

I hope everyone had a wonderful holiday season. These first 30 days of the New Year has been challenging. The weather has been intolerant. We have had more than our share of snow and sniffles. Mother Nature has not been kind. I am praying for warmer days.

We have some exciting things happening with ACA. We have done a complete overhaul of our website. The rollout day for the new website is February 5, 2018. Check it out and share your thoughts. We have updated and revised the By Laws and Procedure Manual. The final version will be available for review in the next 30 days. This committee allocated a tremendous amount of time on this project so please do your part by reviewing the manual and cast your vote. The membership committee has been working hard to streamline new member's applications and the renewal process. If you have not already done so, please visit our website and renew your membership.

It is also time to nominate your favorite claims professional for the Claims Person of the Year Award. Anyone can nominate! The only criteria is that the person be a member of the ACA.

Our Annual Joint CPCU Luncheon will take place on Wednesday, March 14, 2018. Be sure to register early, space is limited. The work for this year's Annual Conference on April 20, 2018 is happening. We have a great day of events planned. We will have three educational tracks, Worker's Compensation, Liability and Property. The Annual Golf & Tennis outing is set for May 8, 2018. In addition, get ready for our summer wind down event at Pappasito's and our Annual Bowl-A-Thon in the fall. Check out our website for upcoming dates.

As you can see, we have accomplished a great deal in a few short months. However, there is more work to do. Become an active member or join a committee. Help make the Atlanta Claims Association great again!

Warmest regards,

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