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Hello everyone! I hope all of you are having a fantastic 2016! Our Spring Conference is upon us and I am excited to announce that it will be held on April 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> at the beautiful Lake Blackshear! GABTO has been given a room rate of \$109.00 per night (plus a \$7.00 per day daily resort fee) at the Lake Blackshear Resort and Golf Club. We have a block of 70 rooms reserved, and I anticipate they will go fast. You can make reservations by calling 800-459-1230; be sure you let them know you are with the GABTO conference and you will use reservation code #250280.

Registration received after March 10, 2016 will be required to pay the late fee and we will not be able to accept any registration after March 30, 2016. Please understand that these deadlines are to ensure a successful conference for every attendee. The conference fee will be \$100.00 and will include breakfast and lunch on Monday and Tuesday and any training materials. **Also, please be aware that the room block will only be held until March 4, 2016.**

I am even more excited to announce what's on the agenda! We will have a full day of alcohol law discussion (i.e. O.C.G.A. Title 3), which will include a panel of experts, attorney Michael Sard and David Dyal from Sard & Leff, and Wright Banks of the Georgia Attorney General's Office. We also have on the agenda The Georgia Secretary of State's Office Professional Licensing Division, The Department of Agriculture, and an attorney with the Association County Commissioners of Georgia (SAVE & E-Verify). **You are strongly encouraged to bring your jurisdiction's Code of Ordinances with you.**

I am attaching the conference registration form. Please complete and return to Jim Cox by the previously stated deadlines. If you have not paid your 2016 membership dues, there is space on the registration form to pay them along with your conference fees. And be sure to reserve your room as soon as possible!

Can't wait to see everyone!

Sincerely,  
*Ellisia Webb*  
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**Georgia Association of Business Tax Officials**  
**Training Session**  
**April 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup>, 2016**  
**Registration begins at 8:30 a.m. on February 1, 2016**  
**2459-H US Highway 280 West**  
**Cordele, GA 31015**  
**(800) 459-1230**  
<http://www.lakeblackshearresort.com/>

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*Last Name First Name MI*

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*Name preferred for badge and certificate of attendance*

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*Agency Name and Job Title:*

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*Mailing Address:*

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*City, State, Zip Code*

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*Telephone Number: Fax Number:*

*Email Address*

**In order to be enrolled in the training session, your 2016 membership dues must be current and conference fee must be received by March 10, 2016.**

- \$100.00 Member Registration Fee: Includes all training materials, breakfast and lunch.**
- \$25.00 Late Fee if paid after March 10, 2016.**
- \$150.00 Non Member Conference Fee**
- \$175.00 Non Member Conference Fee if paid after March 10, 2016.**

**To become a member or to renew your membership, please select your membership type:**

- \$35.00 Regular Member -eligible to vote**
- \$50.00 Organizational Members –counted as one vote, per issue**

**Mail the completed form with check made payable to: GABTO**

**Jim Cox**  
**GABTO Treasurer**  
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