



2026 AMCI REGIONAL MEETING KNOW BEFORE YOU GO

We're thrilled you'll be joining us in **Atlanta** for the **2026 AMCI Regional Meeting!** To help you make the most of your time, please review the important details below before you arrive.

VENUE

[Crowne Plaza Atlanta Perimeter at Ravinia](#)

4355 Ashford Dunwoody Road Atlanta

Atlanta, GA 30346

Phone: (770) 395-7700

TIME ZONE REMINDER

Atlanta is in the **Eastern Time Zone** (ET). Please plan accordingly when scheduling your travel and meetings to ensure you're aligned with local time.

WHAT TO PACK/WEATHER

September in Atlanta typically brings warm temperatures, with daytime highs in the upper-80's and evening lows in the upper-70's. Meeting rooms are kept cool (around 70°F), so we recommend packing layers for comfort indoors and outdoors. For a more up-to-date and detailed weather outlook closer to your travel dates, check a reliable local forecast on [The Weather Channel](#).

SUGGESTED ATTIRE

Business Casual

- Khakis, slacks, or jeans
- Collared shirts, blouses, or dresses
- Optional sport coat or blazer
- Comfortable shoes for standing and walking
- Please avoid athletic wear

SEE WHO'S COMING

Want to know who's attending? Click [here](#) and scroll down to the "Regional Meeting Attendee List." **Reminder:** AMCI does not sell attendee lists. If you receive a solicitation, do not respond and report any phishing attempts.



REGISTRATION

Prior to the meeting, you will receive a separate email from AMCI with a QR code/link for your meeting badge. **It is important to bring the email with you as we will be using it to generate your meeting badge.**

WIFI ACCESS:

Complimentary Wi-Fi is provided for the meeting:

Network: AMCI

Password: AMCI2026

TRANSPORTATION

FLYING:

The Crowne Plaza Atlanta Perimeter at Ravinia Hotel is approximately 30 minutes from Hartsfield Jackson International Airport (ATL). Taxis and ride-share services (Uber/Lyft) are readily available. MARTA is one of the easiest and most affordable options.

MARTA:

Step-by-Step Directions

1. **Follow signs in the airport to MARTA**
 - o The MARTA station is directly inside the airport connected to baggage claim.
 - o Purchase a Breeze ticket or use the Breeze Mobile app.
2. **Take the Red Line Northbound**
 - o From the airport, board the **NORTHBOUND MARTA** red line toward North Springs. Ride the train for 16 stops to Dunwoody (about 30 minutes). Exit train at Dunwoody Station.
3. **Exit at Dunwoody Station**
 - o Travel time is typically about **40 minutes** from the airport to Dunwoody Station.
4. **Walk or Shuttle to the Hotel**
 - o The **Crowne Plaza Atlanta Perimeter at Ravinia** is located at **4355 Ashford Dunwoody Road** and is a short walk from the mall side **Dunwoody MARTA Station** across the street to the hotel.
 - o The hotel also operates a complimentary local shuttle, call **770-296-2752** to request service.
5. **Cost:** MARTA fare: approximately **\$2.50 one way** (plus Breeze card cost if you don't use the mobile app).



DRIVING:

Head north from downtown Atlanta on I-85 NORTH. Take exit 87 (Camp Creek/Ashford-Dunwoody). Merge onto GA-400 NORTH. Exit onto I-285 (via Exit 4A/4B, at the Glenridge Connector). Continue on I-285 to Exit 29 (Ashford Dunwoody Road). Turn onto Ashford Dunwoody Rd. The Crowne Plaza is adjacent to the Perimeter Mall.

PARKING:

Self-parking is available at a discounted rate of \$15 per day, with in-and-out privileges for both in-house guests and daily visitors. Free electric vehicle charging is also available.

Discounted parking tickets can be picked up at the registration desk. When exiting the garage, attendees should scan their original parking ticket first, then scan the discounted ticket to receive the reduced rate.

MEETING SCHEDULE & PROGRAM

To get the most out of your experience, download or save the [digital program](#) – your go-to source for the full schedule and event details.

TUESDAY EVENING RECEPTION

Join us for a cocktail reception and appetizers, sponsored by our host hotel, the **Crowne Plaza**, from 4:30 PM – 5:30 PM. Weather permitting, we'll gather on the hotel patio; otherwise, we'll meet in **La Grotta Restaurant**, located on the first floor.

Dinner will follow in **La Grotta Restaurant** from 5:30 PM – 7:00 PM and is sponsored by **GrowthZone**. Please RSVP [here](#) to let us know you'll be attending. We hope to see you there!

WEDNESDAY MORNING IHG DESIGN CENTER TOUR

IHG Hotels and Resorts will host breakfast and a tour of the **IHG Design Center Tour** on Wednesday, September 23rd from 7:30 AM – 9:30 AM.

See following schedule for breakfast and tour information:

- **7:15 a.m. – Grab and Go Breakfast** – Breakfast options for the bus available in Lightwell Lobby Cafe
- **7:30 a.m. – Board busses** for IHG Design Center



- **8:00-9:00 a.m.** – Dedicated time to see examples of (4) of IHG's group focused hotel brands; Crowne Plaza, voco, Hotel Indigo and Holiday Inn.
- **9:00 a.m.** – **Board busses** to return to Crowne Plaza Perimeter at Ravinia
- **Please Note:** To keep the group together and ensure everyone arrives at the same time, please plan to take the bus to the Design Center rather than traveling on your own.

CONTINUING EDUCATION

AMCI's Regional Meeting offers professional development programming valued at **9 CE credits**. This content is designed to support the ongoing education requirements of association management professionals and can be applied toward a variety of professional certifications and designations, depending on the requirements of the issuing organization.

We encourage attendees to review their specific certifying body's guidelines to confirm how these credits may be applied. For more information about AMCI's Regional Meeting programming, please contact AMCI at info@amcinstitute.org.

THANK YOU

On behalf of the AMCI staff and leadership, thank you for attending! Special thanks as well goes to Jennifer Sommers of IHG and the team at the **Crowne Plaza Atlanta Perimeter at Ravina Hotel** for their generous sponsorship which has made this meeting a true value for attendees. To learn more about booking meetings with IHG Hotels and Resorts, please **contact Jennifer** at jennifer.sommers@ihg.com.

Additionally, sincere thanks to **Lane Velayo, Synergos AMC** for recommending Atlanta and leading the meeting content task force as well as to each member who so generously donated their time and talent in preparing such outstanding education.



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