

# Join Today

**Invest in the Growth  
of your Business  
& Telfair County  
Today!**



## Telfair County Chamber of Commerce



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## What is the Chamber of Commerce?

The Chamber of Commerce is a voluntary, membership based, 501(c)6 nonprofit organization of the business community that unites businesses and professionals to build a better community.

The Chamber's **Vision** is to grow a vibrant, friendly community through Economic Development, Tourism and Partnership.

The Chamber's **Mission** is to advocate for the county by bringing all resources together to enhance the quality of life.

## Why You Should Join

### I. Visibility

- Referrals
- Listing on Chamber Website
- Announcements on Chamber Facebook page
- Chamber Newsletter Announcements
- Brochure/Rack Card Courtesy Display at Chamber Office
- Relocation Guides & Resources to Visitors
- Ribbon Cuttings & Grand Openings
- Free Advertisement in Chamber's Special Promotions (ex: Christmas Night Out)
- Shop at Home Program



### I. Savings

- Members may qualify for discounts on commercial property/equipment insurance premiums with participating companies
- Members may qualify for discounts on workers compensation insurance premiums through the Council on Alcohol & Drugs, Inc. "Drugs Don't Work" program
- Chamber members receive a discount on AirMedCare enrollment

### I. Economic & Tourism Development Efforts

- Your business benefits from the Chamber's efforts to promote and ensure the growth of the community through small business, industry and tourism.
- The Chamber speaks on behalf of the community on matters impacting the businesses and the community at large.



**Chamber Membership is the most  
inexpensive way for you to  
advertise your business!**

**Let the Chamber Work for You**

## How is the Chamber financed?

As in most everything, there is an expense in providing the services offered by the Chamber of Commerce and that is where you can help!

The Telfair County Chamber of Commerce is financed primarily by membership of the business community who are interested in stimulating new and improved businesses, maintaining existing businesses, and building a better community.

Remember, your dues paid each year to the Chamber of Commerce should be considered an investment in your business and the future of your community. Without your support, the Chamber will not be able to perform its duties in a manner that will bring SUCCESS to Telfair County.

The Chamber dues are not tax deductible as a charitable deduction but are tax deductible as a necessary business expense.

## Who can and should be a Member of the Chamber?

ALL businesses, industries, professionals and individuals are not only eligible to be Chamber of Commerce members but should be!

All chamber members have an open invitation to attend all Chamber Board meetings.

## Regular Annual Membership Types & Rates

Type	Rate
Churches	\$75
Civic Organizations	\$75
Educational Facilities	\$350
Financial Institutions	\$350
Health Institutions	\$350
Individuals	\$25
Industry Level I (1-50 Employees)	\$125
Industry Level II (51-499 Employees)	\$175
Industry Level III (500 plus employees)	\$500
Professional Services	\$125
Retail Level I (1-50 Employees)	\$125
Retail Level II (51-499 Employees)	\$175
Retail Level III (500 plus employees)	\$500
Utility Companies	\$250

In addition to the regular annual membership dues, you can provide additional financial assistance to Economic Development by becoming a “Cornerstone Level Member”.

This investment in the Telfair County Chamber of Commerce is far exceeded by the return that your business will receive as a result of development encouraged and cultivated by the Chamber’s activities.

All Cornerstone Dues will be dedicated to economic development uses, such as prospect development, economic development marketing activities and staff development.

**Cornerstone Level      \$1,000**  
(annually plus the applicable regular annual membership dues)



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