

# CAO recognized

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Jim Wentzell  
Mahone Bay CAO

MAHONE BAY — Mahone Bay's chief administrative officer has received an award from the Financial Management Institute of Canada.

Jim Wentzell has been recognized as part of the institute's volunteer recognition program.

Mr. Wentzell has been a member of the institute's Halifax chapter since 2002. He became the chapter's treasurer in 2004 and has been on the executive since then.

The CAO was a member of the organizing committee for the recent Public Sector Management Workshop (PSMW) 2010 since the chapter began preparing for the conference over three years ago. As operations manager, officials say he managed everything behind the scenes that ensured the Halifax event ran smoothly.

The Financial Management Institute of Canada is a nationally recognized, not-for-profit volunteer association founded in 1962. It has thousands of members, both within and outside the public sector, working to improve the financial management of all levels of government across the country.

Through a variety of volunteer committees and working groups, the institute delivers an annual program of learning events, seminars, workshops and webinars to its members and non-members.

It is largely run by volunteers with only a few paid staff members across the country.

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