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From the President's Desk

Dear Members,

Please allow me to emphasize a very special **Welcome** to all new members and vendors who are just joining our Southeast Governmental Fleet Managers Association. We hope to meet and exceed your expectations by offering a variety of training opportunities while allowing you the privilege to network with some of the finest Fleet Managers from across the Southeast. We are proud to recommend you take a look at our newly restructured website <http://www.SGFMA.org> for the latest information on **SGFMA**, training opportunities and dates, the **2007 Annual Meeting and Registration Information**, or just to familiarize yourself with SGFMA in general.

Our Board of Directors and Committee Members are working daily with enthusiasm and commitment to get all programs in place for the Annual Meeting to be held at the Myrtle Beach Convention Center **October 28th—31st**. Please make your reservations with the Sheraton Myrtle Beach Convention Center Hotel today to assure you get our special room rates and prepare to attend our Annual Meeting event this year. **As a reminder, September 26th, 2007 is the cutoff date for reserving hotel rooms.** We look forward to seeing you there!!!!

I wish to personally say **THANK YOU** to the Board of Directors, the Committee Chairpersons, the Committee Members, and all other Volunteers who are working so tirelessly in an effort to support SGFMA and make this Annual Meeting the best yet. You guys make this special event possible each year thru your continued support and planning. Because of this dedicated support all SGFMA Members experience the benefits of an organization that is second to none!! I am proud to be part of such an outstanding organization with such special people. Keep up the good work!!

Sincerely,
Jimmy Brown, President

2007 Annual Meeting Workshop Schedule

Date/Time	Workshop A	Workshop B	Workshop C
Sunday October 28 th , 2007 3:30 p.m.-5:00 p.m.	SCDHEC Phyllis Copeland		
Monday October 29 th , 2007 10:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.	Daimler Chrysler Motors	General Motors Corporation	Ford Motor Company
Monday October 29 th , 2007 10: a.m.-3:00 p.m.	Hydraulic Troubleshooting	Side Loader Maintenance	Boom Mower Maintenance
Tuesday October 30 th , 2007 8:30 a.m.-10:15 a.m.	Communication & GPS a must	New Age Buses/w New Age Maintenance	Brockwell Hydraulics
Tuesday October 30 th , 2007 10:30 a.m.-11:45 a.m.	New GM Vehicles Service & Tools Update	Allison Transmissions & Special tools	Lighting Technology
Tuesday October 30 th , 2007 1:45 p.m.-3:00 p.m.	Ford Service Ideas & New Tools	Today's Fire Trucks Maintenance & Repair	CCG Systems
Tuesday October 30 th , 2007 3:15 p.m.-4:30 p.m.	Great Maintenance Ideas & Tools	Grease Systems	Caterpillar Software
Wednesday October 31 st , 2007 8:30 a.m.-10:15 a.m.	Why You Need ASE Certified Technicians		

*****UPDATE*****

**SOUTHEAST GOVERNMENTAL FLEET MANAGERS
ANNUAL MEETING
OCTOBER 28 – 31, 2007**

The 2007 Southeast Governmental Fleet Managers Association will hold our Annual Meeting on October 28th – 31st, 2007, once again at the Sheraton Myrtle Beach Convention Center Hotel in Myrtle Beach, SC. We have obtained room rates this year of \$84.00 (plus taxes) per night.

Annual Meeting Registration packets will be mailed soon, but in the mean time, we suggest that you visit the SGFMA web site at www.sgfma.org. Tentative Program and Workshop schedules are included but are subject to change at the discretion of the Board of Directors and Conference Committee. Here is a list of a few of our highlights:

Our annual golf tournament, a special workshop, and our Vendor’s Reception kick off our meeting on Sunday.

Monday will be devoted to our Vendor’s Exhibits, Equipment Show, and the “Big Three Auto Maker” presentations. All of these will be held inside the spacious Convention Center. There will also be three Mini-Workshops during the day. Lunch will be provided inside the Exhibit Hall and many very nice door prizes will be given away during our Vendor’s Day.

Tuesday there will be numerous workshops and technical sessions as well as our Business Luncheon, which includes Officer Elections, Committee Reports and State Awards. Tuesday evening ends with our Annual Banquet where the SGFMA Scholarships, Awards, Recognitions and introduction of new Officers will take place. Entertainment will also be provided.

We close our Annual Meeting on Wednesday morning with a very informative Workshop, Closing Remarks and Door Prize giveaway.

You will not want to miss a single minute of our Annual Meeting so make your plans now to be at the Sheraton Myrtle Beach Convention Center Hotel, October 28th – 31st, 2007. For more information on how you can be a part of our Annual Meeting please contact:

- Special Consultant/PR – Jan Smoak – 803-448-8623 smoakjm@yahoo.com
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Board Vacancies...

- The Nominating Committee Reports that we will have nine positions on the Southeast Governmental Fleet Managers Board for 2008 that will need to be filled:
1. President
 2. Vice-President
 3. Secretary
 4. Treasurer
 5. Region II ---- Bamberg, Beaufort, Berkeley, Charleston, Colleton, Dorchester, Hampton, Jasper, and Orangeburg Counties in South Carolina.
 6. Region IV---- Anderson, Cherokee, Chester, Greenville, Oconee, Pickens, Spartanburg, Union, and York Counties in South Carolina.
 7. Region V---- Chesterfield, Darlington, Dillon, Florence, Georgetown, Horry, Marion, Marlboro, and Williamsburg Counties in South Carolina.
 8. Director-at- Large
 9. Director-at- Large

Southeast Governmental Fleet Managers Annual Meeting

Tentative 2007 Event Agenda & Schedule

Sunday, October 28, 2007

8:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.	Golf Tournament
3:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.	Registration Welcome Refreshments
3:30 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.	Workshop: Phyllis Copeland SCDHEC
7:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m.	Vendor Reception / Golf Awards
10:00 p.m. to 12:00 a.m.	Hospitality Room

Monday, October 29, 2007

6:00 a.m. to 8:00 a.m.	Breakfast – On Your Own
7:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.	Registration
8:00 a.m. to 9:45 a.m.	Opening Remarks: Quinton Chavis
9:45 a.m. to 10:00 a.m.	Break
10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.	Vendor Exhibit Opens/Big Three Auto Maker Presentation -
11:30 p.m. to 12:30 p.m.	Vendor's Luncheon
3:15 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.	City/County – State Round Table Discussions
6:00 p.m.	Dinner on Your Own
9:00 p.m. to 12:00 a.m.	Hospitality Room

Tuesday, October 30, 2007

7:00 a.m. to 8:15 a.m.	Breakfast – On Your Own
7:00 a.m. to 8:15 a.m.	Prayer Breakfast
8:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.	Registration
8:30 a.m. to 10:15 a.m.	Workshops (Reference Workshop Schedule for Details)
10:45 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.	Break
10:30 a.m. to 11:45 a.m.	Workshops (Reference Workshop Schedule for Details)
12:00 p.m. to 1:30 p.m.	Business Luncheon
1:45 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.	Workshops (Reference Workshop Schedule for Details)
3:00 p.m. to 3:15 p.m.	Break
3:15 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.	Workshops (Reference Workshop Schedule for Details)
6:30 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.	Banquet
10:00 p.m. to 12:00 a.m.	Hospitality Room

Wednesday, October 31, 2007

7:00 a.m. to 8:30 a.m.	Breakfast – On Your Own
8:30 a.m. to 10:15 a.m.	Speaker (ASE Representative)
10:45 a.m. to 11:30 p.m.	Closing Remarks / Door Prizes

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