

# GPCA MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

**GEORGIA  
PEST CONTROL  
ASSOCIATION**  
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Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

County \_\_\_\_\_ Phone ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

Employer \_\_\_\_\_

License # \_\_\_\_\_ Expiration Date \_\_\_\_\_

E Mail Address \_\_\_\_\_

## GPCA Dues Schedule Limited Membership \$25.00

Please Complete the Following Information

### WORK HISTORY FOR THE LAST FIVE YEARS:

1. Employer \_\_\_\_\_

From \_\_\_\_\_ To \_\_\_\_\_

2. Employer \_\_\_\_\_

From \_\_\_\_\_ To \_\_\_\_\_

If additional space is needed, please attach sheet.

### TWO PERSONAL REFERENCES:

1. Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Company \_\_\_\_\_

2. Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Company \_\_\_\_\_

Dues \$25.00

Charge Account    Master Card    Visa    Discover    American Express

Account Number \_\_\_\_\_ Expiration Date \_\_\_\_\_

Approval for Limited Membership includes:

- Technician Newsletter
- PROFILE Magazine
  - a. New regulations
  - b. Upcoming training
  - c. Industry news
  - d. Political issues
  - e. Technical information
  - f. Feature articles
  - g. National information
- Regional meeting mailings
- Mail about upcoming programs
- GPCA functions at member pricing
- Ability to buy educational items
- Ability to pay for these items at the point of purchase, not to be billed
- New member packet which includes a copy of the Rules & Regulations, and a certificate of GPCA Limited Membership

Does not include:

Membership Book, ability to purchase forms, GPCA membership plaque, listing in Membership Book, ability to vote.

## READ BEFORE SIGNING

If elected to membership, I agree to comply with the Code of Ethics, and other policies of the Association. I understand that membership does not become effective until notification is received from the Executive Director of the Association.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Application Approved \_\_\_\_\_

## **WHAT GPCA DOES FOR THE INDUSTRY**

Education, legislation and public relations are the primary concerns in our industry. Providing educational opportunities to help in daily work and enhance the professionalism of the industry has resulted in seminars held throughout the year (as well as the winter and summer conference). GPCA members are provided almost free training as part of their dues to encourage education. These seminars have included: fleas and ants, fumigation, business management, termite control, regulations, rodent and roach control and many others. In addition to the seminars, professional pest control technology courses are taught. The six week course is taught by industry professionals. Graduates from these classes are prepared to take the pesticide operators exam.

The winter conference at the University of Georgia in Athens has traditionally been an tense two and a half days program of education. In its 40th continuous year, the conference draws speakers from all over the United States to bring the latest and best technical information available to Georgia PCO's.

The summer conference at a resort area provides the opportunity to learn and be with other PCO's and their families. national speakers and special events highlight this four day meeting held in late July.

## **LEGISLATIVE DAY**

Each year the GPCA plans a legislative day, with a pre-legislative briefing for our members. The Georgia General Assembly and our members meet for lunch to become better acquainted. This informal gathering has become an important and necessary GPCA function, especially since so many regulations and policies affecting the pest control industry are decided by our local lawmakers.

## **PURPOSE OF THE GPCA**

GPCA's Objectives:

- ◆ Promote the standards and ethics of the industry
- ◆ Provide ongoing education for the pest control industry including the advancement of research
- ◆ Cooperation with the National Pest Control Association, government authorities and education institutions for the good of the community and the pest control industry.

## **PROFILE**

The **PROFILE**, GPCA's industry publication, is mailed to every GPCA member ten times each year as a part of their dues. This publication provides information on governmental regulations which will directly affect the PCO in Georgia as well as technical material which will help the PCO in every day business. This magazine averages 24 pages with a mailing list exceeding 1000.

***THIS IS THE***  
***GEORGIA PEST CONTROL ASSOCIATION***