# County Technical Assistance Service Common Financial Acronyms & Terms

University of Tennessee Organizations		
IPS	Institute for Public Service	
CIS	Center for Industrial Services	
CTAS	County Technical Assistance Service	
LEIC	Law Enforcement Innovation Center	
MTAS	Municipal Technical Advisory Service	
NCEL	Naifeh Center for Effective Leadership	
SMART	Substance Misuse and Addiction Resource for Tennessee	
TLC	Tennessee Language Center	

#### **Tennessee State Agencies & Boards**

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COT	Comptroller of the Treasury
LGA	Comptroller of the Treasury - Division of Local Government Audit
LGF	Comptroller of the Treasury - Division of Local Government Finance
ORC	Open Records Counsel
SBOE	State Board of Equalization
TBOUR	Tennessee Board of Utility Regulation
F&A	Finance & Administration
TCRS	Tennessee Consolidated Retirement System
TNDOE	Tennessee Department of Education
TDEC	Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation
TECB	Tennessee Emergency Communications Board
TEMA	Tennessee Emergency Management Agency
TNDOR	Tennessee Department of Revenue
TDOT	Tennessee Department of Transportation

## **Finance/Accounting Boards & Associations**

AGA	Now - AGA, Formerly - Association of Government Accountants
AICPA	American Institute of Certified Public Accountants
FASB	Financial Accounting Standards Board
GASB	Government Accounting Standards Board
GFOA	Government Finance Officers Association
TGFOA	Tennessee Government Finance Officers Association
TSCPA	Tennessee Society of Certified Public Accountants

Tennessee County Government Associations		
ACM	Association of County Mayors	
COAT	County Officials Association of Tennessee	
TNAAO	Tennessee Association of Assessing Officers	
TASBO	Tennessee Association of School Business Officials	
TCAA	Tennessee County Attorneys Association	
TCCA	Tennessee County Commissioners Association	
TCHOA	Tennessee County Highway Officials Association	
TCSA	Tennessee County Services Association	
TOSS	Tennessee Organization of School Superintendents	
TSBA	Tennessee School Board Association	
TSA	Tennessee Sheriff's Association	

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ED	Department of Education
DOL	Department of Labor
DOT	Department of Transportation
FDIC	Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation
FEMA	Federal Emergency Management Agency
GSA	General Services Administration
GAO	Government Accountability Office
HUD	Housing and Urban Development
CDBG	Community Development Block Grant
IRS	Internal Revenue Service
OMB	Office of Management and Budget
FALN	Federal Assistance Listing Number (formerly CFDA)
UG	Uniform Guidance
OSHA	Occupational Safety and Health Administration
SEC	Securities and Exchange Commission
SSA	Social Security Administration
USDA	United States Department of Agriculture

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#### **Certifications/Terms/Common Abbreviations**

ACFR Annual Comprehensive Financial Report

AFR Annual Financial Report
AG Attorney General
BOY Beginning of Year
BOE Board of Education
CON Capital Outlay Note

CCFO Certified County Finance Officer

CGFM Certified Government Financial Manager

CMFO Certified Municipal Finance Officer

CPA Certified Public Accountant

COA Chart of Accounts

81 Act County Financial Management System of 1981

CLB County Legislative Body

CY Current Year EOY End of Year

57 Act Fiscal Control Act of 1957

FY Fiscal Year

FTE Full-time Equivalents

GAAP Generally Accepted Accounting Principles

GIS Geographic Information System LGC Local Government Corporation

M&E Machinery & Equipment
MOE Maintenance of Effort
PILOT Payment in Lieu of Taxes

PY Prior Year
PO Purchase Order

TIF Tax Increment Financing

TRAN Tax Revenue Anticipation Note
T.C.A. Tennessee Code Annotated

TISA Tennessee Investment in Student Achievement Act