

# What Is the CCBA?

The CCBA is an organization of Clackamas County businesses. We work to further healthy economic growth throughout the county by advocating for public and private policy decisions that promote job creation. We support the expansion of existing businesses and welcome new companies to the area. Our membership, across multiple sectors, employs over 10,000 employees in Clackamas County.

## Our current members include:

3J Consulting	Kuhl Company, LLC
Bernard's Garage	Koss Real Estate Development
Citizens Bank	Landover Properties
City of Happy Valley	Marks Metal Technologies
City of Tualatin	Metro
City of Wilsonville	Metro West Ambulance
Clackamas Community College	Metropolitan Land Group
Clackamas County	Miles Fiberglass & Composites, Inc.
Clackamas Emergency Services Foundation	MP Plumbing
Danielson Properties	Oregon Iron Works
Davis Wright Tremaine, LLP	Parr Lumber Company
Eagle Landing Ventures, LLC	Pioneer Pump
Endres Northwest	Port of Portland
Holistic Pet Center	Portland General Electric
JE Dunn Construction Co.	Providence Health Systems
Jerry Smith & Associates	Stafford Landowner's Association
Johnson Road Investors	State Street Solutions
Jordan Ramis PC	Vanport Manufacturing

“Through its advocacy and support, the Clackamas County Business Alliance is a valued partner in our efforts to promote job growth and development in Clackamas County. “

— *Paul Savas, Clackamas County Commissioner*

# Why Should We Get Involved?

Join CCBA and be an important part of sustaining a healthy economic climate for all Clackamas County businesses.

## We provide leadership, guidance and a unified voice

The Clackamas County Business Alliance works to identify opportunities and solve problems in the areas of workforce development, transportation and infrastructure, economic development, and land use. We are a “*voice of influence*” through our efforts and are able to directly affect policymaking and decisions that have an impact on the business climate within Clackamas County. We have commissioned studies on employment land to help decision makers understand our current need, and we have successfully advocated for inclusion of new employment lands in the urban reserve process with Metro.

## Establishing key relationships & constructive dialogue on business issues

The CCBA is focused on recruiting members across key industries in our county. At each of our board meetings, we invite leaders from across industry sectors to share their needs, challenges and successes. We use this vital information to focus our work and educate policy makers. Our relationships with key decision makers and their staff allows for positive and constructive dialogue on business issues. These relationships offer a mutual benefit not only to our members, but also to those officials and their staff. Local elected officials and staff frequently attend CCBA events, meetings and forums to better understand the concerns and desires of their local business community.

## Access to pertinent information

Another benefit of becoming a member of the CCBA is our access to and delivery of information on issues that have a direct impact on businesses. Our weekly email update provides timely, pertinent information to members as issues arise. Through the weekly update we are able to notify members of issues of importance and get a pulse of where our organization should and will weigh in on such matters. Additionally, we sponsor public forums throughout the year on topics ranging from hiring veterans, to urban growth boundaries and urban renewal districts.

# How Does My Company Join?

## Membership Criteria:

All employers, government entities or non-profit organizations located in Clackamas County, or those that do business in Clackamas County, are invited to become a member of the Clackamas County Business Alliance.

## Levels of Membership:

### Basic:

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***Basic Small Business Membership Annual Dues (25 or fewer employees) - \$500***

***Basic Corporate / Large Business Membership Annual Dues (26 or more employees) - \$1,000***

Basic membership provides the following benefits:

- Invitations to Quarterly Forums at a reduced cost
- Invitations to special events
- Electronic newsletter correspondence through the *Alliance Update*
- Opportunities to serve on the Alliance Board and/or Action Teams

### Premium:

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***Premium Small Business Membership Annual Dues (25 or fewer employees) - \$2,500***

***Premium Corporate Large Business Membership Annual Dues (26 or more employees) - \$5,000***

Advanced membership provides the following benefits:

- Invitations to Quarterly Forums at a reduced cost
- Invitations to special events
- Electronic newsletter correspondence through the *Alliance Update*
- Opportunities to serve on the Alliance Board and/or Action Teams
- Automatic Sponsorship of one Alliance event or quarterly breakfast (*including verbal acknowledgment, signs or banners posted, and acknowledgement via emailed event notification distributions*)
- Business advertisement as well as a link to your company website (if applicable) on the Alliance website
- Invitations to Alliance informational meetings and receptions with elected officials (county, state, federal, etc.)

## Cities, Counties & Special Districts:

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***\$0.03 x population (subject to \$500 min and \$4,000 max)*** – Provides basic level membership benefits

## Regional or State Government Agencies:

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***Flat Rate of \$1500 for Regional or State Government Agencies*** – Provides basic level membership benefits

## Non-Profit Organizations:

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***Flat Rate of \$250*** – Provides basic level membership benefits

Ready to join? Fill out the application located on the right side of this packet. For questions, call us at 503.657.1651 or email [info@ccba.biz](mailto:info@ccba.biz).