Allstate in South Carolina

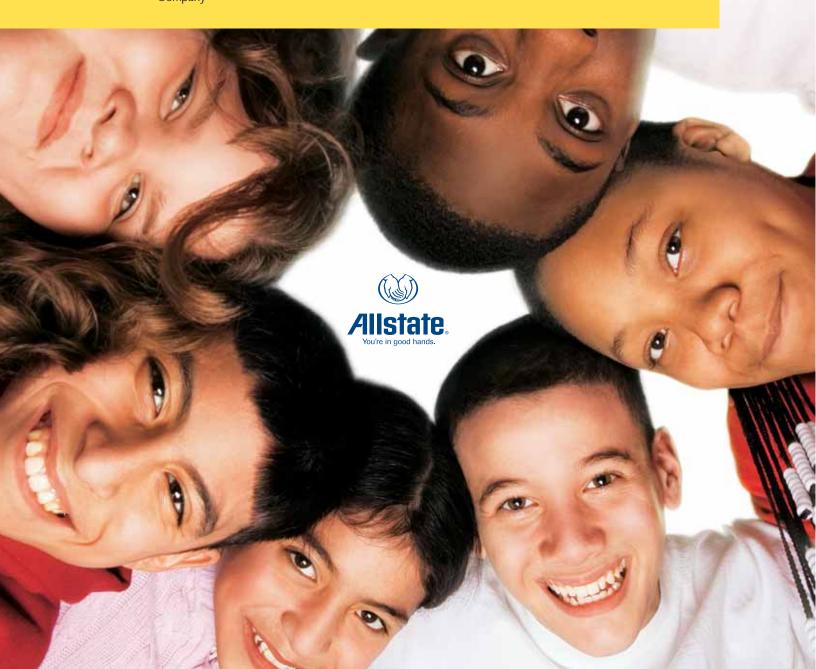


For more than seven decades, Allstate has built its reputation on promising to be there when customers need help to protect their lives, families, property and communities. We help them achieve financial security, through our insurance and financial products. Our intent is to be there when people buy cars and homes, start new businesses, send their children to college or plan for retirement. We are also there to help them through times of loss.

The values that help guide our business – integrity, caring, dependability, diversity and performance – are also at the core of our commitment to the 310,707 families in South Carolina communities that make the success of our region possible.

In both our regional area and across the country, Allstate is committed to strengthening our communities, protecting our customers, providing a great place to work and operating our business with integrity. That's our stand.

Tim Plohg Field Vice President Allstate Insurance Company



Allstate in South Carolina

Supporting local nonprofit organizations: The Allstate Foundation

Allstate believes that it is very important for corporations to take an active interest in the communities they serve. Foundation grants are awarded to nonprofit organizations that seek to improve the quality of life in their communities. The following organizations received \$39,000 in grants on behalf of the work that they are doing, which is in line with Allstate's focus areas.

Tolerance, Inclusion and Diversity

City Year, Inc. – Columbia
Orangeburg Consolidated School
District # 5 – Orangeburg

Safe and Vital Communities

American Red Cross Upstate South Carolina – Greenville South Carolina Emergency Management West Columbia Economic Empowerment

County of Georgetown Office of Board of Education – Georgetown Junior Achievement of Central SC, Inc. Columbia

Serving local community organizations: Agency Hands in the Community Grants

The Agency Hands in the Community award was created in 2003 to support the local community volunteer efforts of Allstate Exclusive Agents and Personal Financial Representatives. This award includes a \$500 grant from The Allstate Foundation. Grants are awarded to nonprofit organizations that seek to improve the quality of life in communities across South Carolina.

Total number of grants awarded:

21

Total amount given:

\$15,500

Volunteering in the community: Helping Hands

Our employees and agents are committed to the development and growth of their communities. Hundreds of volunteer hours are given to non-profit organizations to help impact their community programs. For Allstate employees in South Carolina "You're in Good Hands with Allstate®" is more than a company slogan — it's a way of life. Through their volunteer efforts, they put time, energy, expertise and compassion behind community projects, making a significant impact in the lives of those they touch.

Working for our customers: Allstate Employees and Agents

Total number of employees: 254
Total number of agents*: 198

*Includes full-time Exclusive Agents and Personal Financial Representatives

Protecting consumers: Autos and Dwellings Insured

Total number of autos insured: 467,186
Total number of dwellings* insured: 179,558
*Dwellings include homeowners, condos, and renters

Investing in local communities: 2004 Municipal Bond Holdings \$384,470,000

Contributing to charitable causes: Allstate Giving Campaign

South Carolina employees, agents and financial professionals consistently make a difference in the lives of those that they come in contact with by giving generously to charitable causes with Allstate offering a 15 percent matching contribution.

Our goal is to reach out to the community as directly as possible, doing the most good for the most people. We understand that working is how we make a living and giving is how we live.