

ABOUT US

As a not-for-profit, member-based business organization, the mission of the Hampton Roads Chamber of Commerce is to serve its members and communities by creating economic prosperity and enhancing the quality of life in the region.

Since 1801, the Hampton Roads Chamber of Commerce has been building a stronger economy and a better business community. The Chamber represents nearly 2,000 member companies that employ more than 280,000 working men and women. The Chamber extends its programs to 17 cities and counties in Southeastern Virginia.

MEMBERSHIP PERKS

- Exclusive money-saving member benefits
- Exclusive Member to Member Discounts (M2M)
- Business listing and links to your website and social media pages on HamptonRoadsChamber.com, which has more than 4,000 unique visitors per month
- Business listing in the Chamber Membership Directory with distribution to 4,000
- Electronic updates and call-to-action alerts on legislative issues impacting you
- Free subscription to quarterly CONTACT newsletter and monthly e-newsletter
- Exclusive advertising opportunities
- Free job postings on HamptonRoadsChamber.com
- Free announcement/news submissions on "Member News" page on HamptonRoadsChamber.com
- Display Chamber logo at business and on your website – consumers are 63% more likely to buy from Chamber members
- Member-only submission opportunities of "Chamber Voices" columns for inclusion in a variety of Chamber communications
- Special pricing and advance notice of Chamber events
- Exclusive sponsorship opportunities
- Free subscription to *Hampton Roads Magazine* and a free three-month trial subscription to *Inside Business*

JOIN TODAY

Chamber membership starts around \$1 a day!

Call the Membership Department: 757-664-2504
or visit HamptonRoadsChamber.com

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IN BUSINESS SINCE 1801

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The Hampton Roads Chamber of Commerce is a not-for-profit 501(c)(6) organization. Membership is tax-deductible as a business expense, in accordance with IRS rules and regulations.

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MEMBERSHIP HAS ITS PERKS





Expand Your Business Network

Grow your business by networking with the Chamber morning, noon, and night! The Chamber holds more than 125 networking opportunities each year that connect you to more than 13,000 business leaders.

“The Chamber is a priceless means of networking and growing our business. Our Chesapeake location has been open for almost five years and is one of the strongest in the franchise system. We could not have done it without our involvement in the Chamber, and the Chamber’s involvement in our business community.”

Jason Kuller
Signs By Tomorrow-Chesapeake, member since 2005

Increase Your Visibility

Gain visibility for your business through members-only discounts, sponsorships, and advertising. The Chamber has many ways for you to reach nearly 70,000 people each year. Get involved and share your expertise with other members.

“Serving on a Chamber board has helped me forge strong relationships with other business leaders and sponsoring events like Beach Bash has exposed our business to hundreds of people each year.”

Delceno C. Miles
The Miles Agency, member since 2000

YOUR MEMBERSHIP PAYS FOR ITSELF!

As a Chamber member, you can save significantly by using exclusive member benefits like value-added health insurance, prescription drug discounts, merchant services, OfficeMax® and FedEx® shipping discounts, free conference calling, business communications, and more. Chamber members who take advantage of these discounts can save \$1,353* annually.

Join the Most Powerful Voice of Local Business

The Hampton Roads Chamber of Commerce, in partnership with the Greater Williamsburg Chamber & Tourism Alliance, promotes pro-business policies in local and state government, advocating for a variety of business-related issues on behalf of 2,750 businesses representing nearly 300,000 working men and women in Hampton Roads.

The Hampton Roads Business Political Action Committee (HRBizPAC) is a bi-partisan committee that presses for action on issues impacting business and supports candidates who share those views.

“The Chamber speaks for us with one voice promoting pro-business policies in local and state government and our elected leaders listen and respond.”

Bob Boyd
BB&T, member since 1919



“Our school has reduced operating expenses by taking advantage of many benefits offered by the Hampton Roads Chamber of Commerce. In addition, the member benefits department has been instrumental in keeping us apprised of any changes or new offerings from the Chamber.”

Kim Fariss
Norfolk Christian Schools, member since 1997

Learn from the Pros at a Fraction of the Cost

From the Business Education Series to one-on-one counseling through the Small Business Development Center (SBDC), the Chamber offers inexpensive or free educational opportunities to grow your business. Since 2006, more than 3,480 have participated.

“With the Chamber’s Business Education Series, you get bottom dollar pricing, for top shelf training.”

Kent Mayer
Trade Team - Colonna’s Shipyard, member since 1991

*Actual savings vary dependent upon program participation