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### Mark Anderson VPCMA Chairman of the Board 2023-2024

With the new year, we welcome the Association's 38th Chairman of the Board Mark Anderson, President of Anderson Oil Company, Fredericksburg. Anderson Oil is a full line petroleum distributor selling to commercial, retail and residential accounts in Central Virginia and Maryland including numerous convenience stores under the Marathon brand. Mark has served nationally as President of the Chevron-Texaco Petroleum Marketers Association in 2002, and on numerous jobber councils including Chevron, Mobil and Gulf. He founded Anderson Propane in 1996 and was President of the Virginia Propane Gas Association from 2014-2015. He has served on the VPCMA board since 2016. Thank you, Mark, for your service to the association and our industry.



*Pictured: Mark Anderson (L) receiving the board chairman's gavel from Immediate Past Chairman Corey Russell, Supreme Petroleum.*



### 1948-2023 VPCMA's 75<sup>th</sup> Anniversary

The year 2023 is also the 75<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the founding of what was then known as the Virginia Petroleum Jobbers Association. While much has changed since that time one thing has remained constant – the desire of a diverse membership to promote the industry and to advocate on its behalf regarding important matters of public policy at the state and federal level. The year will feature two major events celebrating this important milestone anniversary. The first is the Spring anniversary celebration at Baha Mar, Nassau Bahamas, March 19-21 and secondly the VPCMA annual meeting at the Marriott Virginia Beach where will recognize past association leaders at a special tribute on September 25th. Stay tuned for additional details

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## News from DEQ

### Tier II Reporting Webinar

DEQ will be holding a 2022 Tier II Reporting webinar on **Tues. Jan. 10** from 11 a.m. to noon. This webinar will cover the mandatory reporting requirements and electronic submittal instructions for Tier II Reports (EPCRA Section 312) along with EPCRA Sections 302, 304 and 311 (for applicable facilities) for the 2022 reporting year. Facilities that possessed any OSHA hazardous chemical above certain threshold amounts for at least a 24-hour period are required to submit a Tier II Report.

While this webinar is primarily intended for Tier II report submitters, anyone who wants to learn more about EPCRA and Tier II Reporting may [register for this training](#). If you are unable to attend the live webinar, you can register to receive a recording of the webinar or find the recording on our [Community Right-to-Know webpage](#).

### Petroleum Reimbursement Claims Update

As of Dec. 28, petroleum reimbursement claim payments are current. All delayed payments were posted for payment in the Dec. 28 payment batch. Weekly reports of reimbursement claims are available on the [Petroleum Reimbursement webpage](#).

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## Attendee Registration Open for 2023 Southeast Petro-Food Marketing Expo

Members may now go to the Southeast Expo website to register for the upcoming Expo, March 1-2, 2023. Go to <https://www.sepetro.org> and click on the **Attendee** tab at the top of the homepage. Scroll down to the **Attendee Registration** button to enter your information.

While on the website, check out the **online directory** on the home page and set up your **Show Planner** so you can make sure you visit all the firms you need to while at the Expo. The online directory allows you to search by exhibiting company name, category, etc.

Also check out the **Seminars** page with info on the various educational seminars that will be presented the first morning of the show. **Room Blocks** can be found under the **Hotels** tab at the top of the home page. Most blocks end 30 days prior to the show so please make reservations early!

VPCMA will be hosting our annual hospitality reception at the Sheraton hotel Wednesday, March 1st immediately after the show. We look forward to seeing you there!