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SUBJECT: FLORIDA GRANT CONSORTIUM WORKSHOP NOTIFICATION

The Florida Grant Consortium will conduct a quarterly workshop on Thursday, May 11, 2017 from 9:00 AM to 11:30 AM at the Winewood Office Complex, Building 4. This facility is located at 1317 Winewood Blvd. in Tallahassee.

Mark Mahoney, Director of Revenue Management for the Department of Children and Families, will provide an update on “grant world” in Washington, D.C. His presentation will provide some insight into the trends and potential developments at the federal grant level. This information could be helpful to participants as it provides a basis for possible changes in federal procedures or policies. In addition, an overview of how the federal grant process works will be provided.

Mark Merry, Assistant Director of Accounting & Auditing at the Department of Financial Services, will provide a follow up presentation to the Analyzing Financial Statements presentation from November 2016. The focus of the presentation will be understanding how to interpret the financial information in the financial statements and how it applies to your contracts and grants.

Due to capacity limitations, attendance will be limited to the first 90 to register. For those who are unable to attend in person, conference call line information will be posted to the Consortium webpage. To participate in this workshop, please register through the following link:

<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/5K6G3MH>

Confirmations and meeting materials will be emailed to registrants by the close of business Tuesday, May 9, 2017. Meeting materials and the conference call line information will be posted on the Consortium webpage at that time. On the morning of the workshop, we will post a link on the webpage that will provide the opportunity to view the presentation through the Microsoft Office Presentation service. The webpage link is:

<http://www.myfloridacfo.com/Division/AA/Grants/default.html>

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