



Membership Application

June 1, 2011 – May 31, 2012

Please complete & return signed application to
 Rome Area Chamber of Commerce * 139 W. Dominick St., Rome, NY 13440

Business Name _____

Contact Person _____

Street Address _____

PO Box _____

City _____

State _____

Zip _____

Billing Address _____

City _____

State _____

Zip _____

Year Established _____

Phone _____

Fax _____

Email _____

Web Address _____

1st Category of Business _____

2nd Category of Business (optional) _____

Product/Service _____

Note: Optional 2nd category listing will be included on the Chamber website only.

Please see Membership Investment Schedules 1-16 on pages 3 and 4 of this application to select the Schedule that most closely relates to your type of firm, and complete the following as it relates to your Schedule Number.

COMPUTING YOUR MEMBERSHIP INVESTMENT

Please indicate your Schedule Number (refer to attached Schedule Guidelines on Pages 3 and 4 to determine): _____

If it's Schedule 1, please complete the following:

Number of full-time employees including yourself:	_____
Number of part-time employees:	_____
Number of full-time equivalent (FTE) employees:	_____

If you have part-time employees, you need to determine your number of FTE employees in order to compute your membership. For example, if you have 10 full-time and 12 part-time, the standard rule is 2 part-time equals one full-time equivalent. In this example, 12 part-time would equate to 6 full-time equivalent added to the 10 full-time equals a total of 16 full-time equivalent. In Schedule 1, your membership is to be computed in accordance with your total full-time equivalent employees. The first two are included in the \$235; then multiply \$8.40 times 14 and add it to the \$235.

For Schedules other than Schedule 1, please complete the following:

Schedule 2, number of screens	_____
Schedule 3, amount of square feet	_____
Schedule 4, number of utility customers	_____
Schedule 5, number of paid circulation	_____
Schedule 6, number of rooms/units	_____
Schedule 7, number of rooms/units	_____
Schedule 8, number of spaces	_____
Schedule 9, amount of deposits	\$ _____
Schedule 10, number of licensed professionals/brokers and number of non-licensed professionals, employees, or agents	_____

Once you have determined your schedule, please follow its guidelines and compute the membership fee: \$ _____

All new memberships add a one-time enrollment fee of \$ **30.00**.

TOTAL ACCORDING TO SCHEDULE PLUS ENROLLMENT FEE: \$ _____

Please circle method of payment	Check	Visa	MC	AmExp	Discover	Automatic Payment Option (see below)
Account Number:	4-digit Security Code					
Signature	Expiration Date					



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Firms with more than one voting member should list names and addresses of additional members in the space provided below. The Basic Investment of \$235.00 entitles a firm to one individual as a voting representative. Each additional \$179.00 above the minimum investment entitles that firm to one additional voting representative up to a maximum of 10 voting members per membership account.

Name	Address

Please list reasons(s) why you want to join the Chamber of Commerce:

Signature

Date

Thank you! We appreciate your participation and look forward to working with you!

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2011-2012 Rome Chamber Membership Investment Schedules

These schedules are a result of thorough research and provide you a means to determine your basic investment in the Chamber. Variations exist among schedules because some classifications require more employees than others to make a profit. Membership Investments are not refundable.

Schedule Guidelines **VOTING MEMBERS**

Membership begins with a Basic Investment of \$235.00, which entitles a firm to one individual as a voting representative in the Chamber. That person will also be on the mailing list. Each additional \$179.00 above the minimum investment entitles that firm to one additional voting representative up to a maximum of 10 voting members per membership account. Please review the following schedules and see the section entitled COMPUTING YOUR MEMBERSHIP INVESTMENT on page 1.

Schedule 1 Commercial, Manufacturing, Service, Retail, Agricultural:

\$235.00 is the basic investment and includes the owner/manager and 1 full-time employee. If you employ 3-200 full-time equivalent employees, it's an additional **\$8.40** per employee. If you have more than 200 employees, add **\$6.55** per employee up to 500. Over 500, add **\$5.00** per employee. (One full-time equivalent employee = 40 hours of part-time work).

Schedule 2 Theaters:

\$235.00 + \$87.00 per screen over 1.

Schedule 3 Shopping Centers:

\$235.00 + \$8.40 per 1000 square feet.

Schedule 4 Utilities (including Electric, Gas, Telephone):

\$235.00 + \$123.00 per 1000 customers or portion thereof.

Schedule 5 Print Media & Cable TV:

\$235.00 + \$87.00 per 1000 paid circulation (if all unpaid, use Schedule 1).

Schedule 6 Hotel/Motel:

\$235.00 + \$5.00 per unit up to 50 units and **\$3.00** over 50 units + **\$87.00** for full-time restaurant and **\$87.00** for bar/lounge.

Schedule 7 Apartments-Hospitals-Nursing Homes: \$235.00 + \$1.85 per unit or room.

Schedule 8 Mobile Home Parks:

\$235.00 + \$1.15 per available space.

Schedule 9 Banks-Credit Unions-Savings & Loans-Brokerage Firms:

\$235.00 + \$44.00 per million in deposits up to \$25 million;
\$1,335.00 + \$36.00 per million in deposits from \$25 million to \$50 million;
\$2,235.00 + \$17.90 per million in deposits from \$50 million to \$150 million;
\$4,025.00 + \$ 8.40 per million in deposits over \$150 million.

Schedule 10 Professional (including Physicians, Dentists, Lawyers, Real Estate Brokers, Investment Brokers, Accountants, Insurance Agencies, Engineers, Funeral Directors, etc.):

\$235.00 for the first licensed professional/broker plus **\$179.00** per each licensed professional/broker plus **\$8.40** per non-licensed professional, employee or agent over 1 per professional.

Schedule 11 Airlines:

Negotiated over base investment of **\$235.00**

Schedule 12 Out-of-Town Members:

Same schedules previously shown apply, but for all businesses with an office beyond five miles but less than ten miles from Rome the annual investment is capped at **\$1,225.00**. For all businesses beyond ten miles from Rome the cap is **\$685.00**

Schedule 13 Individual:

\$235.00 basic investment.



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NON-VOTING ASSOCIATE AND CIVIC MEMBERS

Associate and Civic Members are eligible to receive Chamber mailings and may participate in Chamber functions. Members in Schedules 14, 15, or 16 who want to vote must invest at the \$235.00 basic investment level (Schedule 13).

Schedule 14 Non-Profit Corporations, Civic or Service Club: \$ 138.00.

Schedule 15 Non-Business Individual or Employee of Member: \$ 138.00.

Schedule 16 Retired Individual: \$107.00.

To become a Member of the Rome Area Chamber of Commerce, enabling you to immediately take advantage of Chamber benefits and services, please complete the following application, or call the Chamber at 337-1700.

Please complete application and return with check to:

Rome Area Chamber of Commerce
139 West Dominick Street
Rome, New York 13440-5809