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Each year, our society meets in the early fall for a weekend excursion into some part of Georgia (and occasionally part of an adjoining state) to see and hear what one or more of our colleagues has been doing. Every year the field trip leaders rely on people behind the scenes to help with various critical components of the event. It is these folks who are the ones that make it possible for the entire group (as opposed to a solitary field geologist) to travel point-to-point in reasonable comfort, to see some interesting geology, and to have enough time to meet new people and to catch up with old friends. This year is no different. We, therefore, wish to acknowledge and thank the following:

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