



News Release

Comptroller Lierman Appoints Edward F. Wykowski III as Assistant Chief Deputy Comptroller for Revenue Operations

Veteran compliance leader to help drive RevOps transformation and strengthen tax administration

ANNAPOLIS, Md. (May 4, 2026) — Comptroller Brooke E. Lierman today announced the appointment of Edward F. Wykowski III as assistant chief deputy comptroller for Revenue Operations (RevOps), effective mid-June 2026.

In this role, Wykowski will support the strategic leadership of the Revenue Operations office and help advance the agency's ongoing RevOps transformation.

Wykowski brings extensive experience in tax compliance, enforcement, and revenue administration, built over a distinguished career at the Office of the Comptroller of Maryland. He has advanced through successive leadership roles, from assistant manager to manager, assistant director, deputy director and, most recently, director of the Compliance Division, a position he has held since October 2023.

Throughout his tenure, Wykowski has led efforts spanning compliance oversight, tax collection, auditing, regulatory enforcement, business tax collections, and unclaimed property management. Under his leadership, the Compliance Division has pursued innovative approaches to closing Maryland's tax gap, including the launch of a secure

portal enabling Marylanders to report suspected business tax fraud. The tool streamlines internal tracking and strengthens the agency's enforcement capabilities.

Wykowski holds a Bachelor of Arts from the University of Delaware and is a certified Project Management Professional (PMP).

"Ed's deep expertise in tax compliance and his intimate knowledge of this agency make him ideally suited to help lead RevOps into its next chapter," Comptroller Lierman said. "His record of innovation and commitment to equitable, effective tax administration is exactly what this transformation demands. I am confident he will be an outstanding leader in this role."

Effective mid-June, Wykowski will work in close partnership with Chief Deputy Comptroller Erica Roach to advance the RevOps transformation, modernizing operations, strengthening cross-divisional coordination, and building the people, process, and technology infrastructure needed to support the Comptroller's mission.

The Comptroller's Office will conduct a full and open recruitment to fill the director of Compliance position.

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