ALABAMA REGISTERED ARCHITECT RENEWAL NOTICE 2021

All Alabama Architect Licenses are scheduled to expire on **December 31, 2021**. Please go to <u>www.boa.alabama.gov</u> where you will find the renewal information from the scrolling homepage (renewal application also available under the "Forms" tab in the top right corner). The following options are available for renewal:

<u>Renew Online</u>: We are pleased to continue to provide online license renewal to our licensees. This application has been designed to be easily navigated with simple on-screen instructions. Online license renewals are encouraged and provide immediate renewal confirmation with Numerous options available for payment.

Online renewal located at	https://www.alabamainteractive.org/boa lr/
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Cost for renewals received by December 31 st : (\$135 Renewal Fee; Convenience Fee* of \$4)	\$139
Cost for late renewals (January 1 st – March 31 st):	\$216.50
(\$135 Renewal Fee: \$75 Late Penalty; Convenience Fee* of \$6.5	0)

*Please note the convenience fee is not paid to the Board, but to the online renewal application provider.

Renew Manually: Download a manual form, complete, include a check, and mail to the Board office. Licensees who choose to renew manually are especially encouraged to renew at their first opportunity to allow adequate processing time and avoid the log jam as we approach the license expiration deadline. It is recommended that mailed renewals be sent via a delivery method that can be tracked.

Renewal form located at: <u>https://boa.alabama.gov/wp-content/uploads/2020/10/150117-001-Renewal-Application-2020-Fillable.pdf</u>

Cost for renewals postmarked by	December 31 st :	\$135
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Cost for late renewals (postmarked January 1st – March 31st): \$210 (\$135 Renewal Fee: \$75 Late Penalty)

To be eligible to renew, you must earn twelve (12) HSW continuing education hours during the period January 1, 2021 through December 31, 2021, unless the registrant is otherwise exempt (First Time Registrant, Emeritus Architect, Personal Hardship (approved in advance), or Military (Civilian on active duty for over 90 consecutive days).

Note: If you have renewed online today, please disregard this notice (renewals are imported in 24 hour cycles).

We thank you for your timely attention to your license renewal.

Paula Pilgreen, *Executive Director* Alabama Board for Registration of Architects