

# New Bedford Area Chamber of Commerce New Member Campaign Drive September 13-14

I always tell business owners in the Greater New Bedford area that there are four investments that provide the biggest return: advertise with NewBedfordGuide.com, join Downtown New Bedford Inc. (\$100/year), join AHA! (\$100/year) and become a New Bedford Area Chamber of Commerce member (\$295 or more). Combined, the last three cost around \$500 and are a great way to get promoted by three fabulous non-profits year round. If your business is not downtown, you may not benefit as much with a Downtown New Bedford Inc. or AHA! membership, but at \$100 it is still cheap. Everyone can benefit from NewBedfordGuide.com advertising or a Chamber membership.

NewBedfordGuide.com is proud to be one of the featured incentives to join the Chamber this year during their membership drive. Join the New Bedford Area Chamber of Commerce between September 13th & 14th and receive \$5,700+ in benefits to include a business shout-out on New Bedford Guide's Facebook page to 34,000+ followers. Other incentives include marketing packages for the The Real Estate Book, Cox Media, WJFD Radio and 15 other items. Here's the list of incentives this year:

Here are 9 reasons to join the "Chamber" this year:

1. The \$5,700+ in incentives listed above.
2. Chamber Membership Directory – Your company gets listed in the "yellow pages" of Chamber Members and online: <http://members.newbedfordchamber.com/list/>
3. Networking – There is a monthly Business After Hours (<http://newbedfordchamber.com/business-after-hours/>) and several other events throughout the year. Check out

their photo gallery of past networking events:  
<http://newbedfordchamber.com/photo-gallery/>.

4. Training – The Chamber offers seminars, workshops, and other meetings. Check out their event calendar:  
<http://members.newbedfordchamber.com/events/>
5. Advocacy – The more members that join, the stronger the Chamber can advocate for its members with government affairs and economic development.
6. It's inexpensive – Starting at \$295 a year.
7. There is a non-Profit Rate: 1-4 employees: \$225, 5-24 employees: \$245.
8. Referrals – The Chamber is a great way to gain referrals from other Chamber members.
9. It's a business expense and a tax write off!

For more info check out the Chamber's website:  
<http://newbedfordchamber.com/>. Contact  
[ashley@newbedfordguide.com](mailto:ashley@newbedfordguide.com) to sign-up and receive the special incentives.

### Incentives for Joining Now...Value

- FREE business highlight social media post New Bedford Guide \$200
- Savings on New Bedford Guide Spotlight Article, Spotlight Video and Live Video Services \$1,200
- FREE Season Pass to the Chamber's Monthly Business After Hours mixers. \$300
- \$250 off video production services–Spectrum Marketing \$250
- Buy any media package, get second FREE–WJFD FM 97.3 \$500-\$1500
- 50% savings on all Cox Media commercial, TV production and Digital Advertising Services -\$1,783
- Savings on electricity through Chamber Electric Buying Program Savings Vary
- FREE Listing on the Chamber website and a Free link to your website Invaluable!

- Up to Three FREE Listings in the Chamber's 2017 Membership Directory Invaluable!
- 90 Day Money Back Guarantee

AND MORE...

- Pay by credit card and receive:
- FREE set of Chamber Mailing Labels \$150
- FREE advertisement in the Chamber Focus Newsletter \$115
- Two FREE Passes to Attend a Good Morning SouthCoast Program \$40
- FREE "Chamber Spotlight" feature article \$175

Total Value: \$5,700+