

Economic Development Council of Collier County



2007-2008

Sponsorship Opportunities

Legislative Luncheons

November and May

The EDC's Legislative Luncheons are designed as a forum at which EDC Investors, Collier County Commissioners and other business leaders meet with the Collier County Legislative Delegation. The November luncheon will preview the 2008 legislative session with economic development priorities discussed as well as local issues. The May luncheon will re-cap the 2008 session. Attendees are encouraged to participate in a question-and-answer session at the end of the delegations discussions.

Best Places to Work

May 2008

The Best Places to work program is an annual event and has been developed to educate employers and employees alike as to what is required to truly be a great place to work. This is a county wide effort to educate employers on the best ways to recruit and to retain workers. This program gives an opportunity to learn what companies in Collier County are offering their employees, as well as suggestions and trends in benefits and human resource retention efforts. The winners are announced during a breakfast ceremony in which best practices will be shared with attendees.

Excellence in Industry Gala Celebration And Installation of Officers

September 2008

2008 marks the 25th Annual Florida's statewide Industry Appreciation Week, every September the EDC holds the Excellence in Industry Awards program to recognize companies that exemplify a positive, responsible approach to economic diversification and community enhancement. Awards are presented to local businesses in the following categories: business expansion, innovation, newcomer award and entrepreneurship. The EDC also honors its "Outstanding Volunteer of the Year" which is the highest accolade bestowed to an EDC investor. In addition to the awards ceremony, the EDC introduces and installs its incoming volunteer board of directors.

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All Corporate and Industry level Member/Investors receive a \$500.00 credit towards any sponsorship over \$2,500.00

Promote your company by sponsoring Economic Diversification Programs and Initiatives that bring high wage, value added jobs to Collier County.



2007-2008 Sponsorship Levels

Legislative Luncheons

November and May

Platinum	\$7,500
Gold	\$5,000
Silver	\$2,500
Bronze	\$1,000

Best Places to Work

May 2008

Platinum	\$7,500
Gold	\$5,000
Silver	\$2,500
Bronze	\$1,000

Excellence In Industry Outstanding Volunteer of the Year Installation of Officers

September 2008

Platinum	\$15,000
Gold	\$10,000
Silver	\$5,000
Bronze	\$2,500
Element	\$1,000

For More information regarding sponsorship benefits for a specific event please contact the Economic Development Council of Collier County at 239-263-8989. You, our member investor, enable the EDC to offer valuable and dynamic programs Your investment provides direct support of our economic diversification programs which serve to sustain Collier County's future—the retention and creation of high-wage, high-value jobs in Collier County.