

# Thursday, August 23

7:30 – 8:30 A.M.

## County Agents Kitchen Breakfast

BALLROOMS ABCDE – LOBBY LEVEL

8:30 – 11:45 A.M.

## Breakout Sessions

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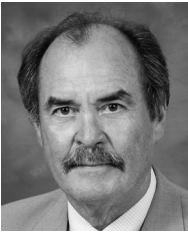
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11:45 A.M. – 1:15 P.M.

## Convention Luncheon Honoring ACCA 2017-2018 President Steve McKinnon

BALLROOMS ABCDE – LOBBY LEVEL

Hon. Tony Cherry, ACCA President-Elect, Presiding

*Sponsored by Alabama Power Company*

1:30 – 3:15 P.M.

## Afternoon General Session

BALLROOMS ABCDE – LOBBY LEVEL

Hon. David Money, ACCA Vice President, Presiding



1:30 P.M.

### **ACCA 90th Convention: Where We're Going**

Hon. Rhondel Rhone, 2006-2007 ACCA President

*Our past, present and future as an Association have always rested in the hands of the membership. For the ACCA founders, today's men and women, and every public servant in between, successful leadership has never stopped at the county line. During this session, we will honor the many commissioners who generously give their time, talents and influence for the betterment of all 67 counties.*

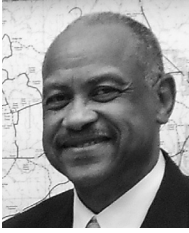


2:00 P.M.

### **Report from North Jackson Street**

Sonny Brasfield, ACCA Executive Director

*Communication and education are critical aspects to speaking with ONE Voice and effectively moving county government forward. During this session, our executive director will provide an account of the Association's accomplishments from the previous 12 months and outline priorities for the coming year.*



2:30 P.M.

### **ACCA Awards Ceremony**

Hon. Allin Whittle, ACCA Awards Committee Chair, Presiding

*This is our moment as the county family to join together in recognition of the many achievements that have occurred over the past year. We will honor the memory and service of commissioners who have passed away, and we will recognize the outstanding leadership and educational achievements of commissioners and county staff, along with excellent county services.*

3:15 P.M.

### **Break**

3:30 – 4:45 P.M.

### **ACCA Business Session**

GRAND REEF – BEACH LEVEL

Hon. Steve McKinnon, ACCA President, Presiding

- Roll Call
- Report of the Resolutions Committee
- ACCA Affiliate Reports
- District Caucuses for the ACCA Board Election
- Caucus Reports
- Report of the Nominating Committee
- Other Business



ACCA  
90th  
Convention & Celebration

5:30 – 6:30 P.M.

**Photo Hour and Unveiling of Walking History Exhibit**

GRAND BALLROOM FOYER – LOBBY LEVEL

6:30 P.M.

**President's Banquet and 90th Anniversary Gala**

BALLROOMS ABCDE – LOBBY LEVEL

Hon. David Money, ACCA President-Elect, Presiding  
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*Sponsored by NCIC (Emerald Sponsor), Truckworx and Webb & Eley P.C. (Ruby Sponsors) and Halcyon Group at Morgan Stanley; Stifel, Merchant Capital Division and Avenu/RDS (Pearl Sponsors)*

6:30 P.M.

**President's Banquet**

*Introduction of Gala Sponsors  
Inaugural Address of Hon. Tony Cherry,  
2018-2019 ACCA President*

8:30 P.M.

**90th Anniversary Gala Entertainment – The Maxx**



**THE MAXX**

*Authentic Funk/Soul*

An ACCA favorite returns for 2018! The Maxx brings it all – a full horn section, high-energy choreography and musical precision – to the best classic soul funk songs of the past 50 years.

# Commissioners Breakout

8:30 – 11:45 A.M.

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Hon. David Money, ACCA Vice President, Presiding

*Commissioners will begin in joint breakout session with Engineers.*

8:30 A.M.

### ALDOT Update

Ed Phillips, Local Transportation Bureau Chief, Alabama  
Department of Transportation

9:00 A.M.

### National Leadership on the County Level

Kevan Stone, Executive Director, National Association  
of County Engineers

9:30 A.M.

### Evidence for Infrastructure: County Data Collection Efforts

Josh Harvill, Engineer, Chambers County  
Richie Beyer, Chief Engineer & Operations Officer, Elmore County

10:00 A.M.

### Break

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Commissioners will be joined by Administrators.*

10:15 A.M.

### Revising Alabama's Ethics Law

Sonny Brasfield, ACCA Executive Director

10:30 A.M.

### What You Need to Know: Dangerous Dogs

Terri Reynolds, ACCA Legislative Counsel

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### Taxing the Internet: Recent Supreme Court Ruling and Implications for Alabama

Joe Garrett, Deputy Commissioner, Alabama Department of Revenue

11:15 A.M.

### Examiners Report

Rachel Riddle, Chief Examiner, Alabama Department of  
Examiners of Public Accounts

# Administrators Breakout



8:30 – 11:45 A.M.

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NIGHT REEF – BEACH LEVEL

David Smyth, ACCA First Vice President, Presiding

8:30 A.M.

### Working with Amendment 4

Terri Reynolds, ACCA Legislative Counsel

9:00 A.M.

### Calendar of Events Project Update

Morgan Arrington, ACCA General Counsel

9:30 A.M.

### New Administrators: Utilizing the ACCA

Jeannie Gaines, ACCA Public Relations Manager

10:00 A.M.

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### Changes to the Board of Licensure for Professional Engineers

Griffin Pritchard, Public Information Specialist, Alabama Board  
of Licensure for Professional Engineers and Land Surveyors

10:45 A.M.

### Speaking to Legislators about Road Legislation

Chase Cobb, ACCA Governmental Affairs Manager

11:15 A.M.

### Promoting Your Road Department: How to Create Project Spotlights

Eric Hill, Engineer, Lauderdale County  
Houston Matthews, Assistant Engineer, Madison County  
Bob Pirando, Engineer, Marshall County

# Emergency Managers Breakout



8:30 – 11:45 A.M.

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BALLROOM FGH – LOBBY LEVEL

Gordon Sandlin, AAND President, Presiding

*Emergency Managers will begin in joint session with 9-1-1 Personnel.*

8:30 A.M.

### Taking Steps Forward with the GIS System

Adam Brown, Deputy Director, Alabama 9-1-1 Board

9:00 A.M.

### 9-1-1 and EMA Communication During a Disaster

Melissa Carpenter, 9-1-1 Director, Autauga County

Ernie Baggett, EMA Director, Autauga County

Jessie Peacock, EMA Director, Baldwin County

Becky Neugent, 9-1-1 Director, Clarke County

Roy Waite, EMA Director, Clarke County

10:00 A.M.

### Break

*\*At the break, 9-1-1 Personnel will move to Sand Castle II – Lobby Level.*

Bob Franklin, AAEM President, Presiding

10:15 A.M.

### Organizing Volunteers and Assets for Disaster

Brooke Mills, Disaster Preparedness & Response Director,  
Serve Alabama

Jonathan Gaddy, EMA Director, Calhoun County

10:45 A.M.

### Shelter Openings and Closings

Scott Wallace, Shelter & Training Coordinator, Baldwin County EMA

Mike Evans, Deputy Director, Mobile County EMA

11:15 A.M.

### NWS News and Updates

John DeBlock, Warning Coordination Meteorologist, National  
Weather Service – Birmingham



# 9-1-1 Breakout

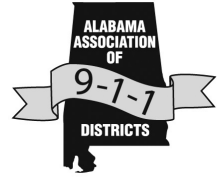
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### State and Federal Legislative Update

Abby Luker Fitzpatrick, ACCA Director of Communication and Engagement

10:30 A.M.

### Alabama 9-1-1 Board Update and ANGEN Report

Leah Missildine, Executive Director, Alabama 9-1-1 Board

11:00 A.M.

### Managing Stress in the Workplace

Jan Jones, Professional Speaker and Training Specialist, Jan Jones Professional Development

# Revenue Breakout



8:30 – 11:45 A.M.

## Revenue Breakout

SAND DOLLAR – LOBBY LEVEL

Kim Creech, CROAA President, Presiding

8:30 A.M.

### Opening Remarks

Vernon Barnett, Commissioner, Alabama Department of Revenue

8:45 A.M.

### Over the Years: A Timeline of the Simplified Sellers Use Tax

Sonny Brasfield, ACCA Executive Director

9:20 A.M.

### What *South Dakota v. Wayfair* Means for Alabama

Joe Garrett, Deputy Commissioner, Alabama Department of Revenue

10:00 A.M.

### Break

10:15 A.M.

### State Update: Wholesale to Retail Accountability Program & Single Point of Filing for Motor Fuel Taxes

Randy Winkler, Sales & Use Tax Division Director, Alabama Department of Revenue

10:50 A.M.

### Changes to Refunds

David Avery, Deputy Counsel, Alabama Department of Revenue

11:25 A.M.

### Open Discussion: Growing CROAA's Membership

Kim Creech, CROAA President

Amy Beard, CROAA Education Committee Chair

Pat Ross, CROAA Membership & Marketing Committee Chair

Terri Reynolds, ACCA Legislative Counsel

Abby Luker Fitzpatrick, ACCA Director of Communication and Engagement