

WHAT IS THE CHAMBER?

The Fannin County Chamber of Commerce is a community and business organization which advocates for its 750 diverse member businesses. The Chamber promotes and enhances the talents and resources of its members to create a climate of growth and success in the community.

The chamber improves the economic vitality and quality of life for its members and the community through leadership opportunities, volunteer efforts and programs focused on business, civic and social priorities.

* ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITIES

The Chamber enhances and leverages the talents and resources of its members to improve economic opportunities for all.

* ADVOCACY

The Chamber is an advocate for its member businesses, creating a climate of growth and success.

* IMPACT

The Chamber provides unique opportunities for individuals and businesses to make a difference by connecting them to important community issues.

* FOCUS

The Chamber helps build a stronger community by staying focused and involved in the top business, civic and social priorities.

WHAT IS OUR MISSION?

The Chamber's Mission is to provide services to members, support existing business, promote positive economic development and tourism, while preserving our community's natural resources and enhancing our citizen's quality of life.

The Fannin County Chamber of Commerce is also a full-time Georgia Regional Visitor Information Center, supported in part by the Georgia Department of Economic Development and Fannin County Hotel-Motel tax revenues. The Center is open and staffed seven days a week.

WHAT DOES THE CHAMBER DO?

- The Chamber administers the Hotel-Motel Tax for Fannin County, and is the primary agency responsible for developing and marketing tourism in the community.
- The staff greets thousands of visitors every year and provides detailed information on Fannin County to tourists, prospective new residents, investors and businesses. We display and distribute our members' brochures and business cards in the Welcome Center.
- The Chamber produces quality brochures, publications and advertising, including a community magazine, visitor guide, membership directory, Fannin County map.
- The Chamber has an excellent website , with more than 800,000 visits per year.

BENEFITS OF MEMBERSHIP

BUSINESS REFERRALS

LISTING ON THE CHAMBER WEBSITE AND LINK TO YOUR WEBSITE

OPTIONAL LOGO, PHOTO AND/OR MAP ON THE CHAMBER WEBSITE

BROCHURES AND BUSINESS CARDS DISPLAYED IN THE WELCOME CENTER

MEMBERSHIP DIRECTORY LISTING IN "INFORMATION PLEASE"

VISITOR GUIDE LISTINGS

RIBBON CUTTINGS

BUSINESS AFTER HOURS AND NETWORKING EVENTS

CO-OP ADVERTISING

HEALTH, LIFE AND AUTO INSURANCE DISCOUNTS

CHAMBER COMMITTEES

MEMBERSHIP SERVICES
AMBASSADORS
TOURISM
GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS
RIVERS ALIVE CLEAN-UP
VISION QUEST
LEADERSHIP FANNIN
DRUGS DON'T WORK
ADVENTURE RACE



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CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

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Gateway for Business Success in Fannin County

Ck/Cash _____	Member # _____
Database _____	Website _____
Member Pkt _____	Plaque _____
MailChimp _____	

Business Name _____ Contact _____ Date _____

Street Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Mailing Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____ Toll Free Phone _____ Cellphone _____ Referred by _____

E-Mail _____ Do you want to receive e-mail updates and leads from the Chamber website? Yes _____ No _____

Website _____ Full-Time Employees _____ Part-Time _____ Business Start Date _____

Business Description for Website _____

Business Categories

Each Chamber member receives one listing on the web and in the membership directory. Each additional listing on the website is \$10.

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| _____ Accountant | _____ Gas Propane |
| _____ Advertising | _____ Golf Course |
| _____ Antiques | _____ Govt Agency |
| _____ Appliances | _____ Groceries |
| _____ ATV/Motorcycle | _____ Hardware |
| _____ Attorneys | _____ Health Care |
| _____ Auto Dealers | _____ Hospitals |
| _____ Auto Parts | _____ Hotel Motel |
| _____ Auto Rentals | _____ Insurance |
| _____ Auto Repairs | _____ Interior Design |
| _____ Banks | _____ Jewelry/Gifts |
| _____ Bed & Breakfast | _____ Manufacturer |
| _____ Beer & Wine | _____ Marina |
| _____ Body Shop | _____ Newspapers |
| _____ Bottling Company | _____ Nursing Home |
| _____ Building Supply | _____ Optometrists |
| _____ Cabin Rental | _____ Orchards |
| _____ Campgrounds | _____ Pest Control |
| _____ Candies | _____ Pharmacies |
| _____ Cards & Gifts | _____ Printing |
| _____ Carpet Cleaning | _____ Radio Station |
| _____ Chiropractors | _____ Rafting |
| _____ Churches | _____ Real Estate |
| _____ Civic Groups | _____ Recreation |
| _____ Clothing | _____ Restaurants |
| _____ Computers | _____ Riding Stable |
| _____ Contractor | _____ Specialty Shop |
| _____ Dentists | _____ Transportation |
| _____ Dry Cleaners | _____ Travel Agency |
| _____ Education | _____ Utilities |
| _____ Electronics | _____ Vending |
| _____ Electricians | _____ Veterinarian |
| _____ Financial Mgt. | _____ Video Rentals |
| _____ Florist | _____ Wedding Svcs. |
| _____ Funeral Home | _____ Web Design |

Chamber Membership Dues Categories

Manufacturers	50 employees or less	\$250	All Other Businesses		
	51 employees or more	\$625	1 - 3 Employees	\$125	
			4 - 10 Employees	\$160	
			10+ Employees	\$220	
Financial Institutions		\$750	Churches/Civic Groups &		
Utilities		\$750	Government Agencies	\$ 65	
Hospitals & Nursing Homes		\$625	Individuals	\$65	
Real Estate & Insurance					
	1 - 5 Agents	\$190			
	Over 5 Agents/Employees	\$315			
	Real Estate Agents	\$125			

Second businesses are half price.

Membership Investment	\$ _____
Additional Listings - \$10	\$ _____
TOTAL ANNUAL DUES	\$ _____
ONE TIME FEE	
Website Photo - \$35	\$ _____
Website Logo - \$35	\$ _____
Website Map - \$35	\$ _____
(All three = \$75)	
GRAND TOTAL	\$ _____

Other _____
