# Waukesha County Business Alliance Advocate Develop Network Promote









## **YOUR County Chamber**



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You want to increase profits and drive success.
We want to create an environment that enables you to do that.

# Let's work together.

As a private, member-driven organization, the Waukesha County Business Alliance has been the voice of business since 1918.

Our more than 1,200 member organizations represent more than 75,000 employees. We have a broad and diverse membership representing everything from sole proprietorships to some of the largest employers in the region from a variety of industries.

We work to strengthen the economy in the county through four pillars: advocate, develop, network and promote.

#### **MISSION**

To drive economic growth in Waukesha County.

#### VISION

To make Waukesha County the best place to do business.

#### WE BELIEVE...

- ...All types of business, big or small, are important to the growth of Waukesha County.
- ...Empowering our member businesses to succeed is key to economic growth.
- ...Relationships built on integrity and trust drive growth.
- ...Free enterprise improves the lives of workers, residents and visitors.
- ...The business environment is constantly evolving, and we are committed to evolving with it.
- ...In giving businesses a forum to affect positive change in our community.



The Alliance provides a clear and persuasive voice for the business community and advocates for businessfriendly legislation at local, state and federal levels.

#### **POLICY BOARD**

All policy initiatives are driven by the Policy Board, which is informed by three policy committees.

#### **FOCUS AREAS:**

- Workforce development
- 2 Education
- 3 Infrastructure and the environment
- 4 Economic development
- 5 Government efficiency, collaboration and transparency

#### **POLICY PROGRAMS**

Business & Politics Networking
One-on-One with Public Officials





The Alliance is tackling the workforce development problem to ensure our companies have a pipeline of skilled talent. We also help cultivate employee growth through leadership and professional development programs.

#### **WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT STRATEGY**

- **Developing** our future workforce through partnerships with educational institutions
- 2 Attracting new talent to our area
- Retaining and skilling up our current workforce



### **DEVELOPMENT OPPORTUNITIES**

Leadership Waukesha County
Advanced Leadership
Art of Networking
Bridging the Gap for Waukesha County
Professional Women's Development Network
Sales Roundtables
Young Professionals of Waukesha County



Networking and connecting with others will help strengthen your business. The Alliance helps you build your network through peer groups that share best practices, large events with plenty of opportunities to connect with other Alliance members and everything in between.

From young professionals to small business owners and manufacturing HR professionals to executives of construction companies, you can find a trusted group of peers within the Alliance.











# 7 PROMOTE

Elevate your organization's visibility with the Alliance. Whether it's a sponsorship, advertising opportunity or complimentary listing, we'll help you get the word out about your business. In addition, the Alliance has awards programs to recognize the efforts of hardworking employees and successful businesses.

#### **AWARDS PROGRAMS:**

Emerging Leaders of Waukesha County Waukesha County Awards Gala

#### **ADVERTISING OPPORTUNITIES:**

Email newsletters

Accelerate Waukesha County magazines
Business directory

Member Spotlight

#### **SPONSORSHIPS**

RIBBON CUTTINGS AND GROUNDBREAKINGS



Alliance 101

AMP! (Alliance Morning Program)

Annual Meeting

The BIG One Golf Outing

Key Industries for Wisconsin

Manufacturing Voices

Savor the Flavor of Waukesha County



#### ATTEND ALLIANCE 101 TO LEARN MORE!

# ALLIANCE 101

This monthly workshop is designed for anyone who wants to maximize his or her membership with the Waukesha County Business Alliance. Alliance 101 will walk you through the wide variety of opportunities available with the Alliance. This informal session is a great opportunity to learn more and ask questions!

Visit waukesha.org/Alliance101 for dates and to register.



The Alliance works closely with the Waukesha County Center for Growth, which is Waukesha County's economic development organization. The mission for the Center for Growth is to

connect businesses with the resources they need to grow in Waukesha County.