



SEAFMA

78TH OCTOBER 12-16
ANNUAL CONFERENCE

Sponsor & Exhibitor Opportunities

On behalf of the Southeastern Association of Fish & Wildlife Agencies (SEAFWA), we invite you to participate as a sponsor or exhibitor! The **2024 Annual Meeting will be held October 12 - 16, 2024** at the Augusta Marriott at the Convention Center in Augusta, Georgia. *We hope you will be able to join us!*

ABOUT THE CONFERENCE

The Annual Conference of the Southeastern Association of Fish and Wildlife Agencies is a forum for the exchange of ideas and critical information regarding the management and protection of fish and wildlife resources primarily in the southeast. The conference attracts over 500 representatives from state and federal agencies, citizen's organizations, universities, and private wildlife research groups, fisheries and wildlife scientists, agency enforcement personnel, and other natural resource-related organizations.

ABOUT SEAFWA

The Southeastern Association of Fish & Wildlife Agencies (SEAFWA) is an organization whose members are the state agencies with primary responsibility for management and protection of the fish and wildlife resources in 15 states, Puerto Rico and the U.S. Virgin Islands. Member states are Alabama, Arkansas, Florida, Georgia, Kentucky, Louisiana, Mississippi, Missouri, North Carolina, Oklahoma, South Carolina, Tennessee, Texas, Virginia, and West Virginia.

LOCATION & LODGING

Overnight accommodations are available at the **Augusta Marriott** (2 10th St, Augusta, GA 30901) for a discounted rate of \$175/night plus 14% tax plus \$5.00 City Tourism Fee. Reservations at that rate will be available until <u>September 20, 2024</u>, or until the SEAFWA group block is full; whichever occurs first. <u>Click here</u> to reserve online.

SCHEDULE AT-A-GLANCE

Preliminary & subject to change.

Saturday, October 12

4:00 PM - 7:00 PM Conference Registration

Sunday, October 13

8:00 AM - 6:00 PM Conference Registration

12:00 PM - 1:00 PM Fisheries Administrators' Lunch∗

12:00 PM - 5:00 PM **Exhibitor Set-up**

4:00 PM - 5:00 PM Student/Professional Meet & Greet

5:30 PM - 7:30 PM Welcome Social ★

Monday, October 14

7:00 AM - 5:00 PM Conference Registration

7:00 AM - 8:00 AM Directors' Breakfast (invite only)*

7:00 AM - 8:30 AM Breakfast with Exhibitors

8:30 AM - 11:30 AM Plenary Session

12:00 PM - 1:00 PM Directors' Lunch (invite only) ★

12:00 PM - 1:00 PM Student Professional Networking Lunch★

12:00 PM - 1:00 PM Wildlife Administrators Lunch★

1:00 PM - 5:00 PM **Technical Sessions**

5:00 PM - 6:00 PM Poster Session & Exhibitor Social

5:00 PM - 6:00 PM Women in Conservation Reception ★

Tuesday, October 15

7:00 AM - 5:00 PM Conference Registration

7:00 AM - 8:00 AM Directors' Breakfast (invite only)*

7:00 AM - 8:30 AM Breakfast with Exhibitors

8:00 AM - 5:00 PM **Technical Sessions**

12:00 PM - 1:00 PM Directors' Lunch (invite only) ★

Technical Sessions

6:00 PM - 7:00 PM Cocktail Reception 7:00 PM - 9:30 PM Awards Banquet*

Wednesday, October 16

7:00 AM - 10:00 AM Conference Registration
7:00 AM - 8:30 AM Breakfast with Exhibitors

★Indicates sponsor opportunity

8:00 AM - 12:00 PM

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Pricing & Benefits	Diamond Level \$20,000	Platinum Level \$10,000	Gold Level \$5,000	Silver Level \$3,000	Bronze Level \$1,500	Exhibitor Level \$1,000
Exclusive Sponsor of the Sunday Welcome Social	✓					
Student Scholarships	4					
Make brief remarks at the track of your choice	✓	✓				
Verbal recognition	Plenary Session & Banquet	Plenary Session & Banquet	Plenary Session	Plenary Session		
Logo placement: signage and conference app	Prominent placement	Prominent placement	✓	✓	✓	
Logo placement: web	Logo & link to your site	Logo & link to your site	Logo & link to your site	✓	✓	
Large sponsor thank you sign with prominent placement	Prominent placement	Prominent placement	✓	✓	✓	
Exhibit space (6' skirted table, a \$1,000 value)	Double space in premium location	Double space in premium location	✓	✓	✓	✓
Complimentary conference registrations (includes meals and sessions)	5	3	3	2	1	1
Attendee mailing list (post-conference)	✓	√	✓	✓	✓	
Company listing in conference mobile app	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓

Exhibit Space

Display space includes a 6' skirted table and chair, and one complimentary conference registration. Space will be assigned on a first paid, first served basis. Power & internet for space is not included in the fee and will be available for an additional charge. A form to order power will be sent with the Exhibitor Guide in early-September. See the schedule at-a-glance on page 1 for set-up, tear-down and exhibit hours.

QUESTIONS ABOUT EXHIBITING OR SPONSORING?

Contact Karen Forbes (802) 865-5202 / <u>Karen@delaneymeetingevent.com</u>



Directors' Meals Sponsorships

Directors' Retreat - \$3,000

Recognition will include: logo placement on web, hosted event and on signage, company listing in app, and 2 complimentary registrations (include meals and sessions).

Directors' Meals (Breakfast or Lunch, Monday or Tuesday) - \$3,000 each

Recognition will include: logo placement on web, hosted event and on signage, company listing in app, and 1 complimentary registration (include meals and sessions).

Special Event Sponsorships

Law Enforcement Awards Lunch (Tuesday) - \$3,000

Recognition will include: logo placement on web, hosted event and on signage, company listing in app, and 1 complimentary registration (include meals and sessions).

Awards Banquet (Tuesday) - \$2,500

(multiple opportunities available)

Recognition will include: logo placement on web, hosted event and on signage, and 2 complimentary registrations (include meals and sessions).

Welcome Social (Sunday) - \$2,000

(multiple opportunities available)

Recognition will include: logo placement on web, hosted event and on signage, company listing in app, and 1 complimentary registration (include meals and sessions).

Fisheries Administrators Lunch (Sunday) - \$2,000

Recognition will include: logo placement on web, hosted event and on signage, company listing in app, and 1 complimentary registration (include meals and sessions).

Wildlife Administrators Lunch (Monday) - \$2,000

Recognition will include: logo placement on web, hosted event and on signage, company listing in app, and 1 complimentary registration (include meals and sessions).

Women in Conservation Reception (Monday) - \$1,500

Recognition will include: logo placement on web, hosted event and on signage, company listing in app, and 2 complimentary registrations (include meals and sessions).

Special Event Sponsorships (continued)

Hospitality Suite - \$1,500 each

(multiple opportunities available - one sponsor per evening Sunday-Tuesday, Directors Suite or Law Enforcement Suite)

Recognition will include: logo placement on web, hosted event and on signage, and company listing in app.

Student Professional Networking Lunch (Monday) - \$1,000 (multiple opportunities available)

Recognition will include: logo placement on web, hosted event and on signage, company listing in app, and 1 complimentary registration (include meals and sessions).

Breakfasts and Breaks - \$750 each

(multiple opportunities available)

Recognition will include: logo placement on web, hosted event and on signage, company listing in app.

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