

LAKWOOD CHAMBER OF COMMERCE OPPORTUNITIES FOR INVOLVEMENT

TASK FORCE AND COMMITTEE INFORMATION

Maximize the value of your Chamber membership by getting involved!

You get out of your membership what you put in. Please use this form to select the committee(s) and/or task force(s) on which you would like to serve and you will be contacted by a fellow committee or task force member.

Your Name: _____ Email: _____

Your Company/Organization: _____

Fax No. _____ Phone No. (Work) _____ Phone No. (Home) _____

Please indicate your choices (✓) using the descriptions below in determining which committees can best use your talents. Return this completed form to Patty Ryan at the Lakewood Chamber of Commerce via email at pryan@lakewoodchamber.org, fax (216) 226-1340, or mail: 16017 Detroit Ave., Lakewood OH 44107.

Task Forces & Committees

_____ **Legislative and Governmental Affairs Task Force**

- Monitors local government issues and builds relationships with local government officials on behalf of the business community.
- Meets on the 2nd Tuesday of each month at 7:30am at the Chamber office.

_____ **Education Committee**

- Identifies topics and develops programs to educate Chamber members through seminars, panel discussions, and workshops.
- Meets on the first Thursday of the month at noon.

_____ **Membership/Marketing Task Force**

- Develops and implements initiatives to market the Chamber and attract and retain members.
- Meets on the 3rd Tuesday of each month at 8:30am at the Chamber office.

_____ **Economic Development Task Force**

- Collaborates with local economic development organizations to facilitate and/or stimulate economic development in the City of Lakewood.
- Meets on the 3rd Wednesday of each month at 10:00am.

_____ **Finance Committee**

- Typically made up of Chamber of Commerce Board members, this committee provides guidance and fiscal oversight of the Chamber's finances.
- Meets quarterly.

Special Events Planning*

_____ **Annual *Taste of Lakewood* Committee**

- Promotes and organizes the Chamber's largest annual fundraising event that funds our high school scholarship program.
- The Taste of Lakewood is held in early June.

_____ **Annual *Holiday Bid & Buy Online Auction* Committee**

- Promotes and organizes the Chamber's growing annual online holiday auction fundraising event that promotes businesses, organizations, and individuals who donate goods and services.
- The Holiday Bid & Buy Online Auction is held each mid-November to early-December.

_____ **Annual *Holiday Party* Committee**

- Organizes the Chamber's annual holiday party.
- The holiday party is held from 6-8pm on the second Thursday of December.

_____ **Annual *Scramble for Lakewood Golf Outing* Committee**

- Works with members of the Lakewood/Rocky River Rotary Club and Pillars of Lakewood to organize this annual fundraising and networking event.
- This event is typically held on a Monday in August or September.

**Contact the Chamber at 216-226-2900 for information on special event meeting dates and times.*

For more information about Chamber events, visit www.lakewoodchamber.org.