
UPCOMING MEMBERS FIRST MEETINGS

Keep informed with this flyer promoting AGC's Members First programs and networking opportunities offered throughout the state. You are encouraged to attend Members First meetings in multiple regions to network with fellow members. For more information, visit our calendar at www.agcga.org or contact L.B. Kinnett at 678-298-4102 or kinnett@agcga.org.



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2022 Legislative Session Results: *The Good, The Bad and The Ugly*

Mark Woodall, AGC Georgia's Director of Governmental Affairs, is visiting with members across the state to share the *good, the bad and the ugly*... and how new laws and regulations from the 2022 legislative session affect you and your company.

A core principle of both AGC Georgia and AGC of America is "less government is better." While we rely heavily on our relationships with our colleagues at the AGC of America for concerns on federal legislation, our chapter staff are on the frontlines all year advocating for pro-business laws and regulations impacting Georgia's commercial construction industry. While we have a pro-active agenda for most sessions, a majority of our resources are spent playing defense against many well-intended proposals that can lead to bad public policy.



This year's session was the second of a two-year legislative process, meaning all bills not making it to the finish line are no longer in play for future sessions. If a sponsor wants a topic to be brought back up for discussion, they would have to go through the process of introducing a new bill.

AGC Georgia had a very successful year, providing meaningful input on behalf of the construction industry as we successfully helped push through pro-construction legislative proposals/measures. Maybe more importantly, we helped stop of bills that could have negatively impacted the construction industry and business community.

Some of the key legislative proposals AGC Georgia was intimately involved in during the 2022 session were:

- **House Bill 910 – Amended 2022 Budget secured \$3.9M for Construction Workforce Development Programs**
- **House Bill 1372 – New Call Before You Dig Requirements**
- **House Bill 435 – Defeated this bill that would have exempted certain contracts secured through Cooperative Purchasing**
- **Senate Bill 438 – New Georgia Public Works Retainage Thresholds/5% for the life of the project**

AGC Georgia would be honored for members to invite friendly competitors or project partners not affiliated with our association to these meetings - registration is on us! This series of regional visits is a great time to show those who are not involved with AGC Georgia what they are missing. If you want to invite someone, please email L.B. Kinnett to arrange for complimentary registration. She can be reached at kinnett@agcga.org.

AGC GEORGIA MEMBERS FIRST MEETINGS

REGISTRATION FORM

Save \$10 by registering online! Visit www.agcga.org and click on "Register for Events."
If registering with this form, please check the box corresponding to the meeting(s) you are attending.

- Central Georgia (Macon)** – Wed., 9/28 at 7:00 am
Anderson Conference Center; 5171 Eisenhower Parkway
Cancellation Deadline: September 22
 - \$40/AGC member registering [with this form](#)
\$30/AGC member registering at agcga.org
\$90/non-AGC member*
- South Georgia (Valdosta)** – Thurs., 9/29 at 7:00 am
Drury Inn & Suites; 1327 N. St. Augustine Road
Cancellation Deadline: September 23
 - \$40/AGC member registering [with this form](#)
\$30/AGC member registering at agcga.org
\$90/non-AGC member*
- West Central Georgia (Columbus)** – Wed., 9/28 at 11:30 am
DoubleTree Hotel; 5351 Sidney Simons Boulevard
Cancellation Deadline: September 22
 - \$45/AGC member registering [with this form](#)
\$35/AGC member registering at agcga.org
\$90/non-AGC member*
- Southwest Georgia (Albany)** – Thurs., 9/29 at 11:30 am
Merry Acres Event Center; 1500 Dawson Road
Cancellation Deadline: September 23
 - \$45/AGC member registering [with this form](#)
\$35/AGC member registering at agcga.org
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- Northeast Georgia (Commerce)** – Wed., 8/31 at 11:30 am
Commerce Civic Center & Tourism Authority; 110 State Street
Cancellation Deadline: August 25
 - \$45/AGC member registering [with this form](#)
\$35/AGC member registering at agcga.org
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- East Georgia (Augusta)** – Wed., 8/24 at 11:30 am
Kroc Center; 1833 Broad Street
Cancellation Deadline: August 18
 - \$45/AGC member registering [with this form](#)
\$35/AGC member registering at agcga.org
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- Southeast Georgia (Savannah)** – Thurs., 8/25 at 11:30 am
Savannah Golf Club; 1661 East President Street
Cancellation Deadline: August 19
 - \$45/AGC member registering [with this form](#)
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***To confirm if your company is a member in good standing and you are eligible for member pricing, please call L.B. Kinnett at 678.298.4102.**

If you prefer to register with this form for a Members First Meeting rather than take advantage of preferred pricing at www.agcga.org, please check the appropriate registration option above and fill out the below fields. We'll send a confirmation via email before the event.

Company Name: _____ Phone: _____

Attendee: _____ Email: _____

**Dietary restrictions: _____ Total Payment Due: \$ _____

Check: Make payable to AGC Georgia; mail with copy of this form to Wells Fargo/AGC Georgia; PO Box 934023, Atlanta; GA 31193-4023

Charge My: AmEx MC Visa Discover

Name on Card: _____ CC# _____ Exp. Date: _____

Regardless of payment method, please use one of the methods below to return this form:

Electronically: On many systems, pressing "Click to Submit" after filling out form will attach file to automated email.

Fax: 678-298-4101

Email: (after manually filling out form): registration@agcga.org

Contact Machell Harper, Director of Member Services with questions at 678.298.4108 or harper@agcga.org.

Cancellation Policy: All cancellations must be received by 5:00 pm on the denoted dates above in order to receive a full refund. No refunds can be made after these dates/times due to food commitments to the respective facilities. Substitutions are encouraged.