



February 2025 Newsletter

We are hard at work at your Georgia Capitol assuring we maintain our best place to live, work, and raise a family. Important legislation is working through the committee process and I have many important initiatives advancing.

On the 23rd of this month, Kari and I will celebrate our 32nd wedding anniversary. We have a wonderful tradition and experience dining at Osteria Mattone in Roswell. Ryan Pernice, Dan, and team provide an incredible experience in their wine room which we treasure. We both highly recommend it!



No Boys in Girls Sports!

I was a proud sponsor of Senate Bill 1, which will protect Girls sports in Georgia. The bill passed with bipartisan support and is now headed to the House of Representatives. Pictured with me and Lt. Governor Jones are Lisa and Greg Blankinship. I read the testimony on the Senate floor from Lisa concerning her daughter Katie who is a college swimmer. She had to deal with this unfortunate and avoidable issue. It is time to return to common sense.

Pastor of the Day

I had the pleasure of hosting Pastor Craig Mosgrove of Dwelling Place Church in Woodstock as our Senate Pastor of the Day. He delivered an impactful message and prayer. He was joined by his youngest daughter Harper.

Our faith community is strong and we are blessed to have such strong leaders and houses of worship. In the Senate we begin everyday with a devotion and prayer.





Artificial Intelligence Legislation

I am advancing three important bills relating to AI in the Senate. Last year I chaired the Senate Study committee on AI and will continue to focus on this critically important issue.

- Georgia Consumer Data Privacy Act
- AI Accountability Act
- Ensuring Accountability for Illegal AI Activities Act

Budget

We are working diligently through the budget process. Due to our conservative approach, we have a record surplus. Once again, we are glad to be returning money back to hardworking Georgians with an income tax rebate of \$250 per person. Georgia maintains and balanced budget with no deficit. We have a AAA bond rating and spend less per capita when adjusted for inflation than 15 years ago. Georgia is thriving and cutting taxes!



Senator Albers with his two sons, Ryan & Will.

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