

GREETINGS FROM THE SVA CHAPTER!

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A MESSAGE FROM OUR PRESIDENT, Ms. Nisha R. Dowdell

Our chapter experienced many first this year which began with a virtual installation of Officers in July 2020. Kudos to Ms. Kimberley Franks the Scholarship Chair, Mrs. Shanna Burnette, and Mr. Anthony Marvan who did a phenomenal job screening high school applicants for this year's scholarship program. Congratulations to the ASMC Scholarship recipients for 2020-2021; Anya Ruzicka, Carter Watts, Emily Toler, Isabella McNulty, Katherine DeSimone, and Shruti Bala. The recipients along with their guests were recognized during our annual scholarship luncheon at the Cardinal Golf Club.

The success of our chapter is due to your continued support and dedication. As we transition to new leadership next month, I am honored to have served as the President of Southside Virginia ASMC Chapter. Our executive board continues to lead the way to enhance the current and future value of ASMC membership.

Please send any topic ideas you may have for future training and community service events to asmcsouthsideva2@gmail.com and it will be discussed at the executive committee meetings.

Ms. Nisha R. Dowdell, CDFM-A
President, ASMC Southside VA Chapter

MEMBER NEWS

Southside VA Chapter sponsored our 22nd Mini-Professional Development Institute (PDI) virtually on March 17, 2021. Mr. Runnels opened the event and there was great list of guest speakers for the attendees.

Annual scholarship luncheon was held on May 28, 2021. Local graduating seniors were presented with monetary awards on behalf of our Chapter.

The 2021-2022 Executive Board elections are being conducted. The term runs from July 1, 2021 to June 30, 2022.

Watch for correspondence on our upcoming monthly luncheons.

COMMUNITY SERVICE



Numerous Southside VA Chapter members volunteered on May 2, 2021 for a Day of Service at SOAR365, Camp Baker in Chesterfield, VA.

The volunteers accomplished SO MUCH like painting, staining, weed-whacking and built two chicken grazing boxes!!

Our Chapter received a "thank you for our service" from the coordinator, Alison Jones-Nassar.

More volunteer opportunities to come.



Eight (8) Southside VA Chapter members volunteered on April 18, 2021 at the Richmond Racetrack. The volunteers earned money on behalf of the Chapter which will be used for annual scholarship awards.

NATIONAL ASMC NEWS

The National Professional Development Institute (PDI) is the premier training event of the American Society of Military Comptrollers (ASMC), and took place virtually from June 2 - 4, 2021.

DoD FM VIRTUAL TRAINING

The FM Online is "Your Gateway to DoD FM Professional Development."

Continuing Education Training (CET) resources can be located at:

<https://fmonline.ousdc.osd.mil/CET/cet.aspx>

NATIONAL FM NEWS

Fiscal Service Releases Playbook to Help Agencies Digitally Transform Their Business Processes

The Bureau of the Fiscal Service has released a playbook to help government agencies automate and digitize their business processes. The playbook is part of Fiscal's newest initiative, Digital End-to-End Efficiency, aimed at streamlining the government's financial processes through the strategic adoption of technology.

"People expect to engage with the government the same way they engage with one another, through digitally enabled platforms," said Adam Goldberg, Acting Assistance Commissioner, Office of Financial Innovation and Transformation. "The Digital End-to-End Efficiency framework is different from many digital transformation efforts because it emphasizes both the customer and delivery experiences to identify the highest priority opportunities for improvement."

The Digital End-to-End Efficiency playbook contains a set of easy to follow tools and instructions for agencies to follow and learn:

- How to select a business process to maximize cost savings;
- How to quickly identify areas that present the greatest opportunities for automation and digitization; and
- How to choose the right solution(s) for implementation

The playbook was developed in coordination with several Federal agencies who piloted the framework. The FIT office is looking for other Federal agencies interested in partnering to evaluate their financial management end-to-end processes.

Resource: <https://www.fiscal.treasury.gov/news/fiscal-service-releases-playbook-to-help-agencies-digitally.html>

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EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETINGS

**Executive Board meetings are currently held via teleconference on the first
Wednesday of each month at 11:30 am**