



2026 CAPITOL CONNECTION CONFERENCE

MARCH 4-5, 2026

THE AMERICAN HOTEL
ATLANTA/FULTON COUNTY



Join commissioners from all over Georgia for the ACCG Capitol Connection Conference!

- ★ Stay abreast of legislation affecting local governments
- ★ Take an ACCG Lifelong Learning Academy class on Wednesday
- ★ Make appointments to meet and discuss issues with your legislators
- ★ Hear from Governor Brian Kemp (invited), Lt. Governor Burt Jones (invited) and Speaker of the House Jon Burns (confirmed)

Several Registration Options Are Available! Take Advantage of Discount Pricing!

Registration OPTION 1:

FULL Registration (Class AND Full Conference) \$690.00

EARLY BIRD SPECIAL: \$588.00 UNTIL DECEMBER 31

REGULAR REGISTRATION: \$600.00 FROM JANUARY 1 – JANUARY 31

- ★ Includes your choice of 1 Lifelong Learning Academy (LLA) class, Breakfast, and Lunch Wednesday, March 4, The American Hotel Atlanta
- ★ Includes the Opening Reception Wednesday, March 4, The American Hotel Atlanta
- ★ Includes the Legislative Breakfast, Thursday, March 5, The American Hotel Atlanta

Registration OPTION 2:

Legislative Breakfast ONLY (no LLA class; no Opening Reception) \$230.00

EARLY BIRD SPECIAL: \$196.00 UNTIL DECEMBER 31

REGULAR REGISTRATION: \$200.00 FROM JANUARY 1 – JANUARY 31

A good option for those who desire to receive legislative updates without attending the full conference

- ★ Includes the Legislative Breakfast, Thursday, March 5, The American Hotel Atlanta
- ★ Does NOT include a Lifelong Learning Academy (LLA) class, breakfast, nor lunch, Wednesday, March 4
- ★ Does NOT include the Opening Reception, Wednesday, March 4

Registration OPTION 3:

Opening Reception ONLY (no LLA class; no Legislative Breakfast) \$288.00

EARLY BIRD SPECIAL: \$245.00 UNTIL DECEMBER 31

REGULAR REGISTRATION: \$250.00 FROM JANUARY 1 – JANUARY 31

A good option for those who desire to network with other Commissioners without attending the full conference

- ★ Includes the Opening Reception Wednesday, March 4, The American Hotel Atlanta
- ★ Does NOT include a Lifelong Learning Academy (LLA) class, breakfast, nor lunch, Wednesday, March 4
- ★ Does NOT include the Legislative Breakfast, Thursday, March 5

Registration OPTION 4:

Opening Reception AND Legislative Breakfast ONLY (no Class) \$518.00

EARLY BIRD SPECIAL: \$441.00 UNTIL DECEMBER 31

REGULAR REGISTRATION: \$450.00 FROM JANUARY 1 – JANUARY 31

A good option for those who are not taking an LLA class

- ★ Includes the Opening Reception, Wednesday, March 4, The American Hotel Atlanta
- ★ Includes the Legislative Breakfast, Thursday, March 5, The American Hotel Atlanta
- ★ Does NOT include a Lifelong Learning Academy (LLA) class, breakfast, nor lunch, Wednesday, March 4

Registration OPTION 5:

Class ONLY (no Reception; no Legislative Breakfast) \$345.00

EARLY BIRD SPECIAL: \$294.00 UNTIL DECEMBER 31

REGULAR REGISTRATION: \$300.00 FROM JANUARY 1 – JANUARY 31

A good option for those who desire to simply drive in and take a class

- ★ Includes your choice of 1 Lifelong Learning Academy (LLA) class, Breakfast, and Lunch on Wednesday, March 4, The American Hotel Atlanta
- ★ Does NOT include the Opening Reception, Wednesday, March 4
- ★ Does NOT include the Legislative Breakfast, Thursday, March 5

CONFERENCE HOUSING

The designated conference hotel is The American Hotel Atlanta Downtown, Tapestry Collection by Hilton located at 160 Ted Turner Dr NW, Atlanta, GA 30303. Contracted room rates for our reserved ACCG block are \$159.00 per night, plus tax and fees.

- ★ ACCG does not handle hotel reservations. **To reserve your hotel room at the conference rate, please use the link in the confirmation email after registration.**
- ★ If you need to speak to the hotel regarding a reservation, please call **+14046888600**. Be sure to mention you are with our ACCG group.
- ★ Hotel reservations will fill up fast, so plan to make them as soon as you register for the conference.
- ★ The **housing block CUT-OFF is 5:00 PM on Friday, Jan 30**. Rates are guaranteed until this date/time. After this date/time, the negotiated ACCG block rates may not be available.
- ★ For hotel information and directions, please check the hotel's website: <https://www.hilton.com/en/hotels/atlupup-the-american-hotel-atlanta-downtown/>
- ★ Valet parking is available at the hotel at a rate of \$55 per night, per vehicle.

CONFERENCE HIGHLIGHTS

- ★ **Legislative Breakfast with Special Guests** – Invitations have been extended to Governor Brian Kemp, Lt. Governor Burt Jones, and Speaker of the House Jon Burns.
- ★ **Opening Reception** – Join us for a networking reception, 5:00-6:30 p.m. Wednesday, March 4, The American Hotel Atlanta
(NOTE: Commissioners are encouraged to invite their legislators to join us for the Legislative Breakfast and the Opening Reception)

ACCG LIFELONG LEARNING ACADEMY (LLA) EDUCATIONAL CLASSES

All LLA educational classes will take place on Wednesday, March 4, The American Hotel Atlanta

CORE Curriculum

- ★ CORE: ETHICS
- ★ CORE: ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

Specialty Track Classes

- ★ • ST: Managing Meetings (COM)
- ★ • ST: **Understanding the Benefits of Land Use & Planning (ECD)**
- ★ • ST: Navigating L.O.S.T. Without Getting Lost (IR)
- ★ • ST: Voice of Leadership (LD)
- ★ • ST: Transportation Funding: Options & Strategies (RF)

Special Accommodations:

If you need special accommodations, such as a food allergy consideration, please complete the questionnaire during registration or email us at register@accg.org. We will try our best to accommodate based on the options available at The American Hotel Atlanta event space.

ACCG Cancellation/Refund Policy (as adopted by the ACCG Board of Managers)

The cancellation deadline is **Friday, January 31, 2025**. Cancellations received in writing by this date will be entitled to a full refund minus a \$50 administration fee. Cancellations received in writing between **February 1 and February 13, 2025**, will be entitled to a 50% refund. There will be no refunds offered for cancellations received after **February 13, 2025**, unless the participant is able to substantiate a sound reason for the late notification, such as an emergency beyond the participant's control.