

## Benefits of Being a Member of the Lafourche Chamber of Commerce

- **Networking Opportunities**
- **Marketing/Advertising Resource**
- **Educational Opportunities**
- **Volunteer Opportunities**
- **Corporate Visibility**
- **Business Referrals**
- **Member Sponsorship Opportunities**
- **Exposure to key leaders in Lafourche Parish, our region and the State**
- **Lagniappe:**

Includes an advertising opportunity

from Vision Communications; recognition in the Chamber Weekly Email and online at

[www.lafourchechamber.com](http://www.lafourchechamber.com).

Serving Lafourche Parish, Grand Isle & the Bayou Region of south Louisiana since 1994.

Join us in our efforts to better our business community.

### Mission

To serve as a professional leader in the growth of Lafourche by promoting businesses and providing resources which support the common interest of the community.

### Vision

To have businesses be active members of the Lafourche Chamber of Commerce that will allow for greater growth in the community.

### Values

- We encourage fellowship by providing networking and educational opportunities that appeal to the business community.
- We strive to communicate openly with members and welcome others into the process.
- We seek to promote development in our community to existing and potential businesses and individuals.
- We engage members by supporting common political and environmental interests of the community through active involvement in issues related to restoration/ protection, infrastructure, education, and economic development and governmental affairs.

## MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION & APPLICATION



**LEADERSHIP. RESOURCE. COMMUNITY.**

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## Who Are We?

The Lafourche Chamber of Commerce is a membership driven, non-profit organization of business professionals who work together to strengthen the business climate and the quality of life.

The Chamber was formed in July, 1994, as a result of the merger of the Central and South Lafourche Chambers of Commerce. This entity represents Lafourche Parish, Grand Isle and the Bayou Region of south Louisiana. The Chamber serves as a catalyst to organize and direct the energies of those who believe that a community worth living in is a community worth investing in to make it better.



## Who "Fuels" the Chamber?

Volunteer committees of members are formed to evaluate The Chamber's past efforts and to formulate new ideas/programs that will improve or enhance the quality of the services and events offered. Internal planning and development of each phase of the annual program of work is performed by the volunteer coalitions under the direction of the Chamber staff.

### Chamber Divisions

The following divisions define The Chamber structure. Check the box next to the division you would like to join.

- Economic Development – The Economic Development Committee promotes and supports the business climate through the enhancement of personal relationships between the Chamber and the business community. The Committee also helps develop an environment that will attract new businesses, industrial growth, and expansion opportunities for businesses within the region. The committee offers leadership programs, services and seminars that will assist Chamber members in the efficient operation of their business and inform them of business opportunities. This committee is also responsible for Families First Night and other educational opportunities.
- Governmental Affairs – The Governmental Affairs Committee fosters positive relations between government entities/officials and The Chamber. The committee also monitors federal, state and local issues that are directly relative to the interest of the membership. The Governmental Affairs Committee encourages voter participation by hosting local and regional forums and promoting elections and ballot items. The Chamber endorses policies, not candidates.
- Events & Marketing – The Events & Marketing Committee promotes and maintains enthusiasm and leadership in strengthening The Chamber's ability to build a better community. The committee also increases, coordinates and maintains a strong membership in order to provide a sound financial base for the organization. The Events & Marketing Committee is responsible for planning and executing The Chamber's special events throughout the year.

## Lafourche Chamber of Commerce

Name	
Business Name	
Mailing Address	
Phone	Fax
Email Address	
Web Page Address	
Date Established	Who introduced you to our chamber?
Number of Employees: Full-time Part-time	
Type of Business	
Signature	

### Membership Investment Categories

- Associate Member \$185.00
- (Business whose facility is located outside of Lafourche Parish of Grand Isle but does business within Lafourche
- BUSINESS - Number of Employees including owners:
 

1 - 10	Employees	\$185.00
11—20	Employees	\$250.00
21 - 30	Employees	\$350.00
31—50	Employees	\$450.00
51 - 100	Employees	\$600.00
101—250	Employees	\$800.00
251 +	Employees	\$1,200.00