New Member **APPLICATION**

GBN THE GwinnettBusinessNetwork
Give Business to Each Other

MISSION STATEMENT *Impacting business growth through high quality business relationships.*

This is an application for membership only. No guarantees of membership are stated or implied.

Name:_____ Birthday (mm/dd)_____

Legal Business Name:_____

Street Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip:_____

Business Phone: _____ Cell: _____

Email Address: (work)_____ (personal)_____

Business Website: _____

Business Facebook: _____ Business Instagram :_____

Business Twitter:_____ Google Business: _____

Linkedin _____

Home Address: _____

Business Category to be represented (please list only one)? _____

Gwinnett Business Network member who referred you to the group?_____

How long has Business been in the area/in operation?_____Years How long have you been with them?_____Years

Describe your industry knowledge/experience?_____

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What is your Job Title or Role?_____ ❑ Part-Time ❑ Full-Time

Do you spend time directly with customers and other business contacts? ❑ Yes ❑ No

Do you belong to other networking organizations? ❑ Yes ❑ No

If yes, please list organizations_____

CUSTOMER REFERENCES AND PHONE NUMBER (*Must be Non-GBN members*)...

Name: _____ Company: _____ Phone:_____

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ABOUT THE GWINNETT BUSINESS NETWORK...

Our business networking group has been located in the Duluth & Suwanee, GA areas since 2011. The group was founded with great small business owners, many of which are still a part of the group and have been engaged for years. The Gwinnett Business Network provides a supportive group where you can give and receive business.

Belonging to The Gwinnett Business Network is like having your own sales team for your business, because all of them carry several of your business cards around with them. When they meet someone who could use your products or services, they share your contact information and recommend you.

Personal relationships provide opportunities to develop trust amongst our members, which we find leads to more referrals. The group meets weekly to nurther these relationships and to provide a structured means of passing business to one another.

ABOUT MEMBERSHIP & MEMBER EXPECTATIONS...

The Gwinnett Business Network allows one representative per profession to avoid competition between members. Membership is not a shared seat between other company employees. ***The person applying for membership must attend the majority of the meetings. The person must exhibit a strong moral standard and business ethic is required. New Member Training must be completed within 60 days of acceptance.*** If these standards are not met, the member will be placed on probation; The Gwinnett Business Network reserves the right to terminate membership.

Are you willing and able to commit to arrive at weekly meetings on time and remain for the entire meeting (75 minutes), attend new member training, abide by GBN polices and code of ethics? ❑ Yes ❑ No

Are you willing and able to have a monthly minimum number of two (2) Digging Deeper meetings? ❑ Yes ❑ No

Are you willing and able to attend all weekly meetings, or have a substitute if unable to attend? ❑ Yes ❑ No

Are you willing and able to bring one (1) qualified guest per month to meetings? ❑ Yes ❑ No

Are you willing and able to meet the minimum yearly revenue given to GBN members of $2,500? ❑ Yes ❑ No

To be considered, complete and submit this application to the Membership Committee along with the $399.00 yearly membership fee by company check. If you would like to pay via Zelle, please use this email address: treasurer@gwinnettbusinessnetwork.com and submit a payment for $406.00 (includes a $7.00 transaction fee). If your check is returned for non-sufficient funds (NSF), you will be responsible for the maximum processing fee allowed by law. Your application will be reviewed and you will be notified within three (3) weeks of your acceptance. Remember: membership is not permanent; everyone goes through a yearly renewal process. Basic networking rules are required in order to continue as a Gwinnett Business Network member. By signing, you agree that you have read, and will abide by, the terms of this application for membership. **Upon acceptance, membership fees are non-refundable, without exception.**

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If your membership is declined, your check will be shredded after you have been notified. If you paid by Zelle, your $399.00 membership amount will be returned the same way after you have been notifed.

Applicant Signature _____ Date _____

For GBN use only. Do not write below this line.

❑ Check # _____ ❑ Venmo Amount: _____

Date Application Submitted:_____ Date Approved/Declined _____ Date Inducted: _____