

# GEORGIA

## RESTAURANT INDUSTRY AT A GLANCE

Restaurants are a driving force in Georgia's economy. The foodservice industry creates thousands of jobs, supports career growth, and plays a vital role in every community across the state.

# 21,916

2021 EATING AND DRINKING PLACE  
LOCATIONS IN GEORGIA

# \$27.8 Billion

2021 ESTIMATED EATING AND  
DRINKING PLACE SALES IN GEORGIA

# 460,600

RESTAURANT AND FOODSERVICE JOBS IN GEORGIA IN  
**2021 = 10%** OF EMPLOYMENT IN THE STATE

BY 2030, THAT NUMBER IS PROJECTED TO GROW BY  
**20.9% = 96,100** ADDITIONAL JOBS,  
FOR A TOTAL OF **556,700**

A thriving restaurant industry benefits the entire Georgia economy.

- EVERY ADDITIONAL DOLLAR SPENT IN GEORGIA'S RESTAURANTS CONTRIBUTES **\$2.26** TO THE STATE ECONOMY.
- EVERY ADDITIONAL \$1 MILLION SPENT IN GEORGIA'S RESTAURANTS GENERATES **24.0** JOBS IN THE STATE ECONOMY.

