



# ACCMA 2017 WINTER CONFERENCE

## **“TIMES ARE CHANGING: GET READY FOR ACTION”**

January 25-27, 2017  
The Grand Bohemian Hotel, Mountain Brook  
**PRELIMINARY AGENDA**

### Wednesday, January 25

- Noon - 2 p.m. Exhibitor Booths Set-Up  
2-3 p.m. Beverages  
2-5 p.m. Registration Desk Open  
2-6 p.m. Exhibitor Booths Open  
3-5 p.m. OPENING SESSION  
3-3:10 **Welcome & Pledge**  
*Mayor Stewart Welch III, Mountain Brook*  
3:15-4:00 **Establishing a Firewall against Fraud**  
*Sam Romano, President MFPS*  
4:00-4:15 Beverage Break  
4:15 **New Overtime Rule: How Is it Working for You?**  
*Bert Guy, Campbell Guin, LLC*  
5-6 p.m. **Opening Reception**  
Dinner on Your Own

### Thursday, January 26

- 7:30-8:30 a.m. Continental Breakfast  
7:30-11:30 a.m. Registration Desk Open  
7:30 - 3:30 p.m. Exhibitor Booths Open  
8:30-11:30 a.m. GENERAL SESSION  
8:30-8:45 **Welcome & Pledge**  
*David Carrington, Commissioner Jefferson County*  
8:45-9:45 **What do You Want to Know About Social Media?**  
*Ike Pigott Positive Position*  
*Trip Umbach, Starnes, Davis & Florie, LLP*  
9:45 - 10:00 Beverage Break  
10:00 - 11:00 **Reducing Your Risk and Exposure**  
*Jeff Downes, Vestavia Hills*  
*Scott Kramer, Montgomery City/County*  
11:00 - 11:30 **Leadership: Play Chess not Checkers**  
*Dan Biles, Jefferson County*

### Thursday, January 26

- 11:30-  
12:30 p.m. **President's Luncheon**  
The State of Economic Development in Alabama  
*Brian Hilson, Birmingham Business Alliance*  
12:45-4:30 p.m. AFTERNOON SESSION  
12:45-1:45 **Working with the Generations**  
*TJ Smith, Shelton State*  
1:45-2:00 Beverage Break and Board Busses  
2:00-5:00 **Tour of Mountain Brook and Vestavia Municipal Facilities**  
5-7:30 p.m. **Dinner at the Birmingham Zoo**

### Friday, January 27

- 7:00-8:00 a.m. Continental Breakfast  
7:30-11 a.m. Exhibitor Booths Open  
8:15-12 p.m. CLOSING SESSION  
8:15-8:30 **Morning Devotional**  
*Tim Kallam, Mountain Brook Community Church*  
8:30-9:00 **ACCMA Business Meeting**  
*Donnie Mims, ACCMA President Presiding*  
9:00-9:30 **ICMA Update**  
*ICMA Representative*  
9:30-9:45 Beverage Break  
9:45-11:45 **Legislative Affairs**  
*Chase Cobb, ACCA*  
*Greg Cochran, ALM*  
Panel: *Ken Grimes, Donnie Mims, Brian Johnson and Sam Gaston*  
11:45-12 Grand Prize Drawing & Adjournment

**MARK YOUR CALENDARS!**  
ACCMA 2017 Summer Conference  
June 7-9, 2017: Hampton Inn, Orange Beach