

2020 NEW MEMBERSHIP PACKET

THANK YOU FOR YOUR INTEREST IN JOINING THE



Jacksonville • Onslow
CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

The Jacksonville Onslow Chamber of Commerce is a coalition of more than 850 area businesses, not-for-profit organizations, and individuals who pool their talents, resources, and experience to improve the local economic environment.

Our Chamber is an **ADVOCATE for business**

Our Chamber provides great opportunities to **NETWORK with other business professionals. Membership with the Chamber provides many exclusive **BENEFITS**. Members who give their time and talents contribute to the **SUCCESS** of the community.**

JOIN >>> GET INVOLVED >>> NETWORK >>> GROW

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WHY SHOULD YOU

BECOME A MEMBER OF JACKSONVILLE ONSLOW CHAMBER OF COMMERCE?

You become a part of an organization that provides a strong credible voice that speaks on behalf of the business industry in Eastern Carolina.

Your membership allows you to shape your community through participation in events and involvement in special task groups that apply business-oriented solutions to community concerns.

You have access to one of the most efficient, effective networking systems available to promote your business and expand your customer base.

We work tirelessly to promote our members and can provide you with resources and referrals to grow your business.

Boost your brand and community image.

MEMBERSHIP BENEFITS

FREE Networking opportunities with businesses and elected leaders

FREE Member Welcome Receptions & Seminars

FREE Category listings in the Chamber Membership Directory distributed to 50,000 readership annually

FREE Ribbon Cutting/Grand Opening Ceremonies

FREE Business postings on Facebook with more than 3,100+ likes

FREE Membership Plaque with company engraving

FREE New Memberships, Renewals and advertising posted in Chamber Connection (9,000 readership monthly)

FREE Member-to-Member referrals (We use and refer only Chamber members)

FREE Advertising in our Duke Energy Small Business Resources Room

FREE Advertising when you refer a new member

Add your logo to our website

Discount on the Leadership Program

Discount on vendor tables at annual Expo's

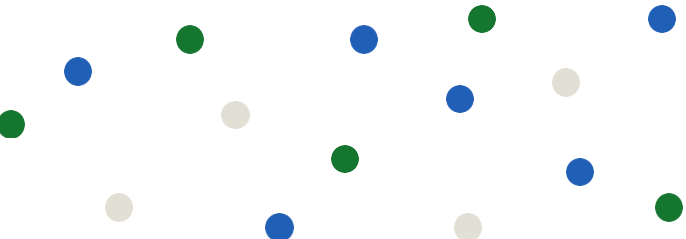
Discount on Meeting Spaces at Chamber of Commerce

\$55 E-Blast advertisements to send to over 2,300 connections

Small Business Counseling

Opportunity to participate in Chamber Committees

Member-to-Member Discounts (Member Advantage Card)



GET INVOLVED

"Involvement is the to Your Success"

The Chamber of Commerce has something for everyone who wishes to become actively involved in this organization. Here is a list of some of the opportunities open to you:

Ambassador Committee: Be the face of the Chamber! The Ambassador Committee assist in various activities such as Grand Opening and Ribbon Cutting ceremonies, Business After Hours, Membership contact and retention, Operation Thank You and innumerable other activities.

Business Diversity Council: The Business Diversity Council consists of a volunteer group of diverse business owners working together to spearhead the diversity business initiative. The Small Business Minority Enterprise Development Week is the council's annual signature event. The major components of the outreach efforts to help resolve issues that impact the diverse business community

Governmental Affairs Committee: Let your voice will be heard on issues of importance on a local, state and national level! The Governmental Affairs Committee works on behalf of businesses in Jacksonville/Onslow County legislative arena, and presents important issues to the public through Forum Onslow.

Military Affairs Committee: Help foster exemplary military/civilian relationships!! The Military Affairs Committee sees the value of a united business and military community in Jacksonville/Onslow County. Membership to this committee is by appointment only and requires a special application.

Small Business Council: The Small Business Council is a group of volunteer business owners, managers and leaders who operate new and established businesses in Onslow County. The committee serves as an open forum to provide resources and partnerships with the Small Business Center by providing seminars of various business topics and industry specified guest speakers to assist with challenges faced in the business community.

Workforce Advisory Committee: The Workforce Advisory Committee is an integral player in business/education partnerships. Partnered with the Chamber, Onslow County Schools, and Coastal Community College; they make it their duty to succeed in workforce development.

I'm Interested In:

- Ambassador Committee Government Affairs Committee Work Force Advisory Committee
 Small Business Council Military Affairs Committee Business Diversity Council

Name: _____ Date: _____

Your Company Name: _____

Email Address: _____ Phone# _____

Please return to: Membership Manager @ Jacksonville Onslow Chamber of Commerce

1099 Gum Branch Rd Jacksonville NC 28540 membership@jacksonvilleonline.org 910-347-3141 ext 236



CHAMBER ANNUAL EVENTS

What to look forward to:

Administrative Professional Breakfast An annual celebration that honors the hard-working men and women in our community and recognizes one individual as the Administrative Professional of the Year.

Business Expo The largest Expo for businesses in Onslow County. It offers businesses of all sizes the opportunity to showcase their specialty and target their customers. The Expo is held every year in the month of March. Featuring more than 100 of Onslow and surrounding counties best businesses, attracting over 2,500 in attendees.

Christmas Holiday Parade Each year, the Saturday before Thanksgiving the Jacksonville Onslow Chamber of Commerce presents the Annual Christmas Parade. It's one of the premier parades in Eastern North Carolina

Engaged Onslow Bridal Expo This is your chance to engage with wedding and reception venue sites, DJ's, jewelers, bakers, caterers, florists and more – easily and at ONE time at ONE venue. The wedding experts at the Engaged Onslow Bridal Expo will help you plan the wedding of your dreams with ease. This is your opportunity to meet the professionals in person and benefit from exclusive discounts from this show.

Education Golf Tournament This tournament raises money for student scholarships, Salute to Excellence Program and the Sturgeon City Youth Leadership program.

Minority Enterprise Development Week The Jacksonville Onslow Chamber of Commerce has joined in the nationwide observance of Minority Enterprise Development Week. During the week, the Fairfield Inn & Suites Minority Entrepreneur of the Year and the Linda L. Richardson Minority Business Advocate of the Year are recognized at a special Awards Luncheon ceremony. The week's events also include an African-American Heritage Trail ribbon cutting and unveiling. MED Mingle is our third event for the week, we honor Legends of Onslow with a small ceremony and plaque. The Mingle is a great evening event for networking and fellowship.

Small Business Week Each year, the Jacksonville Onslow Chamber of Commerce and the Coastal Carolina Community College Small Business Center provides an exceptional networking opportunity for businesses by offering free education to entrepreneurs and small business owners. The First Citizen Small Business of the Year and The Duke Energy Citizenship Service awards are traditionally presented to an awardee. At least 100 attendees attend the events.

Public Safety Awards The Public Safety Awards Ceremony formally recognizes a deserving public safety professional from the fields of law enforcement, firefighting, emergency medical services and emergency communications, who, through the exemplary conduct of their duties, have best served the citizens of Onslow County, its municipalities, Marine Corps Base Camp Lejeune and Marine Corps Air Station New River, during the past year.

State of the Community Breakfast This Breakfast program focuses on economic development, healthcare, education, military, local government and the positive impact of collaborative partnerships between the Chamber and other community organizations.

Trades Day The Jacksonville Onslow Chamber of Commerce partners with Coastal Carolina Community College to host this annual competition for vocation- focused high school students in Onslow and Jones County High Schools. Trades Day gives these students an opportunity to be recognized for their talents. With the generosity of local businesses, students are awarded practical gifts and tools to celebrate further.



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CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

MEMBER REFERRAL PROGRAM

HELP YOUR CHAMBER GROW!

How Does It Work:

- Identify a business, entrepreneur, or vendor who you believe will benefit from the Jacksonville Onslow Chamber of Commerce!
- Fill in your information below!
- We will contact the referred business and mention you as the referring business!
- When the referred business becomes a Chamber member, you will receive special incentives and be recognized in the Chamber Connection!!

** Referred member MUST be a NEW MEMBER to the Jacksonville Onslow Chamber of Commerce

YOUR INFORMATION:

Needed to give proper credit

REFERRED BUSINESS INFORMATION

Name: _____

Name: _____

Business Name: _____

Title: _____

Phone: _____

Business Name: _____

Email _____

Phone: _____

Email _____

...Onslow County, growing one business at a time

The Member Referral Program is a continuous program to grow the Chamber of Commerce and provide rewards and recognition opportunities to participants who forward prospects that result in memberships.

Fill out form below
And Place your
Business Card
Here!

MEMBERSHIP FORM

Your membership information is posted on our website and in our published directory. Please provide the information you want posted below or simply attach a business card above:

Company Name _____

Federal ID Number _____ Physical Address _____

City, State, Zip _____

Mailing Address _____ Same as above

City, State, Zip _____

Main Company Phone Number _____ Main Company Fax Number _____

Website _____ Main Company Email _____

Business Category _____

Brief Description of your company:

Main Contact: _____ Today's Date _____

Name _____ Position _____

Email _____ Phone _____

Additional Employees:

Name _____ Position _____

Email _____ Phone _____

Name _____ Position _____

Email _____ Phone _____

Name _____ Position _____

Email _____ Phone _____

MEMBERSHIP PRICING

Licensed Professionals

- A. Attorneys, Architects, CPA's, Physicians, Engineers, Dentists, Optometrists, Chiropractors, Vets
\$275 base + \$50 for each additional full time professionals over one
- B. Insurance, Investment and/or Securities Brokerage Firms, Clinical Social Workers
\$275 base + \$50 for each full time licensed professional over one
- C. Realtors and Real Estate Agencies
\$275 base + \$50 for each full time professional over one

Bed and Breakfast, Hotels and Motels

- A. \$275 base + \$6per unit

Financial

- A. Banks, Savings & Loans Credit Union
- B. \$275 base + \$20 per million on deposit up to \$100 million, \$10 per million above \$100 million

Apartments and Mobile Home Parks

\$275 base + 1 per unit

New and Used Automobile and Sports Vehicle Dealers

\$275 + \$5 per employee

Non-Profit or Not for Profit

\$275 (with budgets under \$100,000)

Home Based Businesses

\$200 (with a maximum of 3 employees)

Associate Members

Retirees and Non-Business Individuals - \$180 (which equates to \$15.00 per month)
Associate (individual) of Current Members- \$180 (which equates to \$15.00 per month)

Utilities and Communication Service Providers

\$275 base + .03 per customer (Electric, Telephone, Internet, Cable, or Cellular Services)

All other Business Membership Tiers

EMPLOYEES	INVESTMENT	EMPLOYEES	INVESTMENT	MEMBERSHIP INVESTMENT: Fill out following information and sign below	
1-5	\$275	101-150	\$1350	Total number of Employees	
6-10	\$330	151-250	\$1830	Full Time	Part Time
11-20	\$500	251-450	\$2425	Total Number of Licensed Professionals	
21-35	\$550	451-650	\$3030	Amount of Annual Investment	\$
36-50	\$645	651-850	\$3630	Additional Category Listing (\$25 each)	\$
51-75	\$730	850 +	\$4130	One Time Processing Fee	\$ 25.00
76-100	\$945			Total	\$

*Membership renewal will automatically occur on the anniversary of joining the Chamber

Check made payable to "Jacksonville Onslow Chamber of commerce" Credit Card



Card# _____ Exp. Date _____ Zip _____

Security Code _____ New Members Signature _____

Jacksonville Onslow Chamber of Commerce Membership Investment is non refundable. Your investment may be deducted as a necessary and ordinary business expenses , but is not deductible as a charitable contribution in compliance with Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act of 1993. 10

percent of your membership is not deductible as a business expense because it is allocated to lobbying expenditures.