

You are invited to serve on one or more Chamber Committees

POLITICAL ACTION

This committee serves to communicate with governing officials. Their role is to represent the interest of the Chamber members. They will develop relationships with local officials, state legislature members and national Congressional members. They will stay abreast of issues that may affect Chamber members and inform them of these events as they happen.

HOSPITALITY/SPECIAL EVENTS

This committee assists with the planning of any membership activity. This could include, but not be limited to, planning monthly meeting, after-hours socials, annual membership banquet or other special membership events that may take place on an annual or one-time basis.

This committee will assist with the coordination of relocation and welcome packets.

This committee will coordinate, with the fund raising committee, the development of sponsorship for special events.

MEMBERSHIP DEVELOPMENT/RETENTION

This committee will work with the membership to develop incentives to encourage new members and retain current members. This could include, but not limited to, doing membership benefits packages, etc.

This committee will need to coordinate closely with the Finance/Fund-Raising Committee.

FINANCE-FUND RISING

This committee will assist with the development of the annual budget.

They will look for creative ways to raise funds for the Chamber and implement those strategies with the Hospitality-Special Events committee. This would include, but not limited to, the annual membership auctions, etc.

This committee will prepare an annual report of business to be delivered to the Chamber members at the annual membership banquet. This report will include a financial analysis of the organization, how membership dues were used and any other pertinent information that demonstrates the financial condition of the organization.

AMBASSADOR/LEADERSHIP

This committee will coordinate the ambassador and leadership programs for the Chamber.

This committee will recommend for Chamber board approval no less than 12 current paid Chamber members to serve as Ambassadors and providing support as needed. They will create an incentives program for the Ambassadors to encourage their growth and level of participation in the program.

The committee will coordinate the Leadership Anderson County program. They will assist in the planning of the monthly activities, securing sponsorship and reviewing with the Executive Director to plan and implement the program of work.

EDUCATION ALLIANCE

This committee will work closely with the local schools and higher education programs. This would include, but not be limited to, developing a monthly visit plan to school, assisting with the development of a youth leadership program, developing a one-on-one relationship with key education officials.

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

This committee will serve as the source for information on economic development as it pertains to Chamber members. They may, on a regular basis, survey the business community to keep informed of issues, successes and up-to-date statistical data. This committee may recommend business development, expansion and recruitment ideas. This committee will maintain an inventory of the economic climate of Anderson County.