

# Cottage Grove Area Chamber of Commerce

*-A non profit membership organization for businesses, by businesses*



*The Cottage Grove Area Chamber of Commerce promotes economic vitality through advocacy and collaboration with its members and the larger community.*

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## What Does Chamber of Commerce Membership Offer My Business?

- **Credibility** – when you belong to the Chamber of Commerce you are publicly stating that you support the local economy. Chamber members are generally viewed as the most reputable and socially responsible members of the business community.
- **Advocacy** – Chamber membership takes your single voice and amplifies it by providing a platform to advocate for local, regional, and state public policies that contribute to a business environment where businesses can grow and thrive. It provides you the chance to be a part of the conversation and help shape the community that you live in.
- **Opportunity** – by getting involved in Chamber committees, you can make meaningful connections with the people, businesses, information, and resources that you need to grow your business and make a positive impact in the local community. Cottage Grove Chamber Committees include, Training, Education and Membership, Promotions and Events, Tourism, Government Affairs and Greeters, among others.
- **Leadership** – The Chamber leads the local business community by convening a broad range of business leaders to address local issues. Issues that determine our quality of life, growth, planning, economic development, education, and all facets of community partnership.
- **Visibility** – There are hundreds of ways to make your business more visible through Chamber programs. We offer low cost advertising, ribbon cuttings, a listing in our directory, sponsorships and several other opportunities for businesses to take advantage of attending events like Business After Hours, and Chamber Forums allows you to meet new people, make more connections and be more visible in the community.
- **Community** – Your support of the Cottage Grove Area Chamber allows us to provide events like Concerts in the Park, The Main Street Chili Cook-Off, Christmas in Cottage Grove, and many other events that bring our community together as well as attract visitors and tourism dollars to our local businesses.

- \* Did you know that the Cottage Grove Area Chamber of Commerce is a Non Profit organization?
- \* The Chamber promotes Local Businesses?
- \* Provides Education and Networking opportunities?
- \* Advocate for the rights of small businesses?

**Working  
together to  
build a stronger  
Community!**

