On behalf of the Board of Directors, I wish to extend to you our warmest seasons greeting. Hard to believe how quickly time has passed with Thanksgiving and Christmas approaching.

Our next Member Meeting is set for November 21st at Zaharakos in Columbus. This is a spectacular venue and a wonderful opportunity to bring a guest. Guests may attend one luncheon annually at no charge. Award of C.E. credit is subject to a nominal charge. Please make every effort to reach out to your colleges and other professionals and bring them to our meetings. Be sure to provide the number and name of each guest at the time of your reservation with Kathleen McConahay.

Our meeting dates for the balance of the program year will be on February 20th at the Salt Creek Golf Club in Nashville, and May 21st at the Bloomington Country Club. Please mark your calendar. Speakers and topics will be announced in advance.

If you have not already done so, please renew your membership and payment of dues. Where else can you earn up to eight continuing education credits, network, enjoy delicious meals, and gain expert knowledge for \$125.00? Quite a bargain. Please support your Estate Planning Chapter with your continued membership.

We are actively exploring continuing education topics and looking for speakers. We have potentially two outstanding speakers lined up for February; however, we encourage your suggestions for the May program. Please volunteer. If you have interest in preparing a program and speaking as part of our continuing education program, please contact me at 317-888-1667.

The mission of your Council to provide each member with not only opportunities to network, but with leading edge information and resources. Please share your observations, knowledge, and expertise with your fellow members by submitting articles of interest to Kathleen McConahay. Your participation and contributions are greatly appreciated.

Wish all of you a festive Thanksgiving, a very merry Christmas, happy Hanukkah, and prosperous and blessed new year. Best regards, Dave