

## Why should I join GSRA? What will I get?

- **Timely, valuable information, not available anywhere else, through email, our content- rich website, and social media platforms, as issues affecting retirees and employees arise.**
- Monthly members'-only *newsletters* and other on-point information about what state leaders and policy makers are doing that affects you.
- **Official representation at the Capitol and access to key decision-makers all year long by our own registered lobbyist and volunteer member advocates.**
- *A connection and purpose in retirement: the opportunity for fellowship and to work for "common cause" with fellow state retirees.*
- **Access to discounts on health- and lifestyle-related services and benefits offered by partnering organizations.**
- The opportunity to attend the *Annual Meeting* each Fall and other events.

Annual dues currently are \$24 per year, with automatic pension deductible option of \$2 p/mo. available. Lifetime memberships also are offered at \$360. Contact our administrative office at 770-312-2779 for information or assistance.



## Our Mission

Protection of your promised pension and healthcare benefits.

## Why Does Every Member Matter?

- ***The more members we have, the greater the impact we have.***
- Legislative and State Executive Leadership and Policy Makers pay attention to "numbers," including the size of our membership.
- ***A large statewide membership creates a presence that cannot be ignored.***
- Whether you choose to take an active role, or just show support by paying your annual dues, your membership is vital to our growth, advocacy impact and continued success.
- ***We are stronger working together, speaking with one voice, than acting alone.***

## Membership Application

*Thank you for printing clearly!*

Membership:  New  Renewal

Title:  Mrs.  Ms.  Mr.  None

First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ MI \_\_\_\_\_

Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_

State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

County of Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

Mobile: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

State Agency Affiliation: \_\_\_\_\_

Retirement Date: (MM/YYYY) \_\_\_\_\_

Retirement System  ERS  PSERS  TRS

GSEPS  Other \_\_\_\_\_

Local Chapter? (chapter name) \_\_\_\_\_

Help us to learn how people find out about us.

Choose all that apply to you.

WRAP session  GSRA Member  ERS Opt-in

Newspaper  Conference  Local Chapter

Advertisement  GSRA Postcard/Other Promo

Facebook/LinkedIn/other online media.  GSRA website

## Who may join GSRA?

- Any *retired* or *active state employee* or *educator\** eligible for coverage in a state-sponsored health or retirement plan.
- *Spouses* of eligible persons
- *Former state employees /educators* who vested in a retirement plan but left state employment before retirement.
- *Out-of-state retirees* are welcome.

\*Includes educators in local school systems and employees of the Board of Regents

## How do I join?

Go online to [www.MyGSRA.com](http://www.MyGSRA.com)

Or, print, complete and mail a membership application and check payable to GSRA for \$24.00 to **GSRA Dues, P.O. Box 6308, Elberton GA 30635**

Or print, complete the [Pension Deduction](#) form and mail to the address above.

Email [help@mygsra.com](mailto:help@mygsra.com) or call

770-312-2799 for help with membership enrollment or other questions.

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## What Is GSRA?

***GSRA is THE highly respected, all - inclusive state retirement advocacy organization, representing the interests of 55,000 retired state workers, and working exclusively for the retirement security of all current and future state retirees.***

- A non-profit membership organization founded in 2006 by senior-level state staff, alarmed at threats to health benefits and pension plans and benefits.
- ***Your public affairs “watch dog”, monitoring policy and legislative trends and developments that could impact retirees and active employees.***
- A non-partisan organization, not affiliated with any political parties or candidates.
- ***A statewide organization, offering a local, personal connection, wherever you live.***

A 501(c)(4) Non-profit Membership Association Registered with the Georgia Secretary of State

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***Advocating for Retired and Active State Employees and Educators since 2006***



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