

BUSINESS and PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

American Advertising Federation - Greenville

www.AAFGreenville.org

AAF Greenville, as a member of the American Advertising Federation, is dedicated to the freedom-to-advertise principle. The club seeks to serve its industry and its membership through networking and socialization; addressing worthwhile causes through advertising, advancing professional standards; fostering education and advertising awareness for students; advertising professionals, elected officials, and the public; protecting and promoting the industry's self-regulatory process; and recognizing creative excellence in advertising.

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Better Business Bureau of the Upstate

www.upstatesc.bbb.org

The Better Business Bureau is an independent non-profit organization that works to combat consumer fraud and to maintain ethical practices in the advertising and selling of products and services. The Better Business Bureau promotes ethical relationships between businesses and the public through voluntary self-regulation, consumer and business education, and service excellence.

Kathy Barrett, President

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Fountain Inn Chamber of Commerce

www.fountaininnchamber.org

The Chamber's purpose is to promote Fountain Inn as a viable place to live and work. The mission is threefold including economic expansion, community growth, and member development. The Chamber provides information on industries and businesses in Fountain Inn to business representatives, newcomers, and others.

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German American Chamber of Commerce – South Carolina Chapter

The mission of the GACC South is to promote and expand bilateral trade and investment between the Federal Republic of Germany and the United States of America.

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Greater Greenville Association of Realtors

www.ggar.com

Greater Greenville Association of Realtors is a trade association of agents, brokers, and interested representatives of the business community working cooperatively and harmoniously for the benefit of its members and the community.

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Greater Greenville Chamber of Commerce

www.greenvillechamber.org

The purpose of the Chamber is to promote quality development of upstate South Carolina through balanced growth, service to members and to the public, and a community-wide approach to the issues shaping the region's future. Economic development is encouraged through small business services and newcomer services. A variety of business-related services and training opportunities are also available.

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Greater Greer Chamber of Commerce

www.greerchamber.com

The Chamber is a nonprofit organization which promotes business and community interests.

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Greenville County Bar Association

www.greenvillecountybar.org

The primary purpose of the Greenville County Bar Association is to promote the common business and professional interests of lawyers practicing in Greenville County.

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Greer Development Corporation

www.greerdevelopment.com/

The Greer Development Corporation promotes economic growth and development in Greer, South Carolina. The organization is primarily focused on recruitment and retention of businesses involved in manufacturing, commercial, and office activities.

Reno Deaton, Executive Director

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Home Builders Association of Greenville

www.HBAofgreenville.com

The Home Builders Association of Greenville promotes successful and ethical business practices in the building industry while providing high-quality, affordable housing to the community.

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Institution of Mechanical Engineers

www.imeche.org

Established in 1847, the Institution of Mechanical Engineers is the leading body for professional mechanical engineers. With a world-wide membership now in excess of 75,000 engineers, the group is the United Kingdom's qualifying body for Chartered and Incorporated mechanical engineers.

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National League of American Pen Women

www.americanpenwomen.org/membership/Branches.cfm

The league is an organization for professional women artists, writers, and composers. The NLAPW was founded in 1897 as a professional organization for Women Artists, Composers, and Writers. The Carolina Piedmont Branch was founded in 1951.

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Service Corps of Retired Executives (SCORE) – Piedmont Chapter #0232

www.piedmontscore.org www.score.org

SCORE is a nonprofit organization dedicated to helping the small business community through no-fee mentoring and business counseling and low-cost/free workshops. SCORE is a member of the Alliance for Small Business and Nonprofit Organizations.

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Simpsonville Area Chamber of Commerce

www.simpsonvillechamber.com

The Simpsonville Area Chamber of Commerce is an active group of business organizations and professional individuals dedicated to enhancing the local community and its commerce.

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Small Business Development Center of South Carolina

www.clemson.edu/sbdc

The Small Business Development Center provides confidential consulting and management training courses tailored to meet the needs of entrepreneurs and small business owners. Key areas of assistance include business planning, financial planning/loan packaging, starting/expanding a small business, marketing and resources for procurement and international trade.

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South Carolina Firefighters' Association

www.scfirefighters.org

The South Carolina Firefighters' Association provides services such as education, training, benefits and representation to the fire departments of the state. The association enhances the professionalism and capabilities of the fire service in dealing with incidents involving fire, rescue, hazardous materials, acts of terrorism, and natural disasters.

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Travelers Rest Area Business Association

<http://mytraba.org/>

The Travelers Rest Business Association enables local businesses to network with each other, creating a desirable business environment and developing a healthy community atmosphere.

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