



MEDC

2018 INVESTOR FORM

Name of Business: _____

Street Address: _____

City: _____, IL., Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Fax: _____

E-Mail: _____ Web site: _____

Contact Person: _____ Title: _____

Description of Product or Service (To be listed on MEDC Website): _____

If you are interested in joining as an Executive Partner and would like your logo included on the MEDC Website, please email a copy of your logo file to: medc@montgomery-illinois.org

Investor Payment

Executive Partner \$5,000 and up *
General Growth Partner \$1,000 and up * Associate Partner \$250-\$999 and up

Amount Enclosed: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Make check payable to Montgomery Economic Development Corporation and mail to:
200 Webster Street, Montgomery, IL 60538. If you have any questions, please call (630) 897-6748.
Feel free to call Executive Director Charlene Coulombe Fiore with any questions or concerns.

**What is the difference between
The Montgomery Economic Development Corporation (MEDC)
and
The Greater Montgomery Area Chamber of Commerce (GMACC)**

Partners for Montgomery Business Support

The MEDC and the Greater Montgomery Area Chamber of Commerce (GMACC) work to support Montgomery businesses. Listed below are the varying roles each organization plays.

- Encourages, fosters and stimulates commerce, trade, business, finance and professional interest in Montgomery
- Works regionally and nationally to bring in prospective **new** businesses and industry
- Assists in retention and expansion of local business and industry
- Participates in Illinois, regional, and national trade shows
- Interfaces with local, State and Federal entities for business incentives and grants
- Advocates local quality of life needs that make our area attractable to new business and industry
- Promotes, advances and stimulates civic, business, commercial and industrial interests in Montgomery
- Works as a partner for progress with local governmental and taxing bodies, county and civic organizations
- Promotes available real estate (sites and buildings) on LOIS and through networking efforts
- Public Relations– Press releases and media relations
- Assists with workforce development and training issues
- Hosts Business meetings and learning opportunities



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The GMACC provides the following benefits to its members:

- Chamber Website Listing with Member Links
- Brand Identity Building via Event Sponsorships
- Business Leads with Leads Group Participation
- PR via Member Newsletter, E-Blast & Press Releases
- Member Business Referrals from the Chamber Office
- Business Before & After Hours
- Ribbon Cutting for Grand Openings/ Re-Openings
- Network and Learn from Fellow Business Owners...
 - Annual Recognition Dinner / Annual Golf Outing
 - Montgomery Fest Parade & Business Booth
 - Village Tree Lighting





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Rich in Pride, Alive with Progress

MONTGOMERY ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION

200 WEBSTER ROAD
MONTGOMERY, ILLINOIS 60538

OFFICE: 630.897.6748
EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR: CHARLENE COULOMBE FIORE CECD EDFP

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Advantages to Membership in The Montgomery Economic Development Corporation ("MEDC"):

Joining, supporting, and participating in the MEDC promotes not only the Village of Montgomery, but also supports all the businesses within the Village. The MEDC helps the expansion and diversification of the community, as well as the future development within the Village itself. All of which are instrumental and necessary to increase your business opportunities and the value of your land and/or building. The MEDC serves as both a liaison and a resource – between the Village, Business Owners and new development opportunities. We are here to help your business succeed and grow in Montgomery.

The MEDC offers three (3) levels of Membership: Executive Partner; General Growth Partner; and Associate Partner. Each level includes the following:

All MEDC Members:

- Receive all MEDC Press Releases;
- Listed on the MEDC Newsletter;
- Link to your website;
- Receive and/or advertise in any MEDC News Letter or Blast;
- List available properties on LOIS and "Available Properties" page of MEDC Website;
- Listed on MEDC Website with link to your website;
- Sponsorship and networking opportunities at all MEDC Events;
- Participate in Business Climate meetings and special events; and,
- Opportunity to have a seat on the MEDC Board of Directors.

Associate Partner (\$250-\$999):

In addition to the above, benefits include:

- Certificate of Membership

General Growth Partner (\$1,000-\$4,999):

In addition to all the benefits of an Associate Partner listed above, the General Growth Partner benefits include:

- Business name and logo listed on the MEDC Website, with a *direct link to your* website; and,
- Additional advertising options and highlights.
- Priority for Board position above Associate Partner.
- Special invitations and opportunities.

MEDC EXECUTIVE PARTNERS:

- ❖ ENGINEERING ENTERPRISES, INC. ❖ MONTGOMERY CHIROPRACTIC ❖
- ❖ RUSH COPLEY MEDICAL CENTER ❖ VILLAGE OF MONTGOMERY ❖

Executive Partner (\$5,000 & Up):

In addition to all the benefits of a General Growth Partner listed above, the Executive Partner benefits include:

- MEDC Website - Front Page photos and information on your business;
- Your company name included on all:
 - MEDC Letterhead, and
 - MEDC Events' printed material;
- Gold Name Tag with your name and MEDC logo;
- Member of the MEDC Board of Directors which sets MEDC policy and direction;
- Personal photo on the MEDC Wall and MEDC Website, with an expanded biography of your business on the MEDC Website;
- Monthly Community Activity Information Packets and Board of Directors' Reports;
- Invitation to exclusive events and limited engagements; and,
- Information on programs, grants, and business-related articles, stories, and issues.
- Automatic seat on the Board.
- Priority & acknowledgement given at all events.

Annual MEDC Activities:

The MEDC hosts many activities throughout the year to engage our local businesses, get to know our members and community leaders, and provide networking opportunities. These events include an annual tour and showcase of Montgomery, usually held in June, our annual golf outing usually held in September and the Holiday party usually held in early December. The MEDC serves the Village of Montgomery as a marketing arm of the community and reaches out to developers and investors to bring new growth. For our Montgomery businesses, the MEDC will also serve as an advocate, provide assistance, and help address any issues that may arise.

Additional MEDC Activities:

MEDC also hosts a Business Climate Enhancement Committee. We have recently changed the meetings to a quarterly meeting and/or on a as needed basis when we will host a specific topic or event. Please contact our office for further information on the next meeting date and topic. This Committee has addressed many issues in prior meetings, such as: changes in the zoning ordinance; sign ordinances; and several road and transportation issues. It also serves as a resource to our business community. It has coordinated community cleanup efforts, conducted tours, and sponsored a series of learning activities with speakers on various topics.

If you would like to see additional MEDC activities or would like us to place our efforts in other areas, please get involved with your community and join us as, *together*, we make Montgomery a great place to live, work, and do business.

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