



**DATE:** January 6, 2012  
**TO:** Agency Chief Fiscal Officers  
**FROM:** Greg S. Griffin, State Accounting Officer  
**RE:** 2012 Mileage Rates

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The General Services Administration (GSA) has announced that the private vehicle mileage reimbursement rate will remain unchanged at 51 cents per mile, effective January 1, 2012. The Official Code of Georgia Annotated (OCGA) Section 50-19-7 requires the State of Georgia to follow GSA rates and changes automatically when the federal rate changes. Accordingly, the State's current private vehicle mileage reimbursement rate will remain at 51 cents until further notice.

The IRS recently announced that their standard automobile mileage rate will remain at 55.5 cents effective January 1, 2012. The [GSA](#) has indicated that the results of an evaluation they conducted do not support a change at this time, but will continue to monitor rates on a monthly basis. The State Accounting Office (SAO) will monitor the GSA website and the Federal Register and keep you informed as new information becomes available.

As information, below are the current mileage reimbursement rates that remain applicable to travel that occurs on or after January 1, 2012:

<b>Tier 1 Rates:</b>	Automobile	\$ 0.51 per mile
	Motorcycle	\$ 0.48 per mile
	Aircraft	\$ 1.29 per mile
<b>Tier 2 Rate:</b>		\$0.19 per mile

Please ensure the information contained herein is conveyed to appropriate staff in your agency. Any questions concerning this memorandum or related to the State Travel Policy should be directed to: SAO\_travel@sao.ga.gov.

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