

# Greg Hellmold, CPA, CIA, CFE

## Chief, Office of County Investigations

### County of Los Angeles



Greg Hellmold is currently Chief of the Auditor-Controller's Office of County Investigations (OCI) for Los Angeles County, where he is responsible for the administration of the Division's 30 law enforcement professionals and support staff.

OCI administers and operates the Los Angeles County's Fraud Hotline, and conducts criminal and administrative investigations of fraud, waste, and abuse within county government. OCI also operates a computer forensics laboratory and participates on the county's Information Security Committee. Additionally, they operate the Ombuds for Youth in Short-Term Residential Therapeutic Program (STRTP), which serves as a personal rights advocate for youth placed by the Department of Children and Family Services into a STRTP (formerly known as a Group Home).

Mr. Hellmold began his professional career in internal audit with the County of Los Angeles in 1995, as an auditor for the largest county government in the United States. During his distinguished career, he has successfully managed and completed countless fiscal and operational audits, compliance reviews, investigations, and special studies of organizations of varying size and complexity. Mr. Hellmold was also instrumental in developing and implementing a newly formed Countywide Contract Monitoring Division, which improved accountability and the quality of services delivered by county social services contractors.

As a trusted advisor to county executives and elected officials, Mr. Hellmold was called upon and served as the Interim Chief Financial Officer of the Los Angeles Memorial Coliseum & Sports Arena in 2011, following the discovery of multiple fraud schemes being carried out by its executive management. Greg successfully restored financial integrity throughout the organization and managed its fiscal and administrative operations until a new long-term lease agreement took effect with the University of Southern California in 2013.

Mr. Hellmold is a Certified Public Accountant, a Certified Internal Auditor, and a Certified Fraud Examiner. He holds a Bachelor of Science degree in Business Administration with a major in Accounting from California State Polytechnic University in Pomona.