



## Connection Program Information

### Why Host a Mixer, Ignite or Coffee Talk?

- Hosting is a membership perk! Typically 30-60 members attend
- Showcase your business to other businesses and community members
- You will have 5-10 minutes to tell the group about your business and give a tour if applicable
- Promote an upcoming event, or promotion for your business
- Obtain a business card of all attendees

### Host Responsibilities

- Provide drinks. Coffee for Coffee Talk & a minimum one complementary beer, wine or spirits for Mixer or Ignite. Please offer non-alcoholic offerings as well
- Provide food. Light nibbles or baked goods for Coffee Talk and light or heavy apps for Mixer or Ignite
- Venue must be large enough to comfortably accommodate a large group
- Hosting may be shared among a few businesses. For instance, one for the venue, and one for the food/drink
- Assist the Chamber to market the event
- Get creative and have fun!

### Chamber Responsibilities

- Promote event and your business online, on social media and in ChamberNews
- Will send out two separate invites with your business logo and event details
- Take photos to further promote your business after the event
- Facilitate event including introductions

Mixers 3rd Thursday from 5:00-7:00 pm

Coffee Talks 1st Friday from 7:30-9:00 am

Ignite Young Professionals + 1st Thursday from 5:30-7:30 pm

\*Dates subject to change

NOTE: We typically secure hosts 6-8 months in advance for these events.