

FAST TRACK ADVISORS 2009

Get on the FAST TRACK ADVISORS path to Success!

What Are FAST TRACK ADVISORS?

They are opportunities for business leaders to meet, discuss ideas, share suggestions and grow professionally. They are invaluable forums to learn from the experience of others and share your own business lessons.

Good Candidates for Participation

- CEOs, Owners and Presidents of any size business
- Managers and decision-makers in any size business

Why Participate In FAST TRACK ADVISORS?

They provide a confidential "board of advisors" to support owners and managers of small, mid-size and large businesses with the challenges, problems and opportunities encountered in leading and managing.

Characteristics & Requirements

- Program runs from March - May.
- Weekly meetings with 75% attendance required
- Group leader; confidential conversations
- Meeting locations are hosted by participants. Specific meeting dates/times will be decided by each group
- Groups of 10-12 participants are established based on type of business, number of employees, years of experience and annual sales volume
- Competitors are not placed in the same group
- Participants must be members of the Greater Durham Chamber of Commerce

Orientation

When: Wednesday, February 25, 2009 8:30-9:30 a.m.

Where: Greater Durham Chamber of Commerce
300 West Morgan Street • 14th Floor

Cost

The Fast Track Advisors program is a complimentary benefit of your Chamber membership.

Testimonials

The consultation, relationships, exposure, and new business that have resulted from these sessions have been invaluable. Without hesitation, I would recommend this program to any businessperson wanting to get more involved in Durham's business community while gaining ever-important feedback, input and experience.

- **Michael Baucom, Proforma Print Source**

"It doesn't matter whether or not your business is new or established, there's just so much to learn from other business owners and managers who are going through the same things."

- **Pam G. Higdon, Co-Owner, Express Employment Professionals**

"It's the best deal in town."

- **Bill Lindenmuth, President, Triangle Financial Services**

Name _____ Title _____
 Company _____
 Address _____
 City, State, Zip _____
 Phone _____ E-mail _____

The following requested information is confidential and assists the Chamber in selecting groups.

Year Company Established: _____ Years w/ Company: _____ Years in Current Position: _____

of Total Employees: _____ # of Employees You Supervise: _____

Business Structure: Sole Proprietorship Partnership Corporation LLC

Markets Served (*check all that apply*): Local Regional National International

Annual Sales Volume: < \$50,000 \$50,000-\$250,000 \$250,000-\$500,000 \$500,000-\$1,000,000 > \$1,000,000

Meeting time preference (*check all that apply*) AM Mid-Day Afternoon PM

Day of week preference (*check all that apply*) Mon Tue Wed Thur Fri

Type of Business _____

Other Preferences: _____

Please mail, fax or e-mail your completed application by Friday, February 20, 2009 to:

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