U.S. Haitian Chamber of Commerce / Haitian American Business Expo

Welcome to our Chamber Members Meeting



August 2, 2018

Our Mission

The Mission of the U.S. Haitian Chamber of Commerce, Inc.("US Haitian Chamber") / Haitian American Business Expo, Inc. ("HAB Expo") is to promote and assist Haitian American businesses by creating a platform where they can showcase their services to the communities in Massachusetts and beyond.



Year Established: 2016

Name: Haitian American Business Expo, Inc.

DBA: U.S. Haitian Chamber of Commerce, Inc.

Visit us online <u>www.ushaitianchamber.org</u> | <u>www.habexpo.org</u>

Legal Status – TAX EXEMPT 501 (c) (6) NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATION

The Haitian American Business Expo, Inc. also known as the U.S. Haitian Chamber of Commerce, Inc. is a 501(c)(6) tax-exempt organization under the Internal Revenue Code. IRC Section 501(c)(6) is reserved for business leagues, chambers of commerce, boards of trade, or other similar organizations.

INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE P. O. BOX 2508 CINCINNATI, OH 45201

DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY

Date: FEB 0 8 2017

HAITIAN AMERICAN BUSINESS EXPO INC 1295 RIVER STREET SUITE 3 HYDE PARK, MA 02136 Employer Identification Number:

DLN: 107027007 Contact Person: ID# 31636 MR. DAVIS Contact Telephone Number: (877) 829-5500 Accounting Period Ending: December 31 Form 990/990-EZ/990-N Required: Yes Effective Date of Exemption: March 4, 2016 Contribution Deductibility: NO Addendum Applies: No

Dear Applicant:

We're pleased to tell you we determined you're exempt from federal income tax under Internal Revenue Code (IRC) Section 501(c)(6). This letter could help resolve questions on your exempt status. Please keep it for your records.

We are the leading platform for Non-Haitian businesses to tap into the Haitian community in Massachusetts.

Chamber Committees

The U.S. Haitian Chamber of Commerce, Inc. / Haitian American Business Expo, Inc. has several committees that enable us to assist our members in their business endeavors.

LIST OF COMMITTEES:

- Haitian American Business Awards Committee
- Event Planning Committee
- Executive Committee
- Membership Committee
- Trade and Business Investment Committee
- Community and Economic Development Committee
- Public Relations
- Small Business Pitch Competition Committee



US Haitian Chamber Programs and Activities



Search for Jobs

Find Job Openings and Listings. Explore all the new jobs in Massachusetts from entry level to management roles.

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HAITIAN AMERICAN BUSINESS AWARDS

The Haitian American Business Awards highlight businesses and organizations that continuously add value to our great community.



TRAININGS / WORKSHOPS

We have been providing training for local Haitian American Businesses

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SMALL BUSINESS

Looking for a small business Ioan? Don't Worry! We've got you covered!

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BUSINESS EXPO AND JOB FAIR

Exhibit your company at the annual Haitian American Business Expo and Job Fair

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TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE

We can guide you through the process of preparing your business plan, financial statement and all related documents

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OTHER PROGRAMS AND ACTIVITIES:

- Haitian American Business Directory(Over 300 business listings in Massachusetts)
- Meet & Greet with our Elected Officials
- Haitian American Business Expo Radio and TV Show
- Monthly Newsletter



Government Partners and Supporters

Including but not limited

- Massachusetts Governor's Office
- State Representative Dan Cullinane
- State Senator Nick Collins
- Mayor's Office of Economic Development Boston
- Consulate General of Haiti in Boston
- MA Human Resources Division
- Small Business Administration (SBA)
- MA Office for Refugees and Immigrants (ORI)
- Accion, Dorchester Bay EDC
- PHACC, HAPPA-RI



OTHER PARTNERS











The

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Network











MPAH HAITI MOVIE AWARDS













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BECOME A MEMBER

JOIN US TODAY!

Whether you are interested in business education, networking, technical assistance or volunteering we aim to help you connect with other like-minded businesses to share, learn, and grow from. The Haitian American Business Expo, Inc. serves as a bridge to the Haitian community. We are the leading platform for Non-Haitian businesses to tap into the Haitian community in Massachusetts.



Membership Benefits:

- Full listing of your company on our Business Directory Platform
- Social Media Links
- Eligible to advertise your company on our monthly newsletter
- Access to FREE business workshops and educational seminars
- Discounted member pricing for events (20% discount)
- Discounted member pricing on exhibition at our Annual Business Expo and Job Fair (20% discount)
- Discounted member pricing on US HAITIAN CHAMBER technical assistance services(20% discount)
- Sponsorship opportunities
- Post your events, deals on our platform FREE
- Search for jobs on our platform FREE
- Listing of your logo on our website for more exposure
- Send Robocalls through our network (3 calls free/per year 15,000 local phone numbers)

Local Biz Package III



Membership Benefits:

- Eligible to send E-blasts through our network (10 e-blasts free/per year 44k+ local email addresses)
- Eligible to host a US HAITIAN CHAMBER Professional Networking Event for your company
- Eligible to join US HAITIAN CHAMBER Committees
- Eligible to Speak at US HAITIAN CHAMBER Business Expo, Conference, etc.
- Receive US HAITIAN CHAMBER Awards
- Eligible to join US HAITIAN CHAMBER Advisory Board
- Eligible for Ribbon Cutting event
- Certificate of membership



US Haitian Chamber Referral Over Business

The U.S. Haitian Chamber of Commerce Business Referral Group is a non-exclusive business referral network and there are up to three positions available per business category n (i.e. 3 spots per Realtor, Financial Advisor, Mortgage Broker, Restaurant, Insurance Company, Lawyers, etc.)..

FACT SHEET

Must be a member of the U.S. Haitian Chamber of Commerce to be a regular member of the group

Membership is \$99 for a six-month investment in the group (payment is non-refundable)

Referral Group Benefits:

- Non-Exclusive (multiple seats per profession allowed)
- Higher ROI on Chamber Investment & Group Investment
- 1 on 1 networking included in meeting
- Receiving business referrals that will help grow your business
- Growth of your professional network
- Free Refreshments included

Annual Sponsorship

What is an Annual Sponsorship?

The Annual Sponsorship Program provides the most consistent marketing over the course of the year.

If you prefer to line up your involvement for the entire year in advance, take a look at the information below.

Why choose Annual?

- Comprehensive and consistent marketing
- Representation at every Chamber event
- Positive exposure
- "One Stop" shopping decide in as little as one meeting what you want your year to look like
 Customizable to help deliver your message







U.S. HAITIAN CHAMBER OF COMMERCE, INC. Promoting and Assisting Haitian Businesses in the USA

Annual Sponsorship Benefits:

Recognition at each Chamber Event Including:

- Every Meet & Greet events
- Every Workshops
- Annual Business Expo and Job Fair
- Annual Breakfast
- Annual Fundraising Dinner (Recognition through signage, verbiage, online, booth, flyers, posters and ad space)
- 4 tix at Annual Fundraising Dinner
- Name or logo on goody bags, t-shirts at the Business Expo and Job Fair
- 2 tix at Charity Event (Annual Haiti Movie Awards event)
- Full page Ad in our monthly printed newsletter (12 months package)
- 2 Monthly Banner Ads on email blast
- Preferred Listing in Directory
- Eligible to join one of our Referrals Over Business Groups (FREE)



Annual Sponsorship Benefits:

Recognition at each Chamber Event Including:

- Send Robocalls through our network (12 calls free/per year 15,000 local phone numbers)
- Send E-blasts through our network (24 e-blasts free/per year 44k+ local email addresses)
- Eligible to join HABEXPO Committees
- Eligible to Speak at HABExpo Business Expo, Conference, etc.
- Play your 30 seconds video Ad on our TV show (24 displays/per year Channel 729 on Comcast)
- Play your audio Ad on our Radio show (48 times/per year)
- Eligible to be a guest on the Radio and TV shows to talk about your business
- We will host a Meet & Greet Event to introduce your company to the Haitian Community in Massachusetts (2 events/per year)
- Eligible to receive our Special Recognition Award at the annual Business Expo event
- Host your own workshop at our annual Business Expo and Job Fair event
- Full listing of your company on our Business Directory Platform
- Post your events, deals on our platform FREE



In applying for membership in the U.S. Haitian Chamber of Commerce, Inc. / Haitian American Business Expo, Inc. You agree to abide by the Chamber Constitution, By- Laws and Code of Ethics and irrevocably waive all claims against the Board or any of its Officers, Directors, Members, and Staff as to their acts to elect, advance, expel or otherwise discipline you as an applicant or as a member. Further, you give permission to be contacted by fax, e-mail and post mail, and to publish your contact information on the website and other membership directory resources the board may create as a member benefit for the organization as well as use any images of you taken at U.S. Haitian Chamber / HAB EXPO events for publication purposes.

As a member, you agree that the Chamber may amend this Agreement or these regulations, rules or procedures at anytime and post it on its website for members to see. Your continued membership will constitute acceptance of the amended Agreement or regulations, rules or procedures post on the Chamber website.



You understand that, as a member, you will be entitled to:

- Access all Chamber member benefits, special offers and promotions
- Receive invitations to and attend all Chamber functions including members orientations
- Receive all Chamber publications and notifications
- List your company on the Chamber business directory website www.habexpo.org
- Send robocalls and E-blasts (please see disclaimer below)
- And more (please see your membership benefits)

As a member you are eligible to send robocalls to up to 15k local phone numbers and Eblasts to up to 44k users satisfying our conditions.

Please send your request(s) at least 30 days prior of your event/activity in advance for approval and to put in our queue.

