

Michigan School Business Officials



## 2017 Board Candidate



All active members of MSBO will receive an e-mail with a link to vote in April 2017. Voting is conducted electronically.

### MSBO Mission Statement

The Mission of MSBO is to continually improve the leadership of and management in school business and operational services, while enhancing the professional, social, and economic well-being of its members.



## Candidate for MSBO Board of Directors

**Chris Frank, CPA**

Director of Finance & Business Operations  
Saginaw ISD

**M**SB O has always provided invaluable resources to its members and I have benefitted greatly from these services in my 16+ years in the school business community. I have been lucky to have been exposed to a wide range of experiences in school operations, beginning with my time auditing schools all the way to my current work both at the ISD and in the services we provide to our locals. These experiences would allow me to help MSBO to continue to evolve in the services that are expected and requested of it, while continuing to learn from others through the organization.

### Education

Western Michigan University - Bachelor of Business Administration, Accounting Major

### Employment

Yeo & Yeo, PC – January, 1993 – March, 2001 – Manager in the Audit Department

Member of the Audit department, with a focus in the areas of school districts, hospitals/healthcare and non-profits

Saginaw ISD – March, 2001 – June, 2016 – Assistant Director of Finance & Business Operations

- ◆ July, 2016 – Present – Director of Finance & Business Operations
- ◆ During this time I have supervised the following areas: Finance, Accounts Payable, Payroll, Pupil Accounting, Truancy, Custodial, Maintenance, Transportation & Grant programs.
- ◆ In addition, I have been involved in numerous other areas, including: budget process, special education reporting, audit preparation, food service & finance software support. We currently provide accounts payable services to 2 districts and payroll services to 7 districts.

### Professional Activities

MSBO related activities

- ◆ Participated in the Leadership Institute program as part of the 2013-14 cohort
- ◆ Current consultant to MSBO for the Dynamic Budget Projections software
- ◆ Have been one of the presenters for the Payroll & Related Personnel Issues class for the MSBO Certification program for the last 6 years and at various other sessions at the annual conference over the years
- ◆ Saginaw Valley School Business Officials regional group – Chaired the 2008-09 school year
- ◆ ISD Committee – Chaired the 2011-12 school year

Membership in: Michigan School Business Officials, Association of School Business Officials International, American Institute of Certified Public Accountants & Michigan Association of Certified Public Accountants

Current member of the MDE Bulletin 1022 Committee

Community Activities

- ◆ Current President of St. Lorenz Lutheran Church
- ◆ Saginaw County Chamber of Commerce, Leadership Saginaw program – 2001
- ◆ Past Treasurer of PRIDE in Saginaw, Inc.
- ◆ Past member of Saginaw Area Jaycees, including term as Vice-President of Membership Development

### Honors

- ◆ Family – Married 22+ years to my wife Jenny and we have 2 sons and a daughter at home.
- ◆ MSBO School Business Official of the Year – 2015
- ◆ Certified Public Accountant – 1995
- ◆ Eagle Scout – 1987