



The Benefits of Membership

Mission

It is the purpose of the Greater Pilsen Economic Development Association (G.P.E.D.A.) to strengthen, revitalize and develop the Pilsen community, as well as engage Pilsen businesses, organizations, and institutions to work together to protect, promote and sustain and the growth of the Pilsen business of the community.

The Greater Pilsen Economic Development Association is an organization founded by Pilsen Business owners committed to building on the amazing existing assets of Pilsen for its continual economic growth, sustainability, and prosperity. Our three main initiatives revolve around Marketing, Cleanliness, and Security.

Membership is a valuable tool for any business and if you are not a member we urge you to join us!

Membership Value

- One on One technical assistance in business development, marketing and more
- Member news blast including your event thru email advertising and on social media
- Strengthen your business thru: seminars, trainings, and workshops
- Collaborate with the community: link to local organizations, institutions, residents, Alderman's Office, BACP – City of Chicago network, 12th District Police
- Business listing in directory with distribution throughout the city at key locations
- Network with professionals and fellow business owners for cross-promotion and sponsorship opportunities.
- Access to capital and resources

New member benefits are coming your way...

Membership Annual Dues (tax deductible as a business expense, rolling membership)

Number of Employees (on-site only or full-time equivalent):

	Membership dues:	Mark One / Amount:
1-15 & non-profit	\$125.00	
16-30	\$250.00	
31-50	\$350.00	
51-100	\$500.00	
Financial Institutions	\$750.00	
Corporate 101+	\$1000.00	



Membership Application

Legal Business / Firm / Association / Organization Name: _____

DBA: _____

Representative First & Last Name: _____

Representative Title: _____ Decision Maker: Yes _____ No _____

Business Street Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Mailing Street Address (if different from above: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Business Phone: _____ Fax: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Email Address: _____ Website: _____

Business Type: _____ Number of Employees: _____

Home Based Business: Yes ___ No ___ Minority Owned Business: Yes ___ No ___ Require Funding: Yes ___ No ___

List your areas of interest / concerns:

Payment Processing: Master Card Visa Amex Discover Check Cash

Acct Number : _____ Sec Code: _____ Billing Zip Code: _____ Exp. Month _____ Year _____

Name on card: _____

Signature _____

Date Application Signed: _____ Membership Annual Dues Paid: \$ _____

Office Use:

Approval Code / Check #: _____ Amount Processed: _____ Updated Log/File/Online: _____ Valid Dates: _____