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ENERGY SEMINAR FOR HOME BUILDERS

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TO BE HELD IN ST. MARYS-KINGSLAND AREA

For Immediate Release

ATLANTA, GA.....Georgia Tech's Engineering Experiment Station is sponsoring a one-day seminar on energy conservation for home builders in the St. Marys-Kingsland Area at the Kingsland Woman's Club on King Street in Kingsland, Jan. 31. There is no charge for the seminar, which begins at noon, and pre-registration is not required.

Funded through the Georgia Office of Energy Resources in cooperation with the Home Builders Association of Georgia, the seminars are being conducted by EES in order to provide home builders with the most current information available on constructing and marketing energy conserving homes.

According to Tom McGowan, project director for EES, the seminar programs will be a practical guide to new construction methods and their economic benefits. Topics to be discussed include new energy saving devices, new construction techniques, effective sales and marketing strategies, the effect of energy costs on the home buyer, and the effects of the new State Energy Code for Buildings.

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Home builders are encouraged to bring their lenders, appraisers, sales people and subcontractors.

The seminar for the St. Marys-Kingsland Area is the last of ten seminars Tech's Engineering Experiment Station has been conducting across the state. Other cities which were included on the seminar program are: Atlanta, Augusta, Calhoun, Carrollton, Columbus, Macon, and Savannah. Three workshops were held in Atlanta.

For further information, contact the local Home Builders Association.