

VASBO QUARTERLY NEWSLETTER



HAPPY HOLIDAYS FROM VASBO!

We hope this holiday season is a time for rest and relaxation with loved ones.

Our quarterly newsletter has information on some upcoming professional development opportunities, award programs and resources for you as a school business official. VASBO has some exciting plans in 2022, starting with our VASS-VASBO Winter Conference in Richmond. We hope to see you there, January 9-11!

Thank you for your membership and continued support of schools and children across Virginia. Happy Holidays!

-The VASBO Team

UPCOMING DATES

VASS-VASBO Winter Conference
January 9-11, 2022

SASBO Expert Exchange
January 13, 2022

SASBO Leadership Summit
January 19-21, 2022

ASBO International Leadership Forum
February 3-5, 2022

SASBO/AASBO Joint Conference
and Discovery Forum- Hot Springs, AR
April 5-7, 2022

VASBO Spring Conference
May 15-18, 2022

Legislative Advocacy Conference-
Washington, D.C.
July 12-14, 2022

ASBO Annual Conference & Expo-
Portland, OR
September 14-17, 2022

2022 VASS-VASBO Winter Conference

January 9 - 11, 2022
Hilton- Downtown Richmond

Registration is now open for the VASS-VASBO 2022 Winter Conference, which will be held in person, January 9-11, 2022, at the Hilton Richmond Downtown.

All of this year's Annual Winter Conference meetings, sessions, and events will follow the current VDOH guidelines for schools, which recommend wearing masks and distancing three feet when indoors, to ensure that participants remain healthy. You will be notified if these mitigation strategies change.

This year's event will feature over 20 presenters and panelists who will address budgetary and policy issues directly affecting Superintendents and School Business Officials.

Some of the issues will include: the Governor's budget proposals, removing the support cap, the status of Federal funding, procurement problems, vaccinations, teacher and staff shortages, school renovation, and the 2022 VASS and VASBO legislative positions.

All VASBO members will register through the VASS website. For the online registration form, and hotel booking, please click on this link: [2022 VASS-VASBO Winter Conference Page](#).

We look forward to seeing you in Richmond for what promises to be a very enjoyable as well as informative event.

Interested in serving on the VASBO Executive Team?

VASBO is looking for enthusiastic school business officials to lead our organization! If you are interested in joining the VASBO Executive Team in 2022 please email Christina Berta, Chair of the VASBO Nominations Committee, at cberta@hcps.us

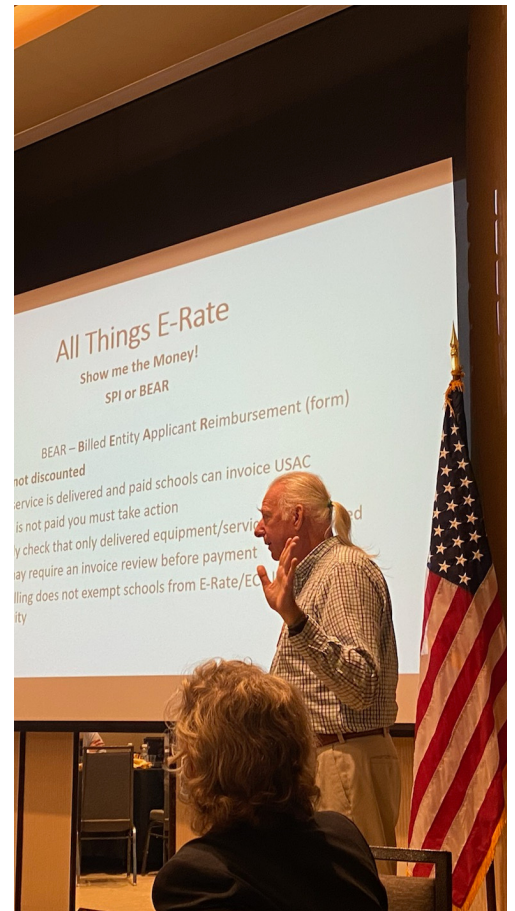


2021 VASBO FALL CONFERENCE

VASBO held its 2021 Fall Conference October 21-22 in Virginia Beach! We had a great turnout of school business officials, partners and guests as we enjoyed hearing from various speakers on topics such as Federal Pandemic Relief Funding, E-Rate, GASB 87, and more! Attendees also had a chance to network and socialize through an evening outing at Top Golf.

A special thank you to all of our partners for making this conference possible!

As a reminder, all conference materials can be found on the [VASBO website](https://www.vasbo.org).



VASBO JOB BOARD

VASBO is excited to share position announcements for careers in school business across Virginia. For information on open positions visit vasbo.org/job-board.

Have a position announcement that you would like to advertise?

Visit vasbo.org/job-board! This is a free member benefit for all school divisions with active VASBO membership!



Scan the QR code to visit the VASBO Job Board

SAVE THE DATE!

2022 VASBO Spring Conference

May 15-18, 2022

Hotel Roanoke

More information to come!





Online Professional Development Series

What is the Expert Exchange?

In continuing SASBO's goal to improve education through the support and professional development of business personnel, we have created the "Expert Exchange". The Expert Exchange consists of monthly online seminars that will allow you to not only listen and watch, but also to ask questions of the presenters and other SASBO members.

What is the cost?

Sessions are offered at a flat fee of \$200 for SASBO Members for all twelve sessions. Just need a few hours? SASBO Members may purchase one (1) recorded session for \$50.

What if I can't make it for a session?

No problem, as we know the unavoidable situations occur. If you are not able to participate on the date of the webcast, you will receive an email to view the recorded session when your schedule permits.

January 13, 2022

"That's What I'm Talking About!"

Kelly Hayes, Deputy Superintendent, Springdale School District, Springdale, Arkansas

February 10, 2022

"Simplify Procurement in Your District with Technology"

April Marzacco, Strategic Account Manager, EqualLevel, Fort Myers, Florida

March 10, 2022

"Getting Things Done: Time and Efficiency Strategies for the School Business Officials"

John Hutchison, CPA, MBA, SFO, Assistant Superintendent for Business Operations / ASBO International Board of Directors, Olathe Public Schools, Olathe, Kansas

April 14, 2022

"How to "Excel" with Accounting Functions"

Robyn Presley, NCASBO Instructor and Retired Accounting Director, Wake County Public Schools, Knightdale, North Carolina

May 12, 2022

"Weeding Through the Wolves"

Speaker to be Announced, TIPS - USA, Pittsburg, Texas

June 9, 2022

"Dissecting Maintenance of Effort"

Amy Rowell, CPA Director, Financial Review Division, Georgia Department of Education, Atlanta, Georgia

Learn more online at sasbo.org/expert-exchange



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December School Business Affairs

The [December Digital SBA](#) is online and ready for you to read. Articles included in this issue:

- Rebooting a Facility Rental Program by John Klein
- Using Stimulus Funding to Instill Public Confidence by Steve Roth
- Supercharge Your School District with an Energy Service Company by Paul Harrell
- Keeping Students and Staff Healthy by Investing in Infrastructure by Paul O'Malley

These are just some of the articles you will find in December's SBA. [Read the full digital issue online today!](#)

Thank you for all the hard work you do to support your students, staff, and communities.

Interested in writing an article for School Business Affairs? Email us for more information.



2021 ASBO ANNUAL CONFERENCE

VASBO members attended the 2021 ASBO International Annual Conference in Milwaukee, Wisconsin. Attendees had the opportunity to hear from stakeholders in School Business, network and share ideas with colleagues from across the country and visit with partners.

We are so thankful for ASBO International and the extensive professional development opportunities it affords. To learn more about membership in ASBO, visit asbointl.org.

Mark your calendars for the 2022 ASBO Annual Conference scheduled for September 14-17, 2022 in Portland, Oregon!



ASBO RECOGNIZES 2021 PINNACLE AWARD RECIPIENT

ASBO recognized Patty Camery, Executive Director of Finance for Frederick County Public Schools with the 2021 Pinnacle Award. The Pinnacle Award recognizes school business professionals for their resourcefulness and creativity in solving the challenges school districts face today. Click [HERE](#) to learn more about Ms. Camery's innovative initiative, the Budget Game.

Congratulations Patty Camery!





ASBO INTERNATIONAL'S LEADERSHIP FORUM

FEBRUARY 3-5 | SAVANNAH, GEORGIA

2022

Register now for ASBO International's NEW Leadership Forum which will help you advance your leadership skills through engaging sessions, collaborative discussions, learning, and networking with your peers. Join your peers on February 3-5 in Savannah, Georgia while earning SFO contact hours and CPE and CAE credits.

[View](#) Registration rates.

[View](#) the schedule.



APPLY FOR THE CERTIFICATE OF EXCELLENCE

For more than 45 years, the Certificate of Excellence in Financial Reporting (COE) has honored school districts for their high-quality Annual Comprehensive Financial Report (ACFR). Show your community that your district is committed to transparent stewardship of public funds. The application and checklist can be found in the [ASBO International Award section!](#)



SAVE THE DATE!

2022 Legislative Advocacy Conference
July 12-14 • Washington, D.C.

Join school business officials and superintendents in Washington, D.C., to learn about the federal policy issues affecting your school community at this annual event, co-hosted by ASBO International and AASA, The School Superintendents Association. Get ready to hear from policymakers and other VIP guests, meet with your elected officials, and develop your advocacy skills.

A SPECIAL THANK YOU TO OUR 2021-22 VENDOR PARTNERS

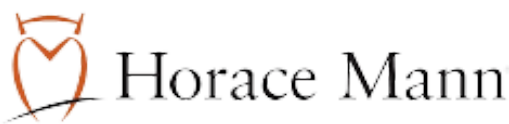
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