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GAFC Executive Development Apr. 11-14
A Well-Planned, Balanced, Exciting Program
for All Fire Officers- April 11-14

President's Message
April Fools Edition?



President Craig Tully

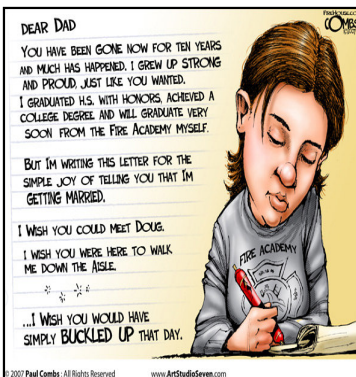
If I was in a humorous mood, which I'm not, this month's article would go something like this: Let's stop all our efforts to prevent fires. Let's support a new move to have anti-sprinkler advocates take control of fire codes and let them push all their combustible building materials on residential and commercial building occupants. Georgia will save a ton of money by eliminating: fire codes, all our Fire Marshals, firefighter training and gasoline for fire trucks. And think about all that water we'll save. Prevention? Too expensive!

The House approved the anti-sprinkler bill HB 1196 and now it goes to the Senate. We'll keep fighting for citizen rights as have Fire Chiefs and Firefighters throughout the U.S.



Speed and Intersection Safety Expert David Bradley will address conferees on Apr. 13th.

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Dr. Burt Clark is a firefighter safety expert and specializes in seat belt safety. (US Fire Adm.)



Featured Speaker :
Battalion Chief Jay Jonas, NYC Fire Dept. (April 13th) Men of the Year Award Winner. Captain of Ladder Company 6; one of the first to respond to the World Trade Center disaster.



Bob James from Underwriter's Laboratories will address conferees on the Need for Apparatus Inspections. April 13th.

NOT TO LATE: Sea Palms Resort-Saint Simons Island April 11-14.

Register www.gafc.org.
Sea Palms: 800-841 6268

EXECUTIVE DEVELOPMENT SESSION

PRESENTORS—SOME OF OUR OWN:

Matt Perry-Safe Driving Coalition

Keith Padgett-Psychology of Speed

Scott Lawler-Apparatus Maintenance

Dave Wall- Risk Mgm't & Decision Making

Jamie Sullivan-Apparatus Placement

Courtney Terwilliger-EMS

ACCG-GMA– Driving Skills
Into: David Kimbrell



GAFC BUSINESS SESSION
Wed. April 14th.