

ABOUT GAFM

The formation of GAFM is the result of the concerted efforts of numerous individuals and organizations sharing a common desire to forward the cause of sound floodplain management.

Membership in GAFM is open to all professionals, public and private entities, students and citizens interested in or involved in floodplain, watershed, stormwater, wetlands and hazard mitigation management and/or related disciplines within the State.

ABOUT THE CONFERENCE

The GAFM – East Region Education & Technical Training Conference will provide a forum to address the floodplain management issues of the East Region of Georgia.

Stakeholders from all areas of floodplain management and mapping will gather in Augusta to share and hear information on floodplain and flooding issues, map modernization, floodplain mitigation, new FEMA standards, innovative trends in floodplain & stormwater management and much more!

CFM SESSION AND EXAM

This session is a good refresher course even for current CFMs, who can claim 6 preapproved Continuing Education Credits from the Association of State Floodplain Managers (ASFPM) for attendance.

For attendees who are not yet CFMs, this is a great preparation course for the CFM exam, but will not take the place of intensive study. Prior to this training, we recommend that you read the manual, Floodplain Management Requirements:

A Study Guide and Desk Reference for Local Officials (FEMA 480), available for download at www.floods.org/Certification/FEMA_480.asp.

This manual is lengthy, so please give yourself some time to prepare! Please note that signing up for this course does not automatically register you for the CFM Exam, and signing up for the exam does not register you for the course. ASFPM requires that you register and submit payment at least two weeks in advance of any CFM exam.

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GAFM – EAST REGION EDUCATION & TECHNICAL TRAINING CONFERENCE



Georgia
Association
of
Floodplain
Management

September 5, 6, & 7, 2007
The Boathouse
103 Riverfront Drive
Augusta, GA 30901

CONFERENCE PREVIEW

Wednesday – September 5

7:30 a.m. - 8:15 a.m. - Registration
 8:15 a.m. - 8:30 a.m. - Welcome
 8:30 a.m. - 4 p.m. – CFM Refresher Course
 - or -
 8:30 a.m. - 5 p.m. – Residential Substantial
 Damage Estimator (RSDE) Full Day Course
 12 p.m.-1 p.m. - Lunch
 4 p.m.-7 p.m. - ASFPM CFM Exam
 6 p.m.-8 p.m. – Meet & Greet (TBA)

Thursday – September 6

7:30 a.m. - 8:15 a.m. - Registration
 8:15 a.m. - 8:30 a.m. - Welcome
 8:30 a.m.-12 p.m. - Morning Sessions
 12 p.m.-1 p.m. - Luncheon Speaker
 1 p.m.-4 p.m. - Afternoon Sessions
 4:30 p.m. - 6 p.m. – Field Tours (TBA)

Friday – September 7

7:30 a.m. - 8:15 a.m. - Registration
 8:15 a.m. - 8:30 a.m. - Welcome
 8:30 a.m. - 12 p.m. - Morning Sessions
 12 p.m.-1 p.m. - Luncheon Speaker
 1 p.m.-4 p.m. - Afternoon Sessions

***This agenda is subject to change.**

Full attendance at this conference has been preapproved for 18 CECs (6 CECs for each day) under the CFM® program.

* Registration includes all sessions, breakfast & lunch each day.

Visit Augusta



Nestled along the banks of the Savannah River, Augusta is the second largest and oldest city in Georgia and is centrally located just two and a half hours from the beach and the mountains.

When planning a visit to Augusta, you'll want to come early and stay late. Take time to discover the historic charm of the classic South with its tree-lined streets and majestic antebellum mansions. There are dozens of shops and restaurants, cultural and historic attractions in Augusta or enjoy an afternoon of golf, tennis, fishing, boating, or just breathing in the great outdoors. You'll also want to take time to visit Riverwalk Augusta, offering pedestrian access to the Savannah River from a public plaza and focusing attention on one of Augusta's most beautiful and unique assets. Augusta has many "must see" attractions:

- ✚ Augusta Canal
- ✚ Augusta Golf and Gardens
- ✚ Augusta Museum of History
- ✚ Fort Discovery
- ✚ Gertrude Herbert Museum of Art
- ✚ Lucy Craft Lany Museum of Black History
- ✚ Morris Museum of Art
- ✚ Sacred Heart Cultural Center
- ✚ Southeastern Natural Sciences Academy

Like we said, come early and stay late – enjoy all that Augusta has to offer – you'll be glad you did!

Registration Fees		
Registration	Before Aug. 1	After Aug. 1
GAFM Member	\$20/day (\$50/3 days)	\$30/day (\$75/3 days)
Non-Member	\$30/day * \$75/3 days*	\$40/day* \$100/3 days*
*2 day or 3 day registration includes 2007 GAFM membership		

REGISTRATION FORM

Name: _____

Position/Title: _____

Organization: _____

GAFM Member: __ YES __ NO

Certified Floodplain Manager? __ YES __ NO

Attending CFM Session? ____ YES ____ NO

CFM Exam? ____ YES ____ NO

Meet & Greet ____ YES ____ NO

Conference:

Wed _____ Thur _____ Fri _____

Mailing Address:

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