

GEORGIA COUNCIL ON AGING

2023 CO-AGE LEGISLATIVE PRIORITY



Work and Save Program

The Issue

Many Georgians, including working caregivers, do not have access to an employer provided retirement program.

17 other states have either passed legislation or are considering legislation to create these public-private partnerships for small businesses to offer their employees a retirement savings plan that is portable and no cost to the employer.



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The Ask

Legislation would create the state-run program for caregivers and working Georgians to have an opportunity to offer employees a benefit of a retirement savings.

The Georgia Council on Aging (GCOA) and the Coalition of Advocates for Georgia's Elderly (CO-AGE) recommends that legislation be passed to create a formal Work and Save program for the state of Georgia.

About GCOA

The Council was created in 1977 by the Georgia Legislature to serve in an advosory capacity on aging issues to the Governor, General Assembly, Department of Human Services and all other state agencies.

About CO-AGE

The Coalition of Advocates for Georgia's Elderly (CO-AGE) is a diverse group of organizations, individuals, consumers, and providers interested in improving the quality of life for older Georgians through public policy.