

BACKGROUND CHECK CONSENT FORM

To allow us to obtain a background check, please provide the information requested below:

Print name (First, Middle, Last)

Other names one has used

Mailing Address (Street #, City, State, Zip)

Shipping Address if different above (Street #, City, State, Zip, no P.O. Boxes)

Phone Number

Email Address

Date of Birth

Social Security Number

Sex

Are you authorized for employment in the U.S.A.? Circle One: Yes No

- All persons must undergo a credit and criminal background check who seek to enter a relationship with the South Georgia Annual Conference as a lay supply pastor, certified candidate, Licensed Local Pastor, Associate Member, Provisional Member, Full Conference Member, Certified Lay Minister, or transfer from another denomination or annual conference.
- More recent background checks may be required when seeking a change of status.
- Please note that your signature is required at the bottom of this form, witnessed by a notary public, as verified by the signature and seal of the notary public.
- You must enclose a photocopy of your Driver's License or other official photo ID.
- **Required fees for certified candidacy only- please include with this form a check for \$90.00 made out to "South Ga. BOM" which covers \$45 for the background check and the \$45 candidacy application fee.**
- **All others, include with this form a check for \$45.00 made out to "South Ga. BOM."** This covers only the cost of running your background check.

I HEREBY AUTHORIZE The Board of Ordained Ministry of the South Georgia Annual Conference of The United Methodist Church to obtain and use a current Credit and Criminal Record Check pertaining to me as it considers me for service in pastoral ministry in the Annual Conference.

Signature (must be witnessed by a notary public)

Notary Signature accompanied by seal or stamp

Send to:
Office of Ministerial Services
P.O. Box 7227
Macon, GA 31209