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## **Council of Volunteer Administrators (COVA) 2009 Volunteer Symposium ~ Monday, February 2 ~**

Augusta, GA. – For the first time, Augusta is playing host to the **Council of Volunteer Administrators (COVA) 2009 Volunteer Symposium**. This regional conference for volunteer managers will feature workshops on **Monday, February 2 from 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.** at the **Morris Museum of Art**, 1 Tenth Street, Augusta.

Symposium speakers will be:

- **Angela Hillesland** of Jim Hudson Lexus
- **Wink O'Neal** of Trinity Hospice
- **Diedre Martin**, Vice Chancellor for Advancement at the University of South Carolina, Aiken
- **Johnnie Sheats**, RN BSN NHA, Executive Director of Clinical Development for UHS Pruitt Corporation
- **Augusta Mayor Deke Copenhaver**

Entertainment provided by **Henry Wynn**.

Conference guests will also be visiting Augusta's downtown – between 3:00 – 5:00 p.m. on Sunday, February 1.

Tour stops include:

- **The Augusta Canal Interpretive Center**, 1450 Greene St.
- **Augusta Museum of History**, 560 Reynolds St.
- **The Boyhood Home of President Woodrow Wilson**, 415 Seventh St.
- **National Science Center's Fort Discovery**, One Seventh St.

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