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Ann V. Butterworth is the Assistant to the Comptroller for Public Finance for the Tennessee Comptroller of the Treasury. She is Chairman of Tennessee's Utility Management Review Board and the Water & Wastewater Financing Board. In October 2014 Ann was reappointed the Open Records Counsel for the State of Tennessee. Additionally, she serves as the Comptroller's proxy representative to the Tennessee Housing Development Agency and its Bond Finance and Grant Committees. She is a valuable resource for the Comptroller's Office of State and Local Finance.



Ann began her career with the Comptroller's Office in 1987 as the Director of the Office of Bond Finance. In 2007 she helped establish the Office of Open Records Ombudsman, which became the Office of Open Records Counsel in 2008. She was previously a Tennessee Assistant Attorney General, and worked in private law practice for Bone & Woods in Nashville, TN and Lowndes, Drosdick, Doster, Kantor & Reed in Orlando, FL.

Ann has a long history of service to public and private organizations. She has served as a member of the Metro Nashville Employee Benefits Board, the Metropolitan Nashville Airport Authority, the Metropolitan Nashville Arts Commission, the Nashville Neighborhood Alliance, the Historic Nashville, Inc. Board, and the Board for Davidson Academy.

Ann has also served as a board member of the Women in Public Finance, and the Nashville Chapter of the American Society for Law and Policy. She is the former President of the National Council of State Housing Boards, and Chair of the State Debt Management Network. She also serves on the Nashville Bar Association's State Government Practice Committee.

Ann is a graduate of Duke University, and holds her Juris Doctor from Vanderbilt University School of Law. In her spare time she enjoys cooking, gardening, and exercise. Ann has two grown children.
