2005 *Texas Monthly* declared him one of the 25 most powerful individuals in Texas politics.

THOMAS MAHONEY

Thomas Mahoney is a Managing Senior Auditor at the Texas State Auditor's Office where he has worked for 16 years. His primary focus is performance audits, including work related to foster care, emergency management, and criminal justice matters. In addition, Thomas is the advisor for the performance management system used by the Texas State Auditor's Office.

Thomas graduated from Syracuse University with a Bachelor of Arts in political science and is a Certified Fraud Examiner and a Certified Government Audit Professional. He is an avid soccer player, golfer, and riding his road bike in the limited free time having a seven-year-old daughter affords him.

JERRY MCGINTY

Jerry McGinty was appointed as the Director of the Legislative Budget Board in March 2020, by the Lieutenant Governor and Speaker. The staff of the Legislative Budget Board develops budget and policy recommendations for legislative appropriations with a biennial state budget of approximately \$321 billion, analyzes and monitors state agency spending and operations, completes fiscal analyses for all proposed legislation, and conducts evaluations and reviews to improve the efficiency and performance of state agencies, local operations, and school districts.

Previously, Mr. McGinty worked for the Texas Department of Criminal Justice for over 28 years where he held several positions, including Chief Financial Officer from 2008 to 2020. He is currently a member of the National Association of Legislative Fiscal Officers. Jerry holds a Bachelor Degree in Business Administration from Sam Houston State University and has been active with the SHSU alumni, with prior service on the SHSU Alumni Board of Directors and the Friends of the Sam Houston Memorial Museum Board. Jerry has been married to his wife Tammy for 31 years, and they have three sons, Joshua, Jacob and Jonah.

BRAD REYNOLDS

Brad Reynolds has been with the Texas Comptroller of Public Accounts, Revenue Estimating Division, since 2010, serving as Chief Revenue Estimator since November, 2021. He has been employed in various capacities in relation to Texas tax and budget policy at the Legislature, state agencies, and in private practice since 1986. He is a graduate of the University of Texas at Austin, B.A. major in economics.





About Your Speakers

CLARISSE ROQUEMORE

Clarisse Roquemore's fourteen years with the state includes working in budget and policy with Speaker Craddick, serving as a committee clerk on the House Corrections Committee, acting as a senior research associate on fiscal matters at the Texas Legislative Council, and most recently as the Assistant Director of Fiscal Management at the Texas Comptroller of Public Accounts. Clarisse holds dual Bachelor's degrees in Mathematics and Political Science, and a Masters in Accounting

from the University of Texas at Austin. Clarisse is a Certified Public Accountant and Certified Government Financial Manager.

Clarisse currently has the pleasure of serving as a member of the State Agency Council—where she previously served on the board as Treasurer – and supporting the Governor's Commission for Women. She was also a 2020 fellow in the Center for Public Policy Dispute Resolution and a 2021 cohort in the Governor's Executive Development Program. Outside of work, Clarisse enjoys her running club, cycling, and other outdoor adventures with her two energetic kids.

DAMON SLAYDON

Damon is an experienced administrator of human resources demonstrating accomplished leadership, motivation, and implementation of best practices to foster efficient and effective HR methodologies. Infiltrating organizations with a passion for people and dedicated efforts to elevate employee engagement across a multitude of employee constituencies. He currently serves as the Vice President for Human Resources & Organizational Effectiveness at Texas A&M University

reporting to the president providing strategic and operational guidance on human resource and organization effectiveness issues and promoting comprehensive services and programs that create and foster an effective, efficient, productive and welcoming environment in which university employees can thrive. Prior to his current role, Damon has served the State of Texas for over 30 years in various professional and leadership roles with the Texas A&M Engineering Experiment Station and Texas Department of Agriculture. He has a bachelor's degree in animal science from Texas A&M University, is a graduate of the LBJ Governor's Executive Development Program and was awarded the A&M System Regents Fellow Service Award in 2021.

CHELSA VINKLAREK

Chelsa Vinklarek works as the CAPPS Product Manager for Statewide Fiscal Systems at the Texas Comptroller of Public Accounts, overseeing product strategy decisions, as well as user experience and the long-term roadmap of the ERP systems. She also serves as the CAPPS HR/Payroll and Financials User Group Chair and is a member of the Oracle PeopleSoft Customer Advisory Board for their Human Capital Management system.

Chelsa has worked for the State since 2008, serving in a number of capacities, including the original project team that took CAPPS live for HR/Payroll in 2012. Chelsa participates in several division level focus groups to help drive strategy and roadmap decisions for both the legacy and ERP systems at the Comptroller's office. Chelsa holds her CTCM and ITIL certifications and is a 2022 Texas Fiscal Officers' Academy graduate.

Chelsa lives in Smithville with her husband, son, and two dachshunds. On weekends you can usually find her at a ballpark watching her son play baseball. When not at the ballpark she enjoys reading and crocheting. Chelsa attended St. Edward's University, majoring in Criminal Justice.

JEFF WALKER

Jeff Walker was named Executive Administrator of the Texas Water
Development Board (TWDB) on May 19, 2016. Walker has served in
various areas of the TWDB for more than 30 years, including as an
Agricultural Conservation Specialist, a Financial Analyst, a Non-Point
Source Coordinator, Director of Project Development, and Deputy Executive
Administrator of Water Supply and Infrastructure. Looking back, his experience
throughout the agency was training for his current role as what he calls the
"best job in Texas." Under his leadership, the TWDB has been named among top

workplaces in Austin annually since 2017 and demonstrated exemplary fiscal management of its bond sale programs, which continually receive the highest credit ratings. In 2016, the TWDB was the recipient of the Bond Buyer's Deal of the Year – Southwest Region. To date, the agency has issued more than \$7.9 billion in bonds and committed to fund nearly \$11.5 billion for state water plan projects in Texas through the State Water Implementation Fund for Texas (SWIFT) program. He has also overseen the implementation of a new state flood program that initiated the first statewide flood planning and that, to date, has funded more than \$510 million in flood improvement projects across Texas. Walker holds a master of business administration from Texas State University and a bachelor of science in agricultural economics from Texas A&M University. He is the current president and a member of the board of directors for the Council of Infrastructure Financing Authorities.

About Your Speakers

EMILY WEERS

Emily Weers is the Executive Director of Academic Accounting & Business Services (AABS) at Texas A&M University. With a team of around thirty finance and accounting staff, AABS serves the non-college units reporting to the provost as well as the division of Marketing & Communications. Emily earned her Bachelor of Business Administration in Accounting at the University of Iowa. Emily and her husband, Brock, moved to Texas for Brock to pursue his Ph.D. and

are celebrating their 20th year living in Texas. Emily is a mom to twin daughters, Megan and Mallory. In her free time, she enjoys family card and board games, listening to music, relaxing by the pool, and planning her next vacation.

CHARLES WILSON

Charles is the Risk Assessment Manager at the State Auditor's Office where he leads a team responsible for assembling the SAO's annual audit plan. Charles also leads the SAO's internal processes during legislative sessions. He has a BA in Political Science from the University of Arkansas and a Master of Public Affairs degree from the University of Texas at Austin.



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Conference Attendees

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Nikolaos	Alexander	Sr. Process Improvement Spc	DPS
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Daniel	Camacho	Financial Analyst III	RRC
Paul	Campbell	Employee P/AR Director	TxDOT
Yvonne	Campos	Executive Assistant	TDLR
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Zachary	Chandonnet	Budget Analyst	TCEQ
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Ashley	Cheatham Quain	RMU Manager	DSHS
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Dinorah	Chiu	Chief Financial Officer	TXRC
Scottie	Compton	Auditor	CPA
Lisa	Conley	Planner	TxDMV
Tony	Couvillon	Policy Research & Budget Analyst	TDLR
Alesya	Craig	Accountant	THC

Charlotte	Craig	Contract and Procurement Manager	TDLR
Pamela	-Darden	Chief Financial Officer	RRC
Yolanda	-Davis	Deputy Director	TCEQ
David	-DeLeo	Financial Analyst	RRC
Sandra	-Dodd	Senior Accountant	OCA
Trina	-Edwards	Deputy Chief Financial Officer	TMD
Jose	-Enriquez	Accounts Payable Accountant	TCEQ
Joey	Estrada	Chief Financial Officer	TMB
Shannon	-Federoff	Business Operations Manager	DPS
Katie	Fitch	Sr. Internal Audit Analyst	DPS
Julie	-Flanders	Revenue Accountant	OCA
Arthur	French	Asst. Dir. of Procurement & Contracts	TRS
Yu Vonda	-Galloway	Budget Analyst IV	DSHS
Darryl	Gaona	Contract Specialist	TDLR
Michael	-Gibbons	Purchaser V	THC
LaTosha	Goard	Director of Budget Operations	DPS
Anis	-Golshan	Chief Accountant	DSML
Evelyn	-Greene-Pierce	Accountant IV	THC
Amanda	Hafer	Accounting Director	RRC
Regina	-Hall	General Ledger Accountant	TCEQ
Yolanda	-Hall	Deputy Executive Director	TABC
Stephanie	-Halliday	A/P Manager	DPS
Barb	Hanus	Chief Accountant	TSPB
Lisa	-Haralson	Special Assistant	TCEQ
Greg	Harris	Team Leader	TCEQ
Sarah	-Hendricks	Records and Policy Specialist	DPS
Jennifer	Henry	Chief Financial Officer	OCA
Claudia	-Hernandez	Budget Analyst	TDA
Tracy	-Hernandez	Accountant	TWDB
Jennifer	-Hertsenberg	Director of Operations	TBCE
Veronica	Holmes	Contract Specialist	TWDB
Vincent	Houston	Director for Administrative Services Division	SOS
Amanda	Hudson	Budget Director	DSHS

Conference Attendees

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	Commission
DPSDepartment of Public Safety	TCEQ Texas Commission on Environmental
DSHSDepartment of State Health	Quality
Services	TCOLE Texas Commission on Law Enforcement
DSMLDepartment of Savings	TDADS Texas Department of Aging & Disability
and Mortgage Lending	TDATexas Department of Agriculture
ERSEmployees Retirement System	TDBTexas Department of Banking
GLOGeneral Land Office	TDCJTexas Department of Criminal Justice
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Commission	and Community Affairs
LBBLegislative Budget Board	DIRTexas Department of Information
TAG Office of the Adjutant General	Resources
OAGOffice of the Attorney General	TDITexas Department of Insurance
OCAOffice of Court Administration	TDLRTexas Department of Licensing
GOV Office of the Governor	& Regulation
PUC Public Utility Commission	TxDMV Texas Department of Motor Vehicles
RRCRailroad Commission	TxDOT Texas Department of Transportation
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SCOTSupreme Court of Texas	TPFATexas Public Finance Authority
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