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GASB Survey on Indicators of Severe Financial Stress.

The Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) is conducting a survey on the effectiveness of financial stress indicators of state and local governments. The survey is intended to gather feedback on the following questions: 1) What criteria might achieve the objective of disclosing severe financial stress uncertainties with respect to governments; 2) What information do financial statement users need with respect to the disclosure of severe financial stress uncertainties; and 3) Are the going concern indicators currently presented in note disclosures appropriate for state and local governments under severe financial stress.

The survey can be accessed <u>here</u> and should be completed no later than Friday, August 5, 2016. If you have any questions, you can contact Amy Shreck of the GASB project team at ashreck@gasb.org. You do not need to complete the entire survey in one session. If you save your responses, you will receive an individualized link that you can use to complete your survey later.

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