

January 6, 2025

Happy New Year! We hope this letter finds you well. As we navigate through the opportunities and challenges that come our way in 2025, it is with great enthusiasm that we extend an invitation to join the Nicollet Chamber of Commerce.

Our chamber is a vital part of the community. We're dedicated to fostering economic growth, supporting local businesses, and creating a network of business owners and entrepreneurs who all have our city's best interests at heart. We appreciate your consideration and look forward to working with you.

The Nicollet Area Chamber of Commerce was formed in 1977. It is a non-profit, incorporated entity supported by members' annual dues and most recently, fundraising. Membership is voluntary and is made up of area businesses and professionals. You do not have to be a business to join; we welcome civic-minded individuals as well. We currently have a membership of over 60, and we are always looking for more members.

The Chamber Board of Directors is always looking for members as well! Business Members, Associate Members, Friends of the Chamber, and Honorary Members are all welcome to join our meetings. Email chamber@nicollet.org for a schedule of upcoming meetings or chat with one of our existing Board Members, listed below.

We would like to update our contact information for all of our members so please complete the contact information on the enclosed form or visit Nicollet.org/membership to download an electronic version of this form and email it back to us. We send emails about our happenings and want to make sure they are being directed to the correct person. Please send in your dues and information to us by **Friday, February 7th, 2025**.

Yours Truly,

Nicollet Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors

Kimberly Salisbury, President	Mark Gudmundson, Schmidt's Meat Market
Southern Minnesota Auctions	Dave Holcomb, Nicollet American Legion, Post 510
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## **CHAMBER MISSION**

The Nicollet Chamber of Commerce is an organization representing Nicollet business and industry, working together to advance the economic wellbeing of its members and the community. The Chamber's purpose is to create a better place to live, work and do business.