

# FORGING A VIBRANT FUTURE



## MEMBERSHIP & NETWORKS

Founded in 1873, the Fremantle Chamber of Commerce Inc. was a pivotal partner in the growth and expansion of Australian commerce and industry. Our vision is to build on this heritage to connect, unite and grow a successful and vibrant business community that capitalises on Fremantle's unique characteristics and competitive advantage.

**CORPORATE PARTNERSHIPS** include large local and state government agencies, infrastructure or private enterprises that are looking for extended partnership opportunities with the Chamber.

**BUSINESS ENTERPRISE MEMBERS** are business defined as medium to large scale organisations who have an active profile within Fremantle and wish to work with us to enhance their community engagement and social responsibility, advocate for Fremantle and raise their profile across these activities.

**SMALL BUSINESS MEMBERS** are businesses that include small scale retail, trades and consulting businesses looking to improve their business networks and raise the profile of the issues affecting them.

**ASSOCIATE MEMBERS** are individuals of influence and are looking for recognition of their involvement at a local level.

We also offer **STUDENT MEMBERSHIPS** that are available to individuals undertaking tertiary study.

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We offer a variety of payment options including monthly direct debit via IntegraPay, or upfront payment via EFTPOS or direct bank deposit.

- **Corporate Partnership \$2,600.00**
- **Business Enterprise Membership \$600.00**
- **Small Business Membership \$400.00**
- **Individual Membership \$200.00**
- **Student Membership \$50.00**

Note: Membership fees are valid for one financial year and renewable on July 1st. Memberships incur an additional 10% GST and are fully tax deductible.

## JOIN NOW TO MAKE THE FREMANTLE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE YOUR PARTNER IN BUSINESS >>

1. Get in touch today for more information on (08) 9335 2711 or email [membership@fremantlechamber.com.au](mailto:membership@fremantlechamber.com.au)
2. Complete the Membership Application Form available online at [www.fremantlechamber.com.au/membership-levels](http://www.fremantlechamber.com.au/membership-levels)
3. To get the most out of your membership **attend events**, **participate** in Chamber forums and committees, **engage** with the membership network, and take advantage of **marketing and promotional opportunities**. Remember to share the benefits of Chamber membership with your staff too, the more the merrier!
4. **REMEMBER: The more energy you invest in creating meaningful connections within the Chamber community, the greater our collective voice and benefit will be. Help us to help you!**

## FCC COMMITTEES

For the Chamber to influence decision-making on a strategic level we draw upon the knowledge and skill set of industry specific members. The Fremantle Chamber of Commerce currently operates three Committees: Development & Infrastructure (D&I), Tourism, Small Business & Retail. All are chaired by the CEO and dedicated Board Members. Other committees and forums are created as required.

### DEVELOPMENT & INFRASTRUCTURE

The D&I Committee focuses on strategic initiatives and policies in the development and infrastructure realm that will contribute to the economic development and growth of Fremantle.

### TOURISM

The Tourism Committee focuses on strategic initiatives and policies in tourism contributing to the economic development, branding, event/special attractions, projects and the overall growth of Fremantle as a destination for both leisure and MICE tourism.

### SMALL BUSINESS & RETAIL

The Small Business & Retail Committee focuses on strategic initiatives and policies that impact on small business, hospitality and retail sectors, which if delivered, will contribute to the economic development and growth of Fremantle.

## EXPORT & INTERNATIONAL TRADE

The Fremantle Chamber is one of three authorised Chambers in Western Australia who can endorse Non-Preferential (Certificates of Australian Origin), Preferential (Free Trade Agreements) and other associated documentation. Regardless of which port your goods are exported from, the Chamber is authorised to certify the documentation associated with the shipment. We can advise you on which forms you may require and who can provide them. The right paperwork makes the export process run smoothly.

The Chamber can certify a range of documentation in-house or via E-Certify, including but not limited to:

- Certificate of Australian Origin
- Declaration of Origin
- ASEAN-Australia-New Zealand Free Trade Agreement First Protocol (AANZFTA1)
- China-Australia Free Trade Agreement (ChAFTA)
- Japan-Australia Economic Partnership Agreement (JAIPA)
- Korea-Australia Free Trade Agreement (KAFTA)
- Thailand-Australia Free Trade Agreement (TAFTA)

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