

GEORGIA ASSOCIATION OF HOUSING AND REDEVELOPMENT AUTHORITIES

PRESENTS

STEWARDS OF THE PUBLIC TRUST

**2022 GAHRA
COMMISSIONERS RETREAT
July 25-27, 2022
Jekyll Island, Georgia**



The Westin Jekyll Island
110 Ocean Way
Jekyll Island, GA 31527

**YOU DON'T WANT TO MISS THIS!
COME AND JOIN US FOR THE
2022 RETREAT FOR COMMISSIONERS**

STEWARDS OF THE PUBLIC TRUST

We are Back! The conference will be held on Jekyll Island, and the host hotel will again be The Westin Jekyll Island.

The Commissioner's fiduciary responsibility: duty of care, duty of loyalty, duty of obedience along with taking a closer look at Conflict of Interests and Ethical Behavior will be this year's focus. This is a perfect opportunity to get away from it all and join your many fellow Commissioners. Attendees represent all sizes of PHA's and serve throughout the state of Georgia. We will be having some great training that is tailored just for you.

So come join us on Jekyll Island and get the most up-to-date training. We have an outstanding content expert that will be facilitating these sessions. Senior District Attorney, Cheryl Banks Hightower, with the Dublin Judicial Circuit will be our guest presenter with an agenda that has especially been planned with you in mind.

Register today for this exciting event on Jekyll Island brought to you by GAHRA.

DON'T MISS OUT ON THIS RETREAT

2022 RETREAT SCHEDULE

<u>Date</u>	<u>Day</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Activity</u>
July 25 TH	Monday	2:00pm – 6:00pm	Registration

DINNER ON YOUR OWN/ ENJOY THE ISLAND

July 26 th	Tuesday	7:00am – 8:30am	Registration
		7:00am – 8:15am	Breakfast Buffet
		8:30am – 9:15am	Opening Session
		9:30am – 12:00pm	General Session
		10:15am – 10:30am	Coffee Break
		12:00pm – 1:00pm	Lunch
		1:15pm – 4:00pm	General Session
		3:00pm – 3:15pm	Break
July 27 th	Wednesday	3:15pm – 4:30pm	General Session
		6:30pm – 10:00pm	Evening Dinner & Dance
		7:00am – 8:30am	Breakfast Buffet
		8:45am – 11:45pm	Training Session
		10:15am – 10:30am	Coffee Break

12:00pm

GRAND PRIZE DRAWING



Conference Registration Information

Registration will END on June 27, 2022.

Attendees must register online at the GAHRA website. **NO PAPER registration forms, or on-site registrations will be available.** Commissioners should seek assistance from your Housing Authority if necessary, to complete this online registration. Once registered online, payment can be made online or a check can be mailed to GAHRA. Make sure your online registration indicates which form of payment you will be making, credit card or by check only.

The registration fee for the 2022 Commissioner's Retreat is \$400.00 for each participant. If your spouse or significant other (guest) wishes to enjoy the social functions only, their fee will be \$200.00. The Guest Fee will cover the cost of all meals and social dinner and must be paid at the time of registration.

SUBSTITUTIONS AND REFUNDS: Substitutions for any registered participants may be made before July 21, 2022. Refunds will be made for registration cancellations if the notice of cancellation is received in writing or email no later than 5:00pm on July 8, 2022. Email substitutions and cancellations to Jake Oglesby at joglesby@augustapha.org. **THERE WILL BE A \$50.00 CANCELLATION FEE THAT HAS BEEN SET BY GAHRA.**



NO COMMISSIONERS MAY REGISTER AS A GUEST AND ALL GUEST REGISTRATIONS MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY A COMMISSIONER'S REGISTRATION.

HOTEL ACCOMMODATIONS

ROOM BLOCK RESERVATION CUT OFF WILL END JUNE 27, 2022

To make overnight room reservations, please call **1-912-635-4545, Option 1**
When you make your call, ask for GAHRA 2022 for the dates of July 25-27, 2022.

You will find the information for your online reservation at the link below. If you have questions or need help with the link, please do not hesitate to ask.

Here is your reservation link to make online reservations: **(You may have to hold down your “Ctrl” then click on the link)**

[Book your group rate for GAHRA 2022](#)

Below you will find your room types for your selection of accommodations:

<u>Room Type</u>	<u>Daily room rate</u>
Island View	\$239.00*
Partial Ocean View	\$249.00 *
Ocean View	\$269.00 *
Ocean Front	\$289.00 *

*Rates are not commissionable and do not include applicable taxes, currently 11%, or the following automatic or mandatory charges (e.g., resort charges); Resort Charge of \$20.00 and Georgia Hotel Fee of \$5.00 per room per night. No automatic or mandatory charges are tips, gratuities, or service charges for employees, unless otherwise expressly stated. Please note that the resort charges an additional \$25.00 each for the 3rd and 4th guests sharing a room (excluding children under 18).

(DON'T FORGET TO BRING YOUR STATE TAX-EXEMPT FORM AND A HOTEL/MOTEL TAX-EXEMPT FORM FOR THE TAXES NOTED ABOVE. THE \$5.00 PER NIGHT HOTEL FEE WILL REMAIN. YOU MUST HAVE A HOUSING AUTHORITY CHECK OR CREDIT CARD TO RECEIVE THE TAX EXEMPTIONS)

ROOMS WILL GO FAST SO BOOK YOUR ROOM TODAY IF POSSIBLE.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION NEEDS

If you require any additional information regarding your reservations, please contact **Reta Thomas at (706)312-3105** or by email at rthomas@augustapha.org

*****CHECK ROOM ACCESSIBILITY WHEN MAKING RESERVATIONS*****

**GAHRA COMMISSIONERS RETREAT
WESTIN JEKYLL ISLAND
JEKYLL ISLAND, GA
JULY 25-27, 2022**

INSTRUCTIONS:

1. All registrations are now to be completed on the GAHRA website. Using the website enables conference staff to make use of their time more efficiently. So please use the website.
2. Go to <https://www.gahra.org/2022-commissioners-retreat/> to get all the registration information you will need for this conference. Once you are logged in to the GAHRA website, click on the link, you will find the Conference Information download and the online Registration link.
3. You will be able to use a credit card immediately upon registration or if you choose to pay by check, make sure you check that box and complete your registration. You should receive an immediate email confirming your registration.
4. If you pay by check, the full amount must accompany your registration form printed off at the time of your online registration. Send your payment made payable to **GAHRA** along with the registration form to:

GAHRA
ATTN: Jake Oglesby
Augusta Housing Authority
1435 Walton Way
Augusta, Georgia 30901

5. Refunds will be made for registration cancellations if the notice of cancellation is received in writing or by email no later than 5:00pm on July 8, 2022. Mail or email cancellation requests to Jake Oglesby at joglesby@augustapha.org. **THERE WILL BE A \$50.00 CANCELLATION FEE THAT HAS BEEN SET BY GAHRA.**
6. The deadline for all registrations will be Monday, June 27, 2022.
7. If you have any questions concerning registration, please contact Jake Oglesby at:
Phone: (706) 312-3158 or by email: joglesby@augustapha.org