



**Our Mission**

We affirm our goals to represent all Staff at Auburn University; promote better understanding, cooperation, and communication among all constituent groups and to endorse the mission and goals of Auburn University.

**Election Schedule**

If you are interested in joining the Staff Council team, please fill out the [application](#) and send it to [Gwen Ward](#). SC election application is now available and needs to be submitted by the June 06 deadline.

**2025 Employee Holiday Schedule**

Memorial Day	May 26, 2025
Juneteenth Day	June 19, 2025
Independence Day	July 4, 2025
Labor Day	Sept. 1, 2025
Thanksgiving	Nov.26-28, 2025
Christmas*	Dec. 25, 2025

\*In addition to the above dates for Christmas Day and New Year’s Day, we will close campus on Friday, Dec. 19, 2025, at 4:45pm and re-open on Monday, Jan. 5, 2026, at 7:45am.

\* Friday, Dec. 19<sup>th</sup>, 2025: All offices will remain open and operating until 4:45pm.

\*Monday, Jan. 5, 2026: All offices will re-open and resume operations at 7:45am.

**Announcements & Reminders**

**Staff Council Wellness Day**

Sign up for Staff Wellness Day using link below (if you haven’t done so already):  
<https://forms.office.com/r/CEGymDKNcz>

**Retirement Advisers**

Use this link below to schedule an appointment with a financial advisor: [Retirement advisers available to assist Auburn employees](#)

**Active Shooter Response - Elevated Course**

ELEVATED: SS101C Active Shooter Response

**Upcoming Events and Deadlines**

- May 20 - PBS Day at the Auburn Hotel Conference & Dixon Center
- June 25 - Staff Council Wellness Day at the Rec & Wellness Center.
- July 23 HR Conference at Auburn Marriott Opelika Resort & Spa at Grand National

**Aspire**

- Current supervisors can take part in Leading People, even if they haven’t started or completed Leading Self.
- Supervisors of student employees can take part in Leading People.
- More information will be coming soon for aspiring supervisors. (They may have to complete Leading Self first. Chris Richie or the HRD team can share additional details regarding that.)
- We want to increase the participation of Staff employees who are supervisors in Leading People. (As of today, only 18 out of 500+ have started or completed the program.) We would love your feedback on how we can increase the participation rate. We would also love to hear from the departments.

<a href="#">Kimberly McCadden- Chair</a>	<a href="#">Jason Yeomans- Chair-Elect</a> Emaly Bryant, Tracy Dixon	<a href="#">Teresa Parker</a> Carrie Bowlin, Tanja Redd	<a href="#">Lindsay Petty</a> Simama Johnson, Anna Brazel, Kimberly Courtwright	<a href="#">LaDarius Ezell</a> Windy Johnson, Richard Speir
<a href="#">Gwen Ward</a> Kythia (Kat) Stofor, Sherree Wilson	<a href="#">John (Brad) Kenemer</a> Thomas Sharpe, Somchai Segrest	<a href="#">Daffny Pierce</a> Lindsay Norris, Tracy Thomas,Paul Mangareli	<a href="#">Chase Kilpatrick</a> Philip Lewis, Andy White	<a href="#">Deepa Devarakonda- IT Support</a>