

**GCCI** *is your voice*  
Gladstone Chamber of Commerce & Industry Inc.



Make GCCCI *Your Voice*



Membership Prospectus

The Gladstone Chamber of Commerce and Industry Inc. is committed to supporting small and medium business in the Gladstone Region to reach their potential, building business and economic prosperity for the Region. The Chamber is meeting this commitment through quality research, innovative projects and energy enhancing events, all focussed on strengthening local business. With the support of partners, Australia Pacific LNG and The Observer, the Chamber will continue to be a strong voice for business in the Gladstone Region.



## Vision

Grow local business

Grow *Local* business

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Results from the Chamber's 'Boom or Bust' Gladstone Region Business Study demonstrated that businesses responding who were members of a peak organisation both fared better and are more optimistic of the future than businesses that were not members.

54% of MEMBER businesses and 47% of NON-MEMBER businesses responding **benefitted** from the recent industrial boom

20% of MEMBER businesses and 12% of NON-MEMBER businesses responding predicted a financial position 'BETTER for business' over the next 12 months.

"We have definitely benefited from being a Chamber member and we look to do business with other Chamber members."

Steve Porter - Gladstone Job Skills



"I hate to miss a Chamber network meeting, they are so interesting from a business and social perspective. I actually conduct business at the monthly network meetings."

Rachel Townsend - Auckland Street Office National



## From The President

Industrial players and key agencies.

Small and medium businesses have a vital role in **achieving economic sustainability** for this region as they are the breeding ground for job creation, skill development and innovation. The Gladstone Chamber of Commerce and Industry is about creating an environment for supporting businesses to **reach their potential**. Join the Chamber and be part of something really big.

The Chamber's values include: collecting thinking; working for and with SME's; investing in this region; valuing and recognizing the contribution of SME's; and building this region's economic stability.

If your business is looking for **fresh energy and innovation**, become a member of the Gladstone Chamber of Commerce & Industry today.







# Member Benefits

## Make GCCI Your Voice

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Gladstone Chamber of  
Commerce & Industry



As a GCCI Member you will experience:

### High impact networking

Contacts, referrals and real relationships are made through consistently meeting with fellow members and getting to know new members as they come on board.

### Being part of a 'collective voice'

Real change comes from a group of people with a collective vision. Be a part of improving the economic situation for small and medium businesses.

### Shared business knowledge

Feel comfortable to share, investigate, discuss and debate business issues, ideas, opportunities and resources. Showcase your business by hosting a GCCI Network Function.

### Learning from other's success

Case studies, best practice examples and guest speakers provide valuable information on emergent issues, trends, success stories and all the latest information from State and National Chambers of Commerce.

### Access to Government

The Chamber works as a voice for its members within Local and State Government. Take advantage of a clear path of communication between the Chamber, Council and State Government Departments and access to local politicians.

### GCCI programs and services

GCCI is dedicated to providing relevant and valuable programs and services to members, from the BUY LOCAL campaign to training, research to economic building strategies for small and medium businesses.

### Promotion of your business

Publicity and exposure of your products and services. Chamber members receive real exposure through our website, facebook page, newsletter and the annual Business Forum. GCCI membership including BUY LOCAL branding offers high value for a small investment.

### Member ONLY discounts

The Chamber conducts a range of events, workshops and forums annually, all of which have members only discounts.

Become a member today and be  
part of the voice for your community!

## GCCI PROGRAMS

In partnership with:



Operated by **ConocoPhillips**

**THE OBSERVER**

**Growing Business**  
in a changing economy

**CUSTOMER SERVICE**  
*'It's your business'*

**SME SKILLING**



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**IMPACT!**  
*Road Show*

**BUSINESS CLOSED SURVEY**

## Membership Rates

GCCI Membership

Sole Traders	(\$110)
Business – 1 to 5 employees	(\$225)
Business – 6 to 20 employees	(\$260)
Business – 21 to 99 employees	(\$330)
Business – 100+ employees	(\$440)

Payment options:  
Annual payment or quarterly subscription

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