

# CITY OF HIGH POINT

## AGENDA ITEM



<b>TITLE:</b> Recognition of Certified Public Finance Officer Certification	
<b>FROM:</b> Eric Olmedo, Assistant City Manager	<b>MEETING DATE:</b> June 17, 2024
<b>PUBLIC HEARING:</b> n/a	<b>ADVERTISED DATE/BY:</b> n/a
<b>ATTACHMENTS:</b> n/a	

**PURPOSE:** To recognize Financial Services Director Bobby Fitzjohn for earning the Certified Public Finance Officer (CPFO) certification from the Government Finance Officers Association.

**BACKGROUND:** Financial Services Director Bobby Fitzjohn recently earned the Certified Public Finance Officers (CPFO) certification from the Government Finance Officers Association

GFOA's Certified Public Finance Officers (CPFO) program is designed to prepare individuals for leadership positions in local governments by enhancing fundamental skills and increasing knowledge of best practices and standards in public finance. The CPFO program began in 1997 with the offering of five exams, each on a different discipline of public finance. The CPFO program supports the core beliefs of GFOA, including ethics, leadership and competencies in various finance matters and recognize members who have made the commitment to both obtain necessary knowledge and skills and remain current with industry best practices.

Mr. Fitzjohn is one of only eight Finance Officers in the State of North Carolina to obtain this certification. We recognize and congratulate Mr. Fitzjohn on this accomplishment.

**BUDGET IMPACT:** n/a

**RECOMMENDATION/ACTION REQUESTED:** n/a

