



VIRGINIA CHAMBER SMALL BUSINESS ALLIANCE MEMBERSHIP

Small business is the driving force of the economy and job creation in Virginia. They are also the core constituency of our grassroots efforts. When regulations increase the cost of doing business in Virginia, it is often small businesses that suffer the most.

In June of 2011, the Virginia Chamber of Commerce committed to a partnership with local and regional chambers to ensure the voice of small business is heard with minimal investment and maximum impact.

The Small Business Alliance Membership is available to businesses with 10 employees or fewer who are members of their local Chamber of Commerce in Virginia.

SMALL BUSINESS ALLIANCE MEMBER BENEFITS

- **Receive insights from the Virginia Chamber's Public Policy and Government Affairs team**
 - *Chamber Briefings: Virginia Chamber e-Newsletter sent weekly during the General Assembly and monthly year-round*
 - *Virginia Chamber Policy Team Action Alerts*
 - *COVID-19 Resource and Informal Updates*
- **Invitation to participate in policy events, meetings, and other opportunities to provide stakeholder feedback**
 - *Examples: Blueprint Virginia 2030 Development Process, Get Virginians Back to Work Initiative*
- **Access to join statewide coalitions and initiatives**
 - *Example: "Virginians For Employee Free Choice" coalition*
- **Representation before General Assembly on issues that affect small business**
- **Access to Early Bird Registration Fees for Virginia Chamber Signature Events**
- **Exclusive Group Rate Pricing for Chamber Day at the Capitol**
- **Access to The Election Center**
 - *Resource to understand ongoing elections and where candidates stand on issues related to business in Virginia*
 - *Opportunity to participate in the "Chambers of Commerce Roundtable" to participate in the development of the election center*

For more information on joining the thousands of members in the Small Business Alliance contact Maryann Crowder at 804-237-1458 or m.crowder@vachamber.com.