

with members of the legislative leadership to educate and heighten their awareness of CoV.

- GS will work year-round with the General Assembly, Governor’s Office, Lt. Governor’s Office, Speaker Ralston’s Office, DCA, DEcD, GDoT, BoR and Congressional Delegation to advocate for public policies that address the needs of CoV and its mission.
- GS will work to pass or defeat legislative or regulatory policies impacting CoV as directed.
- During Georgia’s Legislative Session, GS will maintain a daily presence at the Capitol on behalf of CoV, providing weekly, daily if necessary, legislative updates, and will be available for consultation on these matters both day and evening.
- GS will attend all relevant legislative committee meetings and agency board meetings on behalf of CoV throughout the year; e.g., House and Senate committee meetings and study committee meetings, Department of Transportation board meetings, University System of Georgia board meetings, and others as requested.
- GS will review and comment on draft legislation and regulations and will draft and disseminate appropriate letters, comments, etc., to legislators and regulatory officials regarding CoV’s public policy priorities.
- GS will tailor a reporting mechanism to keep the CoV’s leadership informed on all pertinent political, executive, legislative and regulatory information throughout the year.
- GS will be available to attend CoV council meetings as needed to explain the significance of breaking political developments and to provide advice on political strategies.
- GS will work cooperatively with other local government authorities and associations and will represent CoV as requested at conferences and meetings of such organizations.
- GS principals will register as lobbyists for CoV with the Georgia Ethics Commission and will file all of the required ethics reports.
- GS will schedule Washington, DC “Fly-Ins” each year for CoV representatives to meet with members of the Georgia Congressional Delegation to advocate for CoV’s policy objectives. GS will be responsible for logistical coordination of the visits and will attend and participate in the meetings.