

ALPHA PHI ALPHA FRATERNITY, INC.®

GEORGIA DISTRICT ASSOCIATION
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To the Men of the Distinction of the Georgia District,

In accordance with *Section 8, Articles 8.1 and 8.2* of our District Constitution, I hereby issue the call for Brothers to assemble at the Augusta Marriott Hotel and Suites at the Convention Center for the 70th Annual | 85th Anniversary Georgia District Conference, during the weekend of 13-15 November 2025. Your weekend hosts, the Alpha Chi Lambda Chapter (Augusta), and the Eta Alpha chapter (Paine College/Augusta State University), and co – host the Tau Epsilon Lambda Chapter (Columbia County).

We convene for the 70th time in our stellar history under the theme **"The Georgia District - Forged in Unity; Powered by Brotherhood; Mission Driven by Purpose."** Even in these challenging times, it is imperative that this august body remains united and focused on the Mission of our dear Fraternity.

The executive team's goal is to inspire the ambition among our brothers—encouraging each of you to set bold goals, pursue excellence, and help the Georgia District reach its highest potential. Our local hosts have assured us that you'll leave with lasting smiles and cherished memories. My personal request is that you allow the *"true spirit of fraternity"* to rule your heart and guide your thoughts, while shaking hands, exchanging greetings, and building meaningful connections with as many brothers as possible.

Our business sessions and workshops are thoughtfully designed to educate, empower, and strengthen your fraternal spirit. Our 6th District Director, Brother **Chester A. Wheeler**, will keynote our Fraternal Luncheon on Friday afternoon, *and* the Step Show on Friday evening will feature our talented college brothers with energetic performances. Saturday morning will begin with the Life Membership breakfast keynoted by the Rev. **Dr. Lester A. McCorn**, the President of Paine College. During the 2nd business session, we will hear the State of our Region address from our esteemed Regional Vice President, Brother **Mathew S. Bradford** and the Regional College Brothers Report from Assistant Vice President Brother **Devonte Rolle**. The afternoon sessions will feature the *College Brother Luncheon*, finals of the *Belford V. Lawson Oratorical* competition, the finals of the *Collegiate Scholars Bowl* and the *Awards Recognition* program. The convention will culminate on Saturday night following the *Miss Old Gold and Black Scholarship Pageant*.

I humbly request that you support the efforts of the Local Chapters by purchasing an advertisement in the Convention journal. Ad prices are \$200.00 *Full page*, \$100.00 *half page*, \$75.00 *quarter page* and \$50.00 *business card size*. Weekend events planned include a Brotherhood Smoke and additional social events. Contact local Convention Chair Brother Marvin Jones at GA70Convention@gmail.com for additional information.

To register for the convention as a non - delegate please visit the [Georgia District Website](http://GeorgiaDistrictWebsite.com). The conference room rate is **\$169.00** plus taxes, this rate is only guaranteed until **30th October 2025**. Click to [Reserve your Room](#).

I look forward to shaking hands and exchanging greetings with you in Augusta.

Remain Mission Focused Brothers!

Brother James W. Ford II
District Director

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CONFERENCE JOURNAL ADS

Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Inc., a non-profit organization, with chapters across the United States, Europe, the Caribbean and Africa, has a 119-year history of civic involvement, outstanding achievement and distinguished leadership. Since its first convention in 1956, the Georgia District Association, has stayed true to Alpha Phi Alpha's mission of Service, Scholarship, Leadership and Advocacy.

During the weekend of November 13 – 15, 2025, over 500 members from the State of Georgia, representing more than 48 chapters will gather at the Augusta Marriott Hotel and Suites at the Convention Center for the 70th Annual, 85th Anniversary Georgia District Conference.

We are soliciting **your** support, by humbly requesting that you purchase an advertisement to be placed in the souvenir program booklet, which will be distributed to the over 500 Brothers who will be in attendance and viewed by the over 3,000 Brothers located throughout the Georgia District. Advertisement prices are listed below:

*Full Page ad	\$200.00
*One-half Page ad	\$100.00
*One-fourth Page ad	\$ 75.00
*Business Cards	\$ 50.00

Because of **your** support for educational activities, we believe that we can count on you to help us make a difference in the lives of the youth we serve by agreeing to purchase an advertisement that will be displayed in our 70th Annual, 85th Anniversary Georgia District Conference program booklet and slide presentation.

We thank you in advance for supporting us in this endeavor and for submitting your camera-ready advertisement to GA70Convention@gmail.com prior to our **15-Oct-2025** deadline. There are several methods to purchase advertisements:

- CashApp – Foundation \$phwaring
- Checks – payable to the **Phil H. Waring Memorial Education Foundation** sent to P. O. Box 16534 Augusta, Georgia 30919-1653.
- Online – <https://givebutter.com/70thAnnualConference> or Scanning the QR Code

Feel free to contact me at GA70Convention@gmail.com with any questions.

Sincerely,

Marvin M. Jones
Local Convention Chairman



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