

# MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

You also may apply online through our website:  
[www.cfchamber.com](http://www.cfchamber.com)

Business Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail address: \_\_\_\_\_

Website: \_\_\_\_\_

Type of Membership: \_\_\_\_\_

*See next panel for description/type*

No. of Employees: \_\_\_\_\_ Year Started \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Main Office \_\_\_\_\_ Branch Office (check one)

**Category:** (How are you listed in the Yellow Pages?)

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## PRINCIPLE OFFICERS/CONTACTS

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Title \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Title \_\_\_\_\_

## CODE OF ETHICS

*I agree, that as a condition of membership in the Cuyahoga Falls Chamber of Commerce, I will conduct my business in a manner that is ethical, fair and honest in all my dealings with my customers, vendors, associates, employees and fellow Chamber businesses.*

## EXPECTATIONS

What are your expectations of the Chamber of Commerce?

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**REFERRED BY:** \_\_\_\_\_

**SIGNATURE** of Company Representative:

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## NATURE OF YOUR BUSINESS

*Please give a 30 word or less description of your business. Include services, types of products.*

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# MEMBERSHIP INVESTMENT SCHEDULE

# Employees	NEW Member Rate	RENEWAL Member Rate
<b>Home based/Start Up Business</b>	\$145	*See description of membership
1-4	\$245	\$220
5-9	\$290	\$260
10-19	\$360	\$335
20-29	\$445	\$410
30-39	\$475	\$440
40-49	\$510	\$485
50 +	\$550	\$525

**We accept \*American Express/MasterCard/Visa\* and Check/Cash for dues investment payments.**

**When you pay with a \*Credit Card we will keep your number on file and automatically renew your membership for you as a convenience.**

Any Membership that is 90 plus days past due will pay the \*New Member Rate to be reinstated as a Member.

Current Member Rate includes renewal discount.

## TYPE OF MEMBERSHIP

- \* **Business**—any business may join the Chamber based on the **Membership Investment Schedule, this is based on your employee count.** Your listing in the Membership Directory will be listed both alphabetically and by business category.
- \* **Second Business**—any paid Chamber Member with a **Second Business** may have an additional listing for that business for **\$95.** Your Second Business will be listed alphabetically and by business category.
- \* **Associate**—any individual working for a paid Chamber Member, Retired or working for a Member Non-Profit Organization or Student Organization may join the chamber for **\$95.** You will be listed under your own name and your company name in the Membership Directory.
- \* **Non-Profit Organizations**—any Non-Profit Organization may join the Chamber as a group for **\$125.** Your listing in the Membership Directory will be listed both alphabetically and by business category.
- \* **Individual**—any Individual may join the Chamber for **\$245.** You will be listed in the Membership Directory under your own name in the "Individuals" category. **No business name will be included.**
- \* **\*NEW Home Based Business or Start Up Business \$145.** Must be in business less than 1 year and have no more than 2 employees. Requirement of this type of membership is a commitment to serve on a Chamber Planning Committee during your first year of membership. This type of membership is valid one time only and at the anniversary date of membership renewal you/your business will automatically go to the next level of membership dues.
- \* *For voting and election purposes, individuals, organizations, and business that join the Chamber of Commerce are entitled to one vote per membership.*
- \* *Membership dues are paid annually on your anniversary date.*
- \* *Membership dues may be used for tax purposes as a business expense.*

## **NOTICE - COMMUNICATIONS CONSENT**

*By you providing your address, telephone numbers, fax numbers, and e-mail address this gives the Cuyahoga Falls Chamber of Commerce permission to communicate to you by these means with information concerning events, and Chamber related activities. Your information will also appear in our Membership Directory, Chamber Newsletter and on our Web-site. Other Members and the general public have access to this information.*

**Please check the areas you are giving us permission to communicate with you:** \_\_\_Address \_\_\_Telephone # \_\_\_Fax # \_\_\_E-Mail

**Please check those you are giving us permission to publish with your information:** \_\_\_Address \_\_\_Telephone # \_\_\_Fax # \_\_\_E-Mail \_\_\_Web-Site \_\_\_Membership Directory \_\_\_Newsletter

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Print Name \_\_\_\_\_

# Cuyahoga Falls Chamber of Commerce



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151 Portage Trail, Suite 1  
 Corner of Portage Trail and 2nd Street in the  
 Green Trail Building Park in the  
 Green Parking Deck.  
 Cuyahoga Falls, OH 44221  
 (330) 929-6756 Fax (330) 929-4278

[info@cfchamber.com](mailto:info@cfchamber.com)

[www.cfchamber.com](http://www.cfchamber.com)

**OPEN** - Monday – Thursday 9 am - 5 pm  
 Friday 9 am - 3 pm

## **BENEFITS OF MEMBERSHIP**

*When you invest in a membership in the Chamber, it's much like any other investment you make. You can sit back and watch it grow or you can actively manage your investment by taking advantage of the many features included with payment of your dues.*

*Here are some of the major benefits of membership:*



## **NETWORKING**

### **Falls After Five Receptions...**

- \* Attend our version of *Business After Hours*
- \* Pure networking, bring business cards and be ready to meet other business leaders
- \* Sponsored monthly at a Chamber Member at their location

### **Monthly Lunch Meetings...**

- \* Includes a professional business speaker
- \* *Round Robin* Networking
- \* *Member Exchange Table*
- \* New Members receive their membership plaque and a 30 second commercial about their business at their first lunch meeting

### **New Member Welcome Coffees...**

- \* Meet and mingle with the newest Chamber Members over coffee and breakfast treats
- \* Hosted by a Chamber Member at their location

### **Coffee and Contacts...**

- \* A venue for presenting your business to 19 other Chamber Members in one (1) hour
- \* Hosted by the Chamber in our Conference Room

### **Goldmine Networking...**

- \* A "leads" networking group. Meets weekly/ monthly to exchange business leads. Times and locations vary. Breakfast and Lunch Groups.

## **PROMOTION OF BUSINESS:**

### **Visitors, Relocation Packets and Information Requests...**

- \* The Chamber promotes it's Members to Residents, Business Community and Tourists
- \* We only refer Chamber Members

### **Annual Membership Directory...**

- \* Gain recognition and exposure by being listed in this annual directory in print and on the Chamber website
- \* It's the who's-who of the Cuyahoga Falls area Business Leaders
- \* Free with your membership a \$100 Value

### **Community EXPO...**

- \* Display your companies products and services at this 1-day Community EXPO
- \* Over 4000 attendees and 70 exhibitors at the last Community EXPO at the Natatorium Community Room.

### **Health EXPO...**

- \* Display your companies products and services at this 1-day Health EXPO
- \* A Health and Wellness themed event

### **Referral Services...**

- \* Every year we receive thousands of calls from residents, potential customers and visitors looking for products and services in the Cuyahoga Falls area
- \* We direct customers to your door by referring Chamber members only

### **Credibility...**

- \* Chamber membership adds credibility and quality as well as visibility to your business.
- \* When searching for business and services, hundreds of people call the Chamber on a monthly basis.
- \* The Chamber has the reputation for providing the stamp of approval and being local authority on area business



**JOIN US**  
**TO START TAKING ADVANTAGE**  
**OF MEMBERSHIP BENEFITS**  
**TODAY!**



## **THE CHAMBER IS YOUR BUSINESS INVESTMENT: HEALTH INSURANCE PLANS**

### **United Healthcare Employers Resource Council (ERC)**

Providing human resources, benefits, compensation, policy services and resources to small and medium sized businesses in and around Ohio. Please contact John Friend, The Fedeli Group for a quote at 216-643-2750

### **WORKER'S COMP GROUP RATING PLAN**

#### **Compensation Consultants, Inc. (CCI)**

A "group plan" that offers Group Rating savings on your Worker's Compensation Rates.  
Call Bob Nicoll at CCI at 330-452-1050 ext. 14 for a Temporary (AC3) Review form/free analysis.

### **PHONE PLAN First Communications**

Savings on local calling plans, long distance service, dedicated internet access, dynamic integrated T 1's, local T 1's, PRI's Call Ashley Fairhurst at 330-835-2668 for a FREE savings analysis.

### **OFFICE SUPPLY PLAN My Office Products**

Discounts on everyday office supplies. Please call Bill Barber at 330-535-3163 for a list of discounted office supplies.

### **CREDIT CARD PROCESSING PLAN Electronic Merchant Systems (EMS)**

Discounted service plan available for Members only. Call Adrien Coluccio at 216-287-0081 for a FREE savings analysis.

### **MORE BENEFITS!**

#### **New Member Welcome Packets**

All new members receive a "Welcome Packet" of free coupons from fellow members. All members are welcome to participate in this coupon program which will give you great exposure!

#### **Tax Deductions**

Your Chamber Membership may be used as a business expense on your taxes.

#### **Ribbon Cuttings**

Call the Chamber when you have something to CELEBRATE! A new business, a grand opening or business expansion. Also a significant business anniversary will qualify for a ribbon cutting. **FREE service for Members only.**

#### **"MEMBER TO MEMBER" DISCOUNT PROGRAM**

Take advantage of a discounts offered from fellow Chamber of Commerce Members. Start saving today while supporting fellow businesses. Also a great way to promote your company.. ABC - Always Buy Chamber.

#### **MAILING LABELS**

Reach your market through a Member mailing! Available to Members only!

#### **MEMBER BROCHURE RACK**

**FREE for Members Only!** Display YOUR companies Business Cards and Brochures at the Chamber Office. We get Visitors, Residents and Business People at our Office every day! **FREE Exposure.**