



## 23rd Annual AgriTrust of Georgia Agents' Conferences

**Thursday, April 23, 2026**  
**Ogeechee Technical College**  
**Occupational Studies Bldg.**  
**1 Joe Kennedy Blvd.**  
**Statesboro, GA 30458**

**Wednesday, April 29, 2026**  
**Dalton Country Club**  
**333 Country Club Way**  
**Dalton, GA 30721**

**Tuesday, May 5, 2026**  
**UGA Tifton Conference**  
**Center, 15 RDC Rd.**  
**Tifton, GA 31793**

**Thursday, May 7, 2026**  
**The Georgia Club**  
**1050 Chancellors Dr.**  
**Statham, GA 30666**

### AGENDA

**Agents CEUs – 4 Hours Approved**

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| 8:30 a.m.          | Registration  |
| 8:30 – 9:30 a.m.   | <b>Coffee with Chairman E. Raybon Anderson and Workers' Compensation Professionals</b>  |
| 9:30 – 9:35 a.m.   | Welcome and Introductions<br><b>Eddie Kinnard</b> , <i>AgriTrust of Georgia SIWCF, President &amp; Fund Pool Manager</i>  |
| 9:35 – 10:30 a.m.  | Behavioral Health in the Workplace<br><b>Jennifer Dunn</b> , <i>Georgia Department of Behavioral Health and Developmental Disabilities, Assistance Commissioner</i>   |
| 10:30 – 10:45 a.m. | AgriTrust of Georgia Chairman's Remarks & AgriTrust Update<br><b>E. Raybon Anderson</b> , <i>AgriTrust of Georgia SIWCF, Chairman</i><br><b>Eddie Kinnard</b> , <i>AgriTrust of Georgia SIWCF, President &amp; Fund Pool Manager</i><br><b>Amy Salmon</b> , <i>Georgia Administrative Services, Chief Operating Officer</i>   |
| 10:45 – 11:00 a.m. | BREAK   |
| 11:00 – 12:30 p.m. | Trends & Important Issues Shaping Workers' Compensation in 2026 Panel Discussion <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li style="display: inline-block; width: 45%; vertical-align: top;"> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Reclassification of Marijuana</li> <li>• Claim Severity vs. Frequency</li> <li>• Provider Shortages &amp; Telemedicine</li> <li>• Litigation &amp; Reserve Adequacy</li> </ul> </li> <li style="display: inline-block; width: 45%; vertical-align: top;"> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Technology &amp; Data Analytics</li> <li>• SBWC Legislative Package</li> <li>• When Injured Worker Should Retain Attorney</li> <li>• Product Liability</li> </ul> </li> </ul> <p><b>The Honorable Nicole Tifverman</b>, <i>SBWC Administrative Law Judge, Savannah</i> (Statesboro)<br/> <b>The Honorable Richard H. Sapp, III</b>, <i>SBWC Administrative Law Judge, Dalton</i> (Dalton)<br/> <b>The Honorable David Imahara</b>, <i>SBWC Chief Administrative Law Judge, Atlanta</i> (Tifton)<br/> <b>The Honorable Edwina M. Charles</b>, <i>SBWC Administrative Law Judge &amp; Division Director – ADR Division</i> (Statham)<br/> <b>Elizabeth Costner</b>, <i>Costner Law Group</i> (Statesboro)<br/> <b>Michael R. Eddings</b>, <i>Collins &amp; Eddings</i> (Dalton)<br/> <b>Rob Ryan</b>, <i>Ryan Law Group</i> (Tifton)<br/> <b>Matthew Jordan</b>, <i>The Law Office of Matthew C. Jordan</i> (Statham)<br/> <b>Tash J. Van Dora</b>, <i>The Van Dora Law Firm &amp; AgriTrust Legal Counsel</i></p> |
| 12:30 p.m.         | Lunch   |