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**For Immediate Release Contact:**

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**(Full Name)Elected as Regional Executive for HFMA’s Region(Region Number)**

(Hometown)–The (Chapter Name)Chapter of the Healthcare Financial Management Association (HFMA) has announced the election of (Regional Executive’s Name), effective June 1, (year).

(He/She) assumes a one-year term representing Region (#) of HFMA, which includes chapters in (list states in region). (Regional Executive’s Name) is one of 11 Regional Executives who will serve HFMA through May 31, (year).

HFMA President and CEO, Joseph J. Fifer, FHFMA, CPA, says, “Because of (his/her) excellent leadership skills, (Regional Executive’s Name) will be an asset to Region (#) as well as the Association. As a member of the Regional Executive Council, (Regional Executive’s Name) will provide guidance on timely issues affecting HFMA’s chapters.”

(Add a paragraph about Regional Executive’s career background and HFMA history.)

The regional executives are involved with:

* Policymaking and maintaining compliance authority over the Davis Chapter Management System (DCMS) and the Founders Merit Award Program
* Monitoring the performance of chapters within the region
* Assisting chapter leaders in serving members
* Convening and organizing meetings of the regional leadership
* Fostering effective communication between HFMA and its chapters
* Expressing the needs and interests of the region’s chapter leaders on the Regional Executive Council to the HFMA Board of Directors and staff

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**About HFMA:**

The [Healthcare Financial Management Association](https://www.hfma.org/about-hfma.html) (HFMA) is the nation's premier membership organization for healthcare finance leaders. HFMA builds and supports coalitions with other healthcare associations and industry groups to achieve consensus on solutions for the challenges the U.S. healthcare system faces today. Working with a broad cross-section of stakeholders, HFMA identifies gaps throughout the healthcare delivery system and bridges them through the establishment and sharing of knowledge and best practices. We help healthcare stakeholders achieve optimal results by creating and providing education, analysis, and practical tools and solutions. Our mission is to lead the financial management of health care.

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