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STATE INSPECTOR GENERAL RE-ELECTED TO ASSOCIATION OF INSPECTORS GENERAL BOARD OF DIRECTORS



The Virginia Office of the State Inspector General (OSIG) is pleased to announce that State Inspector General Michael C. Westfall has been re-elected to serve a three-year term on the Association of Inspectors General (AIG) Board of Directors beginning January 1, 2024.

The AIG is a non-profit membership organization for agencies and professionals in the inspector general community, establishing professional qualifications, standardizing practices, and certifications of Offices of Inspectors General nationwide.

“I’m humbled to continue serving on the Board of Directors, and to represent the Commonwealth in such a role,” said Westfall.

Westfall has previously served on the Board since 2021. Prior to joining OSIG in 2015, Westfall served in several leadership positions, including Chief Audit Executive for the Virginia State Police and Assistant Director and Director of the Chesterfield County Office of Internal Audit, where he oversaw internal audits and hotline investigations for more than 20 years. He began his career as an auditor for the U.S. Department of the Interior Office of Inspector General.

Westfall holds a master’s degree in accountancy from Virginia Commonwealth University and is a Certified Inspector General, a Certified Public Accountant and a Certified Fraud Examiner. He is a member of several professional organizations, including the AIG, Association of Certified Fraud Examiners, Virginia Local Government Auditors Association (VLGAA) and the Association of Local Government Auditors (ALGA). He previously served in leadership roles with ALGA, VLGAA and the Association of Government Accountants.

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