



It is an exciting time here at Greater Grays Harbor. There are an abundance of opportunities throughout the county and many projects are on the horizon. It has never been a better time to join our network! This is your opportunity to partner with approximately 300 businesses that are choosing to invest in our organization, and more importantly, our community!



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## **Membership Benefits**



"I am proud to be Greater Grays Harbor, Inc. Ambassador and be part of a valuable community resource that connects individuals and businesses to each other. I love the opportunity to celebrate, connect and engage with GGHI members, while building lifelong community relationships. It is so rewarding to be part of team that encourages and supports economic growth, opportunity and vitality of our members throughout the community I love and hold dear."

~Tara Maynard, Grays Harbor Public Utility District #1

#### **Expand Visibility**

Be seen. Greater Grays Harbor offers many ways for you and your business to gain regional exposure, raising your profile and creating valuable opportunities for business growth.

- New member article published on *GraysHarbor.org* and promoted in our e-newsletter and on social media.
- Listing in online Business Directory.
- Listing on *GraysHarbor.org* with link to your website.
- Promotional post on Greater Grays Harbor Facebook page.
- Eligible to win "Member of the Quarter" award & be recognized at our annual Leaders' Celebration.



#### Support Economic Growth

Greater Grays Harbor is a combined Chamber of Commerce & Economic Development Council. Your membership supports critical economic development activities that enhance the vitality of Grays Harbor's economy.

- We work to connect local businesses to the many programs that provide funding and support business development in our region.
- We work with national site selectors to fill key commercial vacancies in Grays Harbor to grow and diversify our regional economy.

• We create, manage, and promote programs that provide entrepreneurial development services to stimulate new business development in the county.

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#### Find Strength in Numbers

#### Build connections with 300+ local business leaders at our 30+ annual events.

• Connect with local business leaders at our monthly Business After Hours events (and be eligible to host it at your business!)

- Stay informed & connected at our Business Forum Luncheon events.
- Celebrate excellence at our annual Leaders' Celebration.
- Meet your elected officials at our Legislative Send off.
- See how our economy is performing and check out what is new at our State of Grays Harbor Event.

• Invest in your employees by participating in our Leadership Grays Harbor program. This will help to develop your leadership and management skills to propel you to the next level!

#### Gain a Voice

You'll gain a voice with issues that impact the business community and take a direct role in improving our business climate.

- Representation in Olympia and active participation in legislative affairs.
- Participate in strategic focus groups to assist in communicating regional trends and needs to policymakers.
- Attend meetings with local and regional elected officials to share your opinion on key policy decisions.

#### **Become a Community Leader**

Your membership shows that you are serious about the success of your business and the future economic vitality of our region.





#### Please join us in creating a Greater Grays Harbor!

To learn more, contact our office at: (360) 532-7888 or info@graysharbor.org

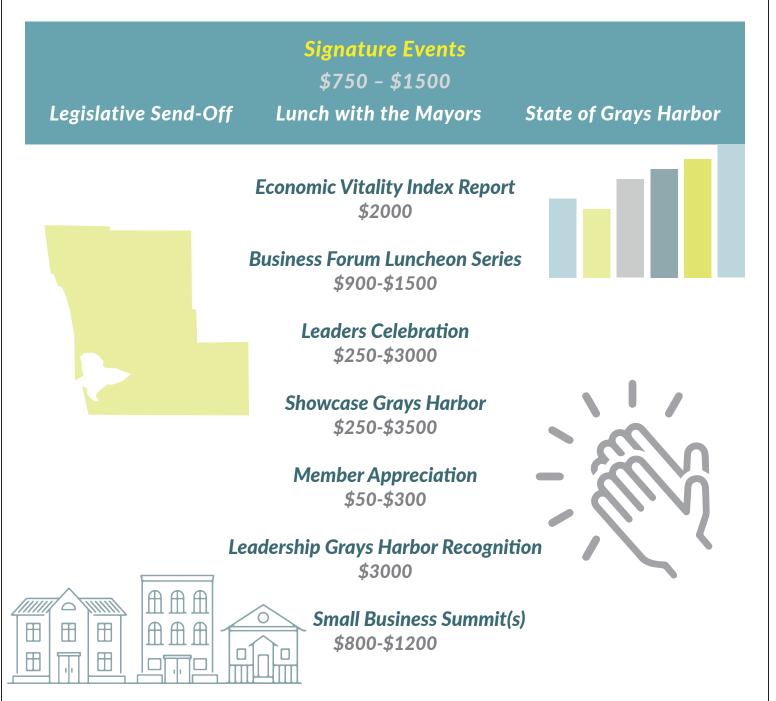
## **GGHI Levels of Investment**

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Membership Benefits	Diamond	Gold	Silver	Member
<b>Complimentary Business Milestone Event</b> (ribbon cutting) to include GGHI Facebook Event and calendar posting, newsletter promotion, photos and/or video	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$
Featured new member article (online, website, newsletter, social media)	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$
Boosted new member Facebook post including logo & GGHI Online Directory link	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$
New Member Introduction to Business Assistance	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$
Listing in GGHI online Business Directory	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$
Eligible to win Member of the Quarter and other annual business awards	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$
Eligible to host Business After Hours events	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$
Admissions savings to Business Forum Luncheons	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$
Opportunity to serve as a GGHI Ambassador	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$
Participate in Business Retention & Expansion services	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$
Engage in our Business Attraction services	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$
Access our Entrepreneurial Development Services	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$
Utilization of one on one Business Assistance Resources	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$
Invitation to participate in sector issue strategic discussions	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$
Exclusive access to Legislative Affairs meetings and events	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$
Certification of Origin	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$
Member Annual renewal posted in newsletter	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$
Annual Membership Window Decal	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$
Use of GGHI logo, able to post jobs on our "job boards" and "hot deals" Events Calendar, press releases, member news, photos & videos "widget"	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$
Use of GGHI Meeting Room (hybrid meeting capacity)	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	
Special acknowledgement in all GGHI publications	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	
Logo on GGHI website and newsletter communications	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	
One member-written article hosted on GGHI social media & website (per year)	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	
Leadership Grays Harbor complementary and/or reduced admission pricing. Silver 50% discount, Gold and Diamond one complimentary registration each.	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	1/2	
Leaders' Celebration complimentary seats	8	2	1	
Business Forum Luncheon complimentary admission	3	2	1	
Membership Dues	Diamond	Gold	Silver	Member
Annual Payment:	\$10,000	\$5,000	\$2,500	see below
	50	F4 40	0	100-
	- 50	51-10		100+
Membership Dues: \$300 \$465 \$620 \$8	350	\$1,20	0	\$1,700

### **GGHI Event Sponsorships**

# With events happening throughout the year, GGHI has put together a full menu of sponsorships starting at just \$50 – Something for everyone!

For a complete list of the opportunities please contact Stephanie Conway: sconway@graysharbor.org. We can also put together a fully customized package for you.



For more information: Stephanie Conway, sconway@graysharbor.org, 360-532-7888. (Prices subject to change, call or email for details.)

## Join the Leaders Circle

Greater Grays Harbor works hard to create a positive climate so that our businesses on the harbor and surrounding areas can be successful. Our goal is to develop our local business, our local economy and our entire community! The better we do, the better the business community does.

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"Lightcurve, formerly Rainier Connect became a new member of the Leaders Circle with Greater Grays Harbor in April of 2019. We felt that it was a great opportunity to join with the Chamber/EDC to help current businesses, as well as to promote growth in the Grays Harbor area.

GGHI is a strong supporter of local business in the Grays Harbor Area and is an advocate for helping, advising and nourishing the business community. They offer opportunities to support, network and attend events throughout the area as well.

In addition to the strong support of local businesses, GGHI also offers the opportunity to provide your business with the extra value in becoming a Leader's Circle member. There is a new member article, ongoing business assistance and support, luncheons, Business After Hours and so much more!"

-Cindy Taylor, Lightcurve, formerly Rainier Connect



"Thank you, Greater Grays Harbor, for going above and beyond to assist us in securing a Disaster Recovery Grant when one of our buildings unexpectedly sank in the Westport Marina. An additional thank you is in order for being selected for your Boost Program, which assisted us with light bookkeeping and great marketing materials for our small family business. We just cannot thank you enough! If you are a small business owner and haven't worked with Greater Grays Harbor you are missing out."

> -Adrienne Jones, Seafood Connection



