



OHIO ASSOCIATION OF PUBLIC TREASURERS Hot Topic Seminar – April 28, 2023

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This Hot Topic Seminar is packed with information to assist public finance officers in the performance of their duties. We are planning a full day of training and updates. Please join us in learning how to be prepared for workplace violence through a presentation covering tips on how to prevent workplace violence, ALICE Training, possibilities for local governments from the IRA, and hear Ohio municipal income tax updates. **5.4 CPE, 2.25 CPFA and 4.5 CPIM** credits have all been approved, **4.5 FIA** credits are pending approval.

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Scott Weisend, Director of Sales & Operations, Sedgwick
William Matejka, Buckeye Deferred Comp

Agenda:	8:30 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.	Continental Breakfast & Registration
	9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.	Preventing Workplace Violence – Gabi Vogt, Special Agent, FBI; this presentation will provide knowledge of about the prevalence and impact of workplace violence, various prevention, and intervention programs to aid in identifying/reducing the risk, and how the Bureau’s TATM can assist within the workplace. The conclusion of the presentation is aimed at providing the audience safe separation practices from a potentially disgruntled employee.
	10:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.	OAPT Group Programs Update/Ohio BWC Update – Scott Weisend, Director of Sales and Operations, Sedgwick.
	10:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	ALICE Training – Sergeant Benny Truman, Brewster Police Department; this presentation will deliver a general history of AS incidents, situational awareness. Action vs. Reaction- Enhancing chance for survival.
	12:00 p.m. – 1:00 p.m.	Lunch
	12:45 p.m. – 1:00 p.m.	OAPT Deferred Comp update , William Matejka.
	1:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.	Possibilities for Local Governments Arising out of the Inflation Reduction Act Adam Seeley & John Flis, Bricker & Eckler; this presentation will explain how the ITC and PTC were affected by the IRA, as well as discuss types of eligible projects, length and amount of available credits, bonus incentives, effect of tax-exempt bond financing, how to qualify as an exempt entity for a refund in lieu of receiving non-refundable tax credits, and Commercial Clean Vehicle Tax Credit and Alternative Fuel Charging Station Tax Credit.
	2:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.	Ohio Municipal Income Tax Updates Amy Arrighi, Regional Income Tax Agency; this presentation will focus on the collection of Ohio municipal tax and provide participants updates on legislation and litigation impacting the collection of Ohio municipal income tax.

Location: Der Dutchman Restaurant – Bellville, Ohio, 720 SR 97 West, Bellville Ohio 44813, 419-886-7070

Cost: \$40 for member, \$60 for non-members

Continental Breakfast, Buffet Lunch and Der Dutchman’s Famous Pies Included

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Speaker Biographies

Gabi Vogt is a Special Agent (SA) with the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) assigned to the FBI Cincinnati Division, Columbus Resident Agency. SA Vogt had spent the beginning of her FBI career in the Dayton Resident Agency conducting a variety of criminal violations to include, complex financial crimes, money laundering, white collar crimes, etc. SA Vogt currently works public corruption and civil rights investigations as a member of the Southern Ohio Public Corruption Task Force. SA Vogt also serves as the FBI Crisis Negotiator, Behavioral Analysis Unit Coordinator, Threat Management Coordinator, and Firearms Instructor. Prior to her career in FBI, SA Vogt was an Engineer for the Department of Defense.

Scott Weisend, Director of Sales Operations. Scott has been with Sedgwick for 10 years. Prior to joining Sedgwick, Scott worked for 22 years with Frank Gates Service Company in a variety of roles including Assistant Vice President, State Fund and also Assistant Vice President, Self Insurance. Scott has also been Managing Director of Workers' Comp Services for the Ohio Manufacturers Association and Vice President at Exam Works over Ohio and West Virginia. In addition to his 35 year career in Ohio and National Workers' Compensation, Scott has a bachelor's degree from Ohio Dominican University in Criminal Justice.

Benny Truman serves as a Sergeant for the Brewster Police Department and is qualified to provide Active Shooter Awareness Training. He has been in Law Enforcement for 33 years, with 11 years as the Fairless School Resource Officer (SRO) while teaching libraries, manufacturers, schools and churches.

Adam Seeley is public finance attorney with Bricker & Eckler. His practice focuses on economic development and local government counseling, as well as administrative, environmental and energy law. Adam's experience covers TIF, CRA, enterprise zone administration, appraisal, real estate transactions, contract negotiation and drafting, civil litigation, and administrative compliance. Prior to joining Bricker, Adam served as in-house staff counsel for the Franklin County Auditor's Office, Real Estate Division. He has also worked as a policy and legal aide for the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio (PUCO) and in private practice representing clients facing consumer protection matters.

John Flis is a public finance attorney with Bricker & Eckler who partners with public and private entities to accomplish their project finance goals. Specifically, John manages bond and economic development matters. Ensuring that financial transactions occur both smoothly and with all legal considerations addressed, John is familiar with each stage of funding for all types of projects and has been involved in large, complex transactions. He helps both experienced and inexperienced clients fully understand and make informed decisions regarding the details of their matters, from inception to close. John has vast knowledge of public law, especially related to legal research, document management, administrative hearings and litigation. He has longstanding relationships within Ohio's state tax department. John is a former attorney with the Ohio Department of Taxation and has also held legal positions within the State of Florida's Department of Business and Professional Regulation.

Amy Arrighi has served as the Executive Director of the Regional Income Tax Agency (RITA) since July 2022. RITA serves as the municipal income tax administrator for more than 350 municipalities across the State of Ohio. Prior to her appointment as Executive Director, Amy served as RITA's Chief Legal Counsel for 16 years. Amy received her J.D. from the CSU College of Law in 1998.