



2027 SC Partnership Conference

On behalf of the SC Association of Conservation Districts (SCACD), I would like to invite you to be a sponsor at our 2027 Partnership Conference. The Partnership Conference is being held January 18 – 20, 2027 at The Sonesta Resort on Hilton Head Island.

This event will bring together leaders, experts, and community partners including USDA / NRCS, SC Department of Natural Resources (SC-DNR), SC Farm Bureau, SC Forestry Commission, and local Conservation Districts. Our goal is to foster collaboration, share innovative solutions, and connect resources to advance conservation efforts across our state. The conference includes two days of sessions on current conservation issues. There will be many opportunities for you to network and socialize with the group.

By sponsoring this conference, your organization will:

- Gain visibility among a diverse audience of conservation professionals, policymakers, landowners, and community stakeholders with backgrounds varying from agriculture to urban natural resource management.
- Demonstrate your commitment to protecting and enhancing our natural resources.
- Build relationships with state and federal agencies, conservation districts, and fellow industry leaders.

Sponsorship Opportunities:

We offer multiple sponsorship levels to fit your organization's goals and budget, each with unique benefits such as logo placement, recognition in conference materials, exhibitor space, and complimentary registrations. A detailed sponsorship explanation is included below.

Your support will help ensure the success of this important gathering, allowing us to provide educational sessions, networking opportunities, and practical tools for those working to conserve our lands and waters.

We would be honored to have you join us in this partnership. To secure your sponsorship or learn more, please contact **Ann-Lamar Tuten** at **803-394-2251** or by email at atuten@scacd.org before **December 1, 2026**.

Thank you for considering this opportunity to make a meaningful impact on the future of conservation in our state. Together, we can connect resources, ideas, and people to build stronger conservation outcomes for generations to come.

Sincerely,

Ben Setzler
SCACD President



2027 SC Partnership Conference Sponsorship Opportunities:

Please join us in bringing together conservation leaders, agencies, and community partners to advance the protection and stewardship of our natural resources.

DIAMOND SPONSOR - \$10,000

- Meeting Space and/or Breakout Space to host large group meetings and/or training session.
- Premium logo placement on all event materials and signage.
- One page advertisement in program.
- Recognized as a Conference Partner.
- Opportunity to address conference attendees.
- Prime exhibit table.
- 8 Full conference registrations.
- Hospitality event invitation with the SCACD Board (for 2).

PLATINUM SPONSOR - \$5,000

- Premium exhibit table or meeting space (ex. Soil Tunnel).
- Premium logo placement on all event materials and signage
- Half page advertisement in program
- Recognized as Conservation Lead Sponsor during General Session.
- Opportunity to address conference attendees.
- 4 Full conference registrations.
- Hospitality event invitation with the SCACD Board (for 1).

SILVER SPONSOR - \$1,250

- Exhibit table.
- Name / Logo listed in program.
- Name / Logo listed on Sponsorship Slide.
- 1 Full Conference Registration. Additional attendees can be added at the regular conference rate.

BRONZE SPONSOR - \$500

- Name / Logo listed in program.
- Name / Logo listed on Sponsorship Slide.

**** Nonprofit sponsors receive a 50% discount off of their chosen sponsorship level. Example: a nonprofit can choose to be a Platinum Sponsor at a 50% discount or \$2500.**