# Move your business forward by joining the Frederick County Chamber of Commerce!

- Being a member of the Frederick County
  Chamber of Commerce allows us to network
  with other community leaders who are serious
  about helping Frederick grow and move ahead.
  The Chamber is a place where we can all come
  together, roll up our sleeves and make it happen!"
  - —**LINDA ROTH**, Frederick County Bank Member Since 2012



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#### **ABOUT THE CHAMBER**

For over 100 years the Frederick County Chamber of Commerce has served as the voice of business promoting growth and the creation of opportunity in our region.

Since 1912 we've worked diligently with local government, education, private industry and a host of other agencies and organizations to improve the business environment and promote Frederick County as a premier community in which to live, work and do business.

Everything we do, every initiative we champion, serves one clear, bold goal: to move business forward in Frederick County.

## OUR MEMBERS ARE OUR PRIORITY

Our members are our number one priority. The Frederick County Chamber of Commerce represents and advocates on behalf of over 875 businesses, corporations, associations and nonprofits and approximately 32,000 full-time employees throughout the region.

#### WHO WE REPRESENT



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large businesses with more than 50 full-time employees

We support our members and their business goals with practical, inspiring programs, resources, events and advocacy on matters of public policy that directly impact the business community.

### Did you know?

The Frederick County Chamber of Commerce is also home to:

- Leadership Frederick County
- Entrepreneur Council of Frederick County
- Frederick Nonprofit Alliance
- Biotech Connector

- Generation Connect
- Women in Business
- Chamber Ambassadors

As well as focused committees centered around transportation, public policy and business health.

# OUR CORE VALUES ARE OUR PROMISE TO YOU

#### **LEADERSHIP**

We will strive to develop and provide cutting-edge leadership that transcends our membership and positively impacts the direction of the Frederick County business community.

#### **OPPORTUNITY**

We will work to provide tangible opportunities for our members that will enable their individual growth, fuel their business innovation and provide economic well-being and quality of life in Frederick County.

#### COLLABORATION

We will work respectfully, cooperatively and in partnership with our members as well as with municipal, county, state and federal governments and their representatives to create strong and successful relationships.



#### COMMUNITY

We will serve as the hub and facilitator for the Frederick County business community, bringing together current and aspiring leaders from all sectors of the economy to share ideas, strengths and expertise.

#### EDUCATION

We will inform the Frederick County business community through communication and collaboration with leaders to share expertise and thought leadership in order to benefit all.

As a small business owner,
Chamber membership supports
my ongoing commitment to
relationship building and selfimprovement. As a member, I
enjoy workshops that nuture my
professional growth, learn new
leadership strategies and hone my
managerial skills."

WIL GRAHAM, SpeedPro Frederick
 Member Since 2016

# Creating a Culture of Innovation and Collaboration for the Frederick County Business Community

### When you join the Chamber, you don't just invest in your own business growth, you also invest in the success of the entire Frederick County region!

Through your membership you will have the opportunity to build relationships, engage with powerful networks, influence community advancement priorities, pursue your personal development goals and access to exclusive resources.

#### Benefits of Chamber membership include:

- Monthly events offering networking and business development opportunities
- Educational and professional development programs
- Strategic community partnerships and initiatives
- Business advocacy and regulatory intervention
- Courses led by regionally recognized industry experts, speakers and thought leaders
- Immersive leadership development training
- Exclusive discounts on higher education, advertising, energy pricing and more
- Access to a regional network of elite business leaders
- Opportunities for business promotion via Chamber online news site, email newsletters and social media channels
- Complimentary PR Frederick and marketing pitch video services

- Online business directory listing
- Grand opening and ribbon cutting ceremonies
- And much, much more!

Remember everyone who works at your organization becomes a member when you join. This means everyone can use Chamber services, attend events and seminars as well as participate in savings programs!

Frederick Chamber Insights is an online news portal devoted to promoting our members and business in Frederick County, Maryland!

