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OFFICIAL NEWSLETTER OF MID-ATLANTIC HUG

Presidential News and Notes

Why attend a MAHUG Conference?

- ➔ Receive application training, product information, and experience hands-on computer labs.
- ➔ An opportunity to meet and interact with key SunGard Public Sector staff and vendors.
- ➔ Learning the best practices and techniques.
- ➔ Opportunities to lead user-led sessions and roundtable discussions.

It's right around the corner! Our annual Mid-Atlantic HUG conference will take place March 18-21, 2008, in Greensboro, NC at the Sheraton Greensboro Hotel at Four Seasons and the Joseph S. Koury Convention Center. Make your hotel reservations soon! The cut-off date for the special conference room rate is February 20th.

This year's conference will bring big changes. For the first time, we will be joined by our newest HUG members, SunGard's OSSI Users' Group. SunGard's OSSI Product Suite provides a fully integrated software system designed to meet the needs of the full spectrum of public safety agencies from law enforcement to fire and EMS. The OSSI National Users' Group Board of Directors voted at their 2007 National conference to dissolve their current organization and join HUG. What that means for us is many new faces at our conference. Out of 340 OSSI customer agencies, 190 are in our Mid-Atlantic HUG region. In North Carolina alone there are 146 OSSI customer agencies. Welcome to our new members and we look forward to providing you the best conference yet! Your Mid-Atlantic HUG board has added Lisa McMahon from the Fredericksburg Virginia Police Department as an Advisory member to

assist in planning this year's conference. Lisa is the Past President for the OSSI User's Group.

As always, we are looking for User-Led Session volunteers. If you are an application wizard in any module then we need you! We will also have regular training sessions and labs offered to you by the staff of SunGard Public Sector. This is a great time to learn from other users and discuss questions with the SunGard Public Sector staff.

The Board of Directors will be having elections this year for President Elect, Secretary and (Board appointed) Member at Large. Please consider submitting your name for a position and join the team for planning future conferences.

Watch the mail for registration information, or visit www.huginc.org for updated information on the session schedules and on-line registration for the 2008 Mid-Atlantic HUG conference. Hope to see you there. Contact a Board member with any questions.

Sincerely,

Jenni Pendergrass

President MAHUG

MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

2008 MID-ATLANTIC CONFERENCE

MARCH 18 - 21, 2008

GREENSBORO, NC

SHERATON GREENSBORO HOTEL (800-242-6556)

PLEASE JOIN US FOR AN EARLY REGISTRATION RECEPTION TUESDAY NIGHT, MARCH 18 FROM 5-7 PM

RATE IS \$130/NIGHT

(Single or Double)

2009 MID-ATLANTIC CONFERENCE

MORE INFORMATION WILL BE COMING SOON—KEEP ON THE LOOKOUT!

User-Led Sessions

Interested in leading your own session in a specific application?

If you have a special talent in CX, LX, Crimes, GMBA, OSSI CAD etc..., you can tell others!

If you would like to lead a round table discussion about a specific concern, let us know! A SunGard Public Sector staff member could be present to help! Please contact Jenni Pendergrass if you would like to volunteer! j.pendergrass@co.hanover.va.us or by phone 804-365-6171.

Deadline for sign-up is February 1, 2008.

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Get Ready!

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Mid-Atlantic HUG Conference, March 18-21, 2008

Online Registration available late January 2008

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