

#### **Greater Atlanta PCC**

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# **GAPCC's National PCC Day**

**September 10, 2014** *Stronger Together* 

The Greater Atlanta Postal Customer Council is excited about the opportunity you will have on Wednesday, September 10, 2014 to "meet and greet" USPS head-quarter executive leadership and Atlanta District postal managers.

With the national broadcast now aside, PMG Donahoe will share his message with you via a video broadcast during our luncheon program.

Attend six education sessions and earn your "Mail Center Professional" Certificate.

#### PLEASE be sure to register early!

PCC member "early-bird" registration is \$60.00 before July 31, 2014. PCC member registration is \$70.00 while non-members, or at-the-door is \$80.00.

More details, and to Register, please go to: http://www.gapcc.net/



#### USPS Capital Metro Mailing Industry Focus Meeting

Many GAPCC members participated in the USPS Capital Metro Mailing Industry Focus meeting on June 4 at the Georgia Department of Revenue.

Megan Brennan, COO and Executive Vice President for the United States Postal Service was the keynote speaker. Kristin Seaver, Capital Metro Area Vice President was also on hand to share her insights and talk with the participants.

Scott Raymond, Atlanta District Manager, Atlanta plant managers, Maged Aziz, Postmaster Atlanta, along with the Capital Metro Area District Managers were available to discuss mailer concerns. You can find the presentations and more details on RIBBS.









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Wanda Senne World Marketing, Inc. PCC Industry Co-Chair

### A Message from the Board— By Wanda Senne, World Marketing and Industry Co-Chair

The major focus of this issue of the newsletter is to thank our 2014 Platinum level corporate sponsors. Their level of support helps the GAPCC offset much of the cost for the events, so that we can keep the registration fees as low as possible while providing exceptional content.

Please take a few moments to read about the Platinum sponsors on pages 4—6 to find out how they can assist you in your marketing and mailing

program needs.

I also want to point out the upcoming events lined up for you, and others you would like to invite. Please see the "Save the Date" section below... then go to GAPCC.net and register today!

Every time I go to a GAPCC event, I appreciate talking with so many of you that I've come to know over the years. It surprises me how the time just

seems to slip by so quickly at the events. I think it's because of the great people, educational content, and don't forget the food!

If you have found value at one of the GAPCC events, how about bringing someone new along with you? We have room for more!

For more information about the GAPCC, and our upcoming events, please go to



Maged S. Aziz
Postmaster Atlanta
PCC Postal Co-Chair

# A Message from the Board— By Maged S. Aziz, Postmaster Atlanta and Postal Co-Chair

Stronger Together!
That's the theme for the 2014
National PCC Week.

National PCC week provides local PCC audiences (small to medium sized businesses, non-profits, colleges/universities, and mail service providers) the opportunity to hear and interact with USPS officers and executives.

Your Greater Atlanta PCC is organizing workshops, presen-

tations, and networking opportunities for you.

PCCs from all across the U.S. will be participating in National PCC Week: September 8-12, 2014.

Here in Atlanta, the event will be on Wednesday, September 10. Be sure to register, and bring your customers, and others from your company along with you. You don't have to wait until September to discuss any mailing project with us. It is our biggest event of the year, but we have other great events lined up for you.

Take a look at the "Save the Date" below, and register today.

Thank you for your business, and I look forward to seeing you.

### **SAVETHE DATE!**





July 23
RIBBS on Ribs
Lunch and Learn
North Metro

September 10

GAPCC Day Marriott Atlanta Northwest at Galleria October 8
24th Annual Golf Outing Legacy Golf Club,
Lake Lanier Islands
Resort

December 10

Holiday Brunch
Marriott Atlanta Northwest
at Galleria

Details and registration will be mailed and emailed to you, and as always, posted on the GAPCC Web site at:

http://www.gapcc.net/



# GAPCC's National PCC Day Event 9.10.14

Marriott Atlanta Northwest at Galleria

200 Interstate North Parkway, Atlanta 30339

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Amplifii, Inc. quickly migrated into a full service print and mail service provider, and through a series of acquisitions, the latest being OOBE, became a full service marketing solution provider. This growth has been possible as a result of our dedication to integrity, innovation,

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In 1925, a small group of postal service employees joined together to charter Atlanta Postal Credit Union. Since its beginning, with just 214 members and \$2,404 in assets. the credit union has grown dramatically. APCU now serves just over 107,000 individual members worldwide and has passed the \$2 billion mark in assets. These achievements are a testament to the remarkable value the credit union provides to its members and the strength of our credit union family. Our commitment to our members today is just as strong as it was in 1925. APCU is driven by

the same guiding principles under which the credit union was founded; we are a member-owned, not-forprofit financial cooperative, created for working people in need of a safe and sound place to save and borrow money. We believe that our mission as a credit union is especially important now and will continue to be vital in the years ahead. Our course remains steady;, providing members and their families with the best-inclass service and financial tools that not only help them on a daily basis, but give them what they need in pursuit of a better tomorrow.

As a member of the Greater Atlanta Postal Customer Council, all of your company's employees and their relatives are eligible to join APCU. Why is this important to your company? As an employer, you can enhance your current benefits package by offering membership in APCU to your employees and provide a value-added advantage that has no cost to your organization. APCU does not charge a fee to you as a Select Employer Group for offering our financial services. We simply offer the best financial services you can find in one complete package for your employees.



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- I. Only BasiQa gives clients the ability to manage not just a single channel, but all communications, through one easy-to-use customizable portal--our own Pixiera software platform
- 2. The innovative solution is differentiated by real-time application of data analytics that pinpoints prospects and customers most likely to buy ... and keeps those who might otherwise leave.
- 3. The company delivers all services needed to execute

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Founded in 2009 by software, marketing and production industry veterans, Atlanta-based BasiQa provides the most advanced way to manage marketing activity, leverage data, execute campaigns-and achieve previously unimaginable results.

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