



Lewiston Auburn  
METROPOLITAN  
CHAMBER of COMMERCE

### **Maximize Your Chamber Membership**

- Attend monthly **Chamber Breakfasts** and **Business After Hours**. Chamber events are innovative and fun ways to help members meet potential customers, clients and vendors, and generate new business leads. Arrive early and stay late. Shake plenty of hands and don't forget your **business cards!**
- Sign up to be a **Spotlighter**. Set up a display table at our monthly breakfast (it's FREE and it's one of the few times you can place a brochure in the bag at every seat).
- **Utilize your leadership skills** at Breakfast. Introduce yourself and invite potential business associates to join you at your table.
- **Volunteer on a committee**. Gain greater exposure while participating in ways that will benefit your business and community and advocate for local issues. **See back for committee descriptions**.
- **Sponsor** a chamber Breakfast, Business After Hours, the Annual Meeting, the Chip Morrison Golf Scramble or Downtown Trick or Treat. This will create more exposure for your company.
- Utilize the **New Members** information in the Breakfast program. Start a contact list and email, call or send a welcome letter to those new members.
- **Donate** one of your products or services to be given as a **door prize** at a chamber event.
- Use your **Membership Directory** as a reference to other chamber members who may be able to help you with any of your business or household needs.
- Use the chamber **online community calendar** to announce your **special events** and share your events through the Chamber's social media. **Link your website** or other **social media** accounts to the chamber's. Just log into your account on the website, it's easy!
- Purchase the **chamber mailing list** (due to the CAN-SPAM ACT we cannot supply email addresses). For non-profits, the fee is \$50.00 and for all others the fee is \$105.00. The list is emailed in Excel.
- Take advantage of the **Hot Deals** section of the chamber database to list special offers that your business is offering or to find special offers that other members are offering.
- Use our **Job Posting** section to help find the perfect fit for that job vacancy in your business.
- Use the Chamber's **Community Conference Room**, free of charge, for your meetings.
- **Notary services** and **Certificates of Origin** to verify goods manufactured by your company.
- Nominate your employees or their dependents for the **Annual LA Metro Chamber scholarships** and make tax-deductible scholarship donations to the **Chamber's Foundation** at [lametrochamber.com/initiatives/make-a-gift](http://lametrochamber.com/initiatives/make-a-gift).
- **NEW in 2017!!!!** Promote your business on the Chamber's **tourism website** [discoverlamaine.com](http://discoverlamaine.com).



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## **LA Metro Chamber Committee Descriptions**

### **Business Advocacy Committee**

Respond to governmental activity on the State and Local level. Represent business in the political decision-making process by meeting with elected representatives, monitoring legislation or airing concerns from a business point of view.

### **Education and Workforce Development Committee**

Support scholarship programs and strengthen a growing workforce through business/education initiatives.

### **Membership Services Committee**

Take part in expansion efforts through recruiting new members and following up with new members; greet members at events and support the efforts of the LA Metro Chamber through active engagement with membership and the community.

### **Tourism Committee**

Drive marketing to support a tourism economy in the LA Metro region.

### **Uplift LA**

Strengthen a vibrant young professional community by promoting career, social and community development.

**All employees of member organizations are encouraged to participate in  
LA Metro Chamber events, committees and programs!**