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UPDATE YOUR CONTACT INFORMATION

You must notify the Board if there are any changes in your address or contact information. If you have moved, changed your address, phone number, or email address, or changed employers, you can update your information [online](#).

- Individuals changing their name will need to include a copy of the legal document changing it.
- Resident Managers have the responsibility to inform the Board of any changes regarding their firms' information within 30 days of the action.

BOARD MEMBER NEWS

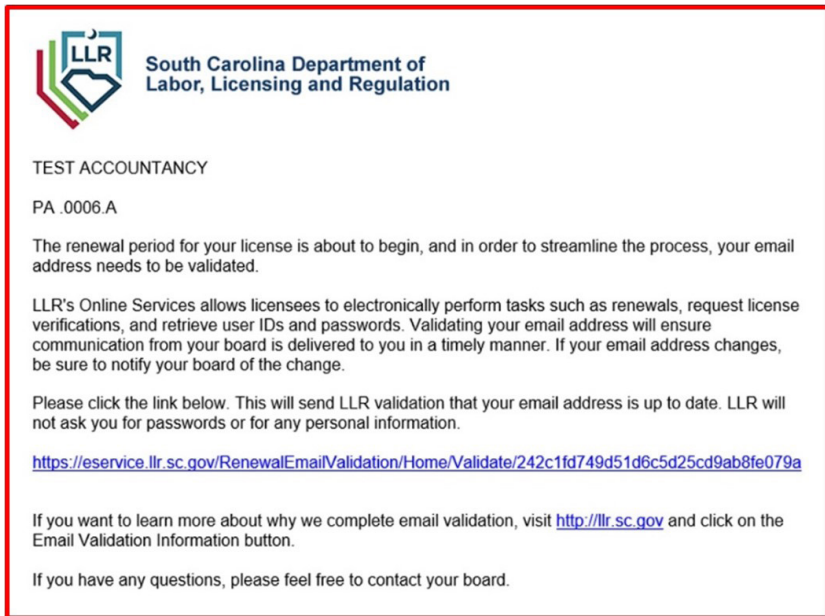
Over the last few months, the SC Board of Accountancy has welcomed the following newly appointed Board members: Deltrease Hart-Anderson, Accounting Practitioner, Janet M. Pierce, CPA and Lora W. Prevatte, CPA. Please join the Board in congratulating Jada W. McAbee, CPA in her new role as Acting Chair of the Board. Also, please join the Board in thanking former Board member Gale K. Bell, Accounting Practitioner, and outgoing Chair, Michael R. Putich, CPA for their many years of service on the Board.

EMAIL VALIDATION PROCESS

At the end of September, the Board of Accountancy sent out an e-blast requesting that licensees and resident managers of firms verify their email address. This process will ensure that you continue to receive updates from the Board and verify that you have a working email on file for when we enter renewal season (in the event you need to do a password reset etc.). This process has been put into place across the Agency, which allows all Boards to send out renewal notices electronically, which is more efficient, saves paper and postage.

By verifying your email, you will confirm that we have a valid e-mail address in our system. If you are the resident manager of your firm, you will receive separate verification emails for your individual license and your firm registration.

An example of the format of the email that was sent out is included below.



Additional information on the email validation process can be found on the Board's website at: <https://llr.sc.gov/validation.aspx>.

HOW THE BOARD WORKS: MEETING AGENDAS

All meeting agendas are posted on the Board's website a minimum of 24 hours prior to the meeting. Meeting agendas are also disseminated to the media and interested parties via email. Anyone who would like to be included on the meeting agenda distribution list may request to be added by contacting Board staff at Contact.Accountancy@llr.sc.gov. Please be sure to use the subject line "Request to be added to meeting agenda distribution list", to ensure your request is processed timely.



BOARD MEMBERS:

Charles J. L. Brooks
 Deltrease Hart-Anderson, Accounting Practitioner
 Christopher S. Huggins, CPA, Secretary
 Jada W. McAbee, CPA, Acting Chair
 David C. Nichols, Accounting Practitioner
 Janet M. Pierce, CPA
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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

OCTOBER 2021	
26	Board Meeting - Virtual 9:00 am
November 2021	
11	Veterans Day – CLOSED
18	Oath Ceremony – 5:30 pm
25-26	Thanksgiving Holidays – CLOSED
December 2021	
24-28	Christmas Holidays – CLOSED

Unless otherwise noted, all Board meetings start at 10 a.m. Requests to appear before the Board, together with all related documentation, must be in writing and submitted at least 10 business days before the meeting. Written requests are to be sent to SC Board of Accountancy, PO Box 11329, Columbia, SC 29211-1329.

TOTAL LICENSEES AND REGISTRATIONS AS OF 10/11/2021

TYPE OF LICENSE/ REGISTRATION	ACTIVE
Accounting Firm In State	1,315
Accounting Firm Out of State	368
Accounting Practitioner	62
Certified Public Accountant	6,236
Public Accountant	3
Total Licensees/Registrations	7,984

DISCIPLINARY ACTIONS

Information regarding complaints and ongoing investigations is confidential, however, you can access and search all public Board orders at: <https://eservice.llr.sc.gov/PublicOrdersWeb/?divisionId=15>.

NEW CPA OATH CEREMONY

The New CPA Oath Ceremony is typically held twice a year in May and November; however, due to the pandemic, the Spring 2020, Fall 2020, and Spring 2021 Oath Ceremonies were cancelled. The Board of Accountancy's Fall 2021 New CPA Oath Ceremony, and the SCACPA-sponsored reception following the ceremony will be held on Thursday, November 18, 2021, at 5:30 p.m. at the Columbia Metropolitan Convention Center, 1101 Lincoln St, Columbia, SC 29201. The Oath Ceremony and reception are being held as part of SCACPA's Fall Fest Accounting Conference.

All newly licensed CPAs who would have been eligible to participate in an Oath Ceremony that was cancelled will be invited to the Fall 2021 New CPA Oath Ceremony and will be listed in the program. New CPAs will affirm an oath statement and receive their South Carolina CPA certificate from the Board of Accountancy. New CPAs will also receive a CPA lapel pin, courtesy of SCACPA. Recipients are asked to arrive no later than 5:00 p.m. Photo opportunities will be available after the ceremony.

Jada McAbee, CPA, Acting Chair, Board of Accountancy; and Lesley Kelly, CPA, SCACPA Chair, will lead the ceremony. Michael Putich, CPA, Immediate Past Chair of the Board of Accountancy, will be the keynote speaker. The SCACPA reception is complimentary for new CPAs and their guests. All new licensees are encouraged to attend the Oath Ceremony. New licensees who choose not to attend the Oath Ceremony will receive their wall certificates by mail approximately 30 days after the Ceremony.

RECENTLY LICENSED CPAS – MAY 2021 TO SEPTEMBER 2021

LUCIANA ALMEIDA	COLUMBIA, SC	INDIA MATHIS	BEAUFORT, SC
KIMBERLY AMAYA-PATTERSON	MYRTLE BEACH, SC	MATTHEW MCNEELY	GREENVILLE, SC
CHRISTOPHER ANDREWS	BENNETTSVILLE, SC	NOEL MERCALDO	MYRTLE BEACH, SC
BARRY ARMSTRONG	MYRTLE BEACH, SC	TABORAH MILEY	CLOVER, SC
DANIEL BAILEY	MT PLEASANT, SC	BRENNAN MITCHELL	GREENVILLE, SC
SHANNON BANNISTER	ANDERSON, SC	FELIZIA MULCHAN	GREER, SC
KATHERINE BERGEY	SENECA, SC	DUNCAN MYER	CHARLESTON, SC
RACHEL BERKEY	MYRTLE BEACH, SC	JENARA NOEL	SUMMERVILLE, SC
LISA BIRTWISTLE	CENTRAL, SC	MICHAEL OLER	BLUFFTON, SC
CATHERINE BLUM	GREENVILLE, SC	JACOB OSTER	SIMPSONVILLE, SC
JOHN BROWN	TRAVELERS REST, SC	CAITLYNN PACKARD	LENOIR CITY, TN
ROBERT BUONVIRI	JOHNS ISLAND, SC	STEVEN PECKO	BLUFFTON, SC
NATHAN BURNETT	CHARLESTON, SC	AARON RABON	COLUMBIA, SC
BRENDAN CASH	FORT MILL, SC	COURTNEY RADLEY	ELGIN, SC
ANTHONY CORTOPASSI	COLUMBIA, SC	MARTHA REGISTER-FUTRELL	MYRTLE BEACH, SC
BROOKE DOWNING	CHARLESTON, SC	RAEYLYNN RHEES	COLUMBIA, SC
WILLIAM DUNCAN	COLUMBIA, SC	JUSTIN ROWELL	LONGS, SC
JORDAN EADS	MT. PLEASANT, SC	TRUMAN ROWLEY	ATHENS, GA
ADAM EHLERS	GREER, SC	SAMANTHA RUSSELL	HILTON HEAD, SC
SARAH GRAY ERICKSON	GREENVILLE, SC	MAHALIA SAPP	BAMBERG, SC
ELIZABETH FISK	MYRTLE BEACH, SC	SANFORD SCHMIDT	PAWLEYS ISLAND, SC
LON GAMBRELL JR.	CAMDEN, SC	LEWIS SCHOOLER III	CHARLESTON, SC
BENJAMIN GARDNER	PIEDMONT, SC	NICHOLAS SCOGGINS	JOHNSTON, SC
JAMES GIBSON	CHARLESTON, SC	SCOTT SHIVELY	CHRISTIANBURG, VA
CHARLES GORDON	MANNING, SC	KRISTIN SMITH	HANAHAN, SC
MEAGHAN HALL	FORT MILL, SC	HAYLEY SMITH	GREENVILLE, SC
ERIN HAMILTON	GREENVILLE, SC	ANDREW SOWDER	GREENVILLE, SC
ANNE HAMPSHIRE	GREER, SC	JONATHAN STOVER	FORT MILL, SC
LILIBETH HANLON	MYRTLE BEACH, SC	CHRISTOPHER STRISSEL	HUGHESVILLE, MD
DANIEL HELWING	GREENVILLE, SC	ALEXANDRA TAMPAS	GREENVILLE, SC
ALEXANDRA HENLEY	GILBERT, SC	MARK TERDLER	HILTON HEAD, SC
WILLIAM HOLLENBACH IV	INMAN, SC	SARAH THOMAS	CHARLESTON, SC
CARLEIGH HOY	MOUNT PLEASANT, SC	TROY TURNER	SUMMERVILLE, SC
DANIEL JENSEN	GREENVILLE, SC	GABRIEL VALK	GREENVILLE, SC
BENJAMIN KELLEY	GREENVILLE, SC	WILLIAM VAUGHAN	JACKSONVILLE, FL
RACHEL KERR	MOUNT PLEASANT, SC	JUDITH WELLENDORF	COLUMBIA, SC
RORY KING	IRMO, SC	LANDON WELLFORD II	MOUNT PLEASANT, SC
MAGGIE KING	GREENVILLE, SC	CLAIRE WHITEHURST	BLUFFTON, SC
BRITTANY KMIECIAK	LISLE, IL	VIRGINIA WILSON	ANDERSON, SC
STEPHEN LOVELACE	SIMPSONVILLE, SC	FLORA WINGARD	WEST COLUMBIA, SC
PALMER MADSON	CHARLOTTE, NC	HEATHER WOHL	SIMPSONVILLE, SC
JOSEPH MARINO	CHARLESTON, SC		

AICPA GAQC: ARCHIVED COVID-19 RESOURCES

Interested licensees can access the AICPA's Government Audit Quality Centers Archived Covid-19 Resources at: <https://www.aicpa.org/content/dam/aicpa/interestareas/governmentauditquality/resources/singleaudit/downloadabledocuments/gaqc-covid-19-archived-resources.pdf>