

We appreciate your interest in the Georgia Minority Supplier Development Council (GMSDC). Membership within the GMSDC demonstrates your corporation's commitment to supplier diversity and inclusive contracting practices. The GMSDC is the preeminent certifying organization in the State of Georgia dedicated to increasing procurement opportunities for minority business enterprises (MBEs).

The GMSDC is one of the largest Councils in the National Minority Supplier Development Council Network with more than 900 certified minority businesses. Innovative programs, strategic match-making, and a commitment to business development are some of the benefits enjoyed by our corporate members.

Enclosed is the *GMSDC Corporate Membership Application*. Please complete the application in its entirety. If any of the requested information is not applicable, please indicate with "Not Applicable."

Considerations for Corporate Membership:

- Designate an official representative to attend the membership meetings;
- Establish a formal minority-purchasing program; Identify and utilize resources to support access to contracting opportunities for GMSDC constituents;
- Promote business opportunities for MBEs in the marketplace;
- Promote product and service capabilities of minority entrepreneurs;
- Report dollar volume of purchases from minority suppliers of goods and services
- Facilitate interaction among MBEs, buyers, and other minority business development organizations;
- Proactively assist MBEs in responding to issues and developments which may affect them;
- Participate in the activities of the GMSDC; and

The Corporate Services & Business Development Director will review and process the application.

Annual not-for profit membership investment is: \$3,000.00 Annual for-profit membership investment is: \$4,000.00

If you have any questions about the application process, please call Otis Crum at (404) 589-4923 or via email at <u>otisc@gmsdc.org</u>.

Thank you for your interest. We look forward to a great partnership!

Sincerely,

Stacey Key Stacey Key President and CEO



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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:			
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 MBEs to be certified in order to compete for contracts?		🖵 Yes	🗖 No
Do you track dollars spent with minority business enterprises?		🛛 Yes	🗖 No
Are you interested in hosting a mini-fair at GMSDC or your facility?		🗖 Yes	🗖 No
How did you learn about GMSDC?			

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Application Payment Information

(Please check one)

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Check will be mailed

Credit Card payments can be made online by visiting Corporate Member Payments

Please complete and return this form with your check to:

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