

Wyandot County Office of Economic Development

Organizational Overview

Wyandot County Economic Development Mission:

The Wyandot County Office of Economic Development (WCOED) has been established to support growth of existing local businesses, recruit new businesses in targeted industrial sectors, advance the community's economic competitiveness, and ultimately improve the overall quality of life in the Wyandot County Area.

Organizational Structure:

The organization is structured as a private / public partnership with support from the Board of Wyandot County Commissioners, City of Upper Sandusky, Village of Carey, Village of Sycamore, Wyandot Memorial Hospital, and numerous private sector businesses. The WCOED partners with the Wyandot County Board of Commissioners to fund a full-time Economic Development Director in Wyandot County. As such, the WCOED Executive Director also serves in a leadership capacity for the Wyandot County Regional Planning Commission. The combined offices are located on the first floor of the Wyandot County Courthouse.

Fee Structure:

The Wyandot County Office of Economic Development Inc. operates as a 501(c)(6) non-profit business league with the mission of improving the economic viability in the Wyandot County area. *Dues and other payments to the organization are tax deductible to businesses as "ordinary and necessary business expense".* A WCOED Board Membership with voting rights is \$1,000.00 annually.

Current Members (January 2015):

- AEP Ohio
- Alvada ACI Construction Company Inc.
- Angeline Industries
- Carey Area Chamber of Commerce
- City of Upper Sandusky
- Clouse Construction Corporation
- Commercial Savings Bank
- CSI Construction Services Inc.
- Custom Glass Solutions by Guardian
- Edward Jones of Upper Sandusky
- First Citizens National Bank
- First National Bank of Sycamore
- Kimmel Corporation
- M.C. Diversified
- North Central Electric Cooperative
- Ohio Power Systems, LLC
- Peterman Associates Inc.
- Pfeifer Hardware
- Reineke Motors, Inc.
- Roth & Bacon Attorneys at Law
- Roynon Electrical Products Company
- Schilling Propane Company
- S&P Alliance Of Northwest Ohio
- Sycamore Telephone Company
- The National Lime & Stone Company
- United Country Walton Realty & Auction
- United Insurance Service
- Upper Sandusky Area Chamber
- Upper United Development Corp.
- Vaughn Industries
- Village of Carey
- Village of Sycamore
- Wyandot County Commissioners
- Wyandot Memorial Hospital

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Platinum Level: \$2,500+ per year:

1. Seat on WCOED Board of Directors (Includes voting privileges)
2. Featured on membership investors web page (Includes brief company profile, company logo and website link)
3. Seat on WCOED Strategic Planning Committee
4. Table at the annual dinner (6 tickets)
5. Invitation to ribbon cutting ceremonies & new company receptions
6. Committee involvement
7. Election as officer eligibility
8. E-newsletters

Gold Level: \$1,000+ per year

1. Seat on WCOED Board of Directors (Includes voting privileges)
2. Enhanced listing on membership investors web page (Includes company logo and link to website)
3. Two (2) tickets to the annual dinner
4. Invitation to ribbon cutting ceremonies & new company receptions
5. Committee involvement
6. Election as officer eligibility
7. E-newsletters
8. Annual BR&E report

A Silver Level: (\$500+ per year) membership is also available for those that do not wish to have voting privileges, but would prefer to be involved in meetings and organizational discussion only.

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Membership Form

Contact Information

Name _____

Company Name _____

Title _____ Number of employees _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____ Fax _____

E-mail _____

Website _____

Membership Type

- Platinum Level (\$2,500+)**
- Gold Level (\$1,000+)**
- Silver Level (\$500+)

Membership in the Wyandot County Office of Economic Development is open to any individual or entity residing in, employed in, conducting business in, or representing any political subdivision in Wyandot County who has an interest in helping achieve the organization's mission and goals. While monetary donations of any amount are accepted and greatly appreciated, **a financial commitment of \$1000.00 or more will grant the individual or organization voting rights on the Board of Directors. The WCOED is a 501(c)(6) organization. Dues and other payments to the organization are tax deductible to businesses as an "ordinary and necessary business expense".**

Please contact the WCOED office for further information.