



Dear Potential GMSDC Corporate Member:

Thank you for your interest in the Georgia Minority Supplier Development Council (GMSDC). The GMSDC is the preeminent organization in the State of Georgia dedicated to increasing procurement opportunities for minority business enterprises (MBEs). GMSDC is a regional affiliate of the National Minority Supplier Development Council (NMSDC), which has more than 3,500 corporations among its membership. Enclosed is a copy of the **GMSDC Corporate Membership Application**. Please complete the application in its entirety. If the requested information is not applicable to your company, please state so on the application.

Consideration for Corporate Membership with the GMSDC:

- Pay annual dues as set by the Board of Directors;
- Report dollar volume of purchases from minority suppliers of goods and services. Figures are regarded as confidential.
- Establish a formal minority-purchasing program;
- Designate an official representative to attend the membership meetings;
- Participate in the activities of the GMSDC;
- Facilitate interaction among MBEs, corporate buyers and representatives, and other minority business development organizations;
- Convey a recognized standard of quality, leadership, cooperation, and prestige;
- Promote business opportunities for MBEs in the Marketplace;
- Be proactive in helping MBEs respond to issues and developments which affect them;
- Promote product and service capabilities of minority entrepreneurs;
- Identify and utilize all resources to facilitate and support access to marketing and contracting opportunities for all GMSDC constituents;
- Facilitate the access to capital for minority business enterprises;
- Each member is entitled to one vote at membership meetings.

The GMSDC Certification Department will review and process the complete application.

Annual corporate membership investment is:

Regional Corporations	\$ 2,000.00
Government Agency	\$ 500.00
Non-Profit Organizations	\$ 500.00

If you have any questions about the application process, please contact a GMSDC staff member at (404) 589-4929.

Thank you for your interest in GMSDC.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "George Lottier".

George Lottier
Executive Director

GEORGIA MINORITY SUPPLIER DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL

CORPORATE MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

Company Name: _____

Primary Contact: _____ Title: _____

Telephone Number: () _____ Facsimile Number: () _____

Email: () _____ Website: _____

Mailing Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

CEO: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Mailing Address: _____
(if different from above)

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Business Description: _____
(products and services)

Typical Purchasing Needs: _____

Do you have a minority-purchasing program? yes no

If not, do you anticipate establishing a minority-purchasing program? yes no

If so when? _____

Would you like assistance on developing a minority-purchasing program? yes no

Do you have established minority-purchasing spending goals? yes no

Do you require certification? yes no

Do you receive federal dollars? yes no

Do you track dollars spent with minority business enterprises? yes no

Amount spent with minority vendors in previous year \$ _____

Will you host a mini-fair and/or a GMSDC meeting at your facility? yes no

How did you learn about GMSDC: _____

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Application Payment Information
(please check one)

Annual Corporate Membership investment:

Regional Corporations	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$1,500.00
Government Agencies	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$ 500.00
Non-Profit Organizations (501c3)	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$ 500.00

Credit Card#: _____ Exp. date: _____

Signature: _____

Typed or printed name: _____

Our check will be mailed

Please complete and return this form with your check or credit card number to:

**Georgia Minority Supplier Development Council
100 Edgewood Avenue; Suite 1610
Atlanta, GA 30303
Or
Fax to 404.589.4925**

If you are interested in National Corporate Membership with NMSDC please call 212.944.2430