South Carolina School Boards Association

REGIONAL ADVOCACY



SCSBA is hitting the road

im September and early October to visit with school board members in four regional statewide meetings to talk about advocacy and the importance of school board voices in the state legislative process.

While SCSBA staff presents the policy agenda of the collective school boards in the state, our influence is only as strong as the relationships school board members and school boards have with their lawmakers back home.

So, please mark your calendar and plan to join us for interactive, advocacyfocused conversations on the following:

- changing the legislative landscape and the influence of politics on education policy
- the current level of school boards' influence in setting state public education policy
- your ideas for strengthening school board advocacy efforts with lawmakers

Boardmanship Institute:

Participating board members will receive 5 points and 2 hours of SCSBA Boardmanship Institute credit.

Wednesday, Sept. 21 | Region: Lowcountry

Registration deadline: Tuesday, September 13

Lowcountry Conference Center (adjacent to the Hilton Garden Inn/ Homewood Suites Summerville) • 406 Sigma Drive, Summerville, SC 29486

Wednesday, Sept. 28 | Region: Upstate

Registration deadline: Tuesday, September 20

1881 Event Hall (adjacent to the Hilton Garden Inn) • 805 Spartan Boulevard, Spartanburg, SC 29301

Thursday, Sept. 29 | Region: Midlands

Registration deadline: Wednesday, Sept. 21

Doko Manor • 100 Alvina Haygood Circle, Blythewood, SC 29016

Wednesday, Oct. 5 | Region: Pee Dee

Registration deadline: Tuesday, Sept. 27

Florence Center • 3300 W Radio Drive, Florence, SC 29501

Registration: The registration fee, which includes a boxed dinner, is \$55 per person. School board members must register through their board secretary in order to prevent duplicate registrations, invoicing and credit card charges. Associate members must register through their company's contact assigned by SCSBA. Registrations by individual members are not accepted.

The South Carolina School Boards Association is a non-profit, statewide professional organization for the state's 73 locally elected/appointed school boards and serves as a voice for public schools.