

# MBREDC E-Newsletter

#### **MBREDC Board of Directors Call for Nominations**

The Myrtle Beach Regional Economic Development Corporation is a public-private partnership tasked with the recruitment and retention of high-quality businesses and industries throughout Horry County. The MBREDC Board of Directors is responsible for the overall vision, purpose, and strategic plan for the MBREDC and meets quarterly. Board members serve for a three-year term and are eligible for appointment to the MBREDC Executive Committee after serving one year on the MBREDC Board of Directors. Per the MBREDC Bylaws, MBREDC members in good standing are asked to present any nominations for consideration for Board appointment to the Nominating Committee. Nominees for Board appointment should meet the following criteria:

- · Be willing and able to attend quarterly MBREDC Board meetings;
- Represent an organization that financially supports the MBREDC at or above the Executive Partner level (\$1,000 annually);
- Be willing to support the MBREDC through attendance at education, social, project announcement events, and committee meetings throughout the year;
- · Provide proven leadership and previous board and/or management experience;
- Provide a diverse Board representation, including age, gender, ethnicity, race, and geography;
   and
- Provide a skillset beneficial to the MBREDC, including, but not limited to, finance, legal, auditing, marketing, sales, real estate, engineering, construction, community/governmental affairs, healthcare and/or technology.

MBREDC members can nominate individuals, including themselves, by sending a letter of nomination and a copy of the individual's current resume/bio to Sandy Davis at <a href="mailto:sadavis@mbredc.org">sadavis@mbredc.org</a>

Nominations will close on October 15, 2021.



**South Carolina Department of Commerce** 

**ECONOMIC OUTLOOK** 



Those who wish to receive S.C. Commerce's monthly Economic Outlook can e-mail bwilkerson@SCcommerce.com.

South Carolina's total non-seasonally adjusted nonfarm employment rose by 2,200 net jobs to 2,140,400 in July, a 0.1 percent increase from revised June numbers and 3.0 percent higher than one year ago. Many sectors reported net job gains for the month, including Leisure and Hospitality (9,400); Manufacturing (3,500); Finance (700); Construction (400); and Other Services (100). Net job losses were reported in the Government (-7,000); Trade, Transportation, and Utilities (-2,500); and Educational and Health Services (-2,400) sectors. Natural Resources and Mining; Information; and Professional and Business Services were unchanged from the prior month. Compared to one year ago, the state economy added 62,400 net nonfarm jobs. For more information on the State's Economic Outlook click here.

## Recycling Reporting +

## Supporting S.C.'s Green Industry

Recycling is a green growth industry in South Carolina, with the total economic impact of the sector now exceeding \$13 billion. Many of the state's more than 6,000 manufacturers recycle, which helps feed materials into local recycling markets. However, many businesses don't report recycling data.

How can S.C. businesses report? Companies can easily submit recycling data through DHEC's S.C. Smart Business Recycling Program <u>website</u> or send an <u>email</u> to request recycling form D-0572.

What's in it for companies? Businesses become members of DHEC's Smart Business program and receive technical assistance and other benefits, including a window cling to display the company's commitment to recycling. After reporting, the organization can apply to be a <a href="Smart Business Award">Smart Business Award</a> winner and have the opportunity to be featured on the Smart Business webpage and in the program's quarterly newsletter.

Bottom line: When companies recycle and report, the confidential data provides a complete picture of recycling efforts throughout South Carolina. The county where the business resides is credited, elevating the county's recycling success. Every year on March 15, the county and statewide recycling rates are published in the S.C. Solid Waste Management Annual Report. The data helps with trends, planning, local government grants and recycled materials market analysis.

Next steps: In summary, all businesses are encouraged to report recycling activities. It's good for the economy and the environment!

Fast fact: S.C.'s 2020 recycling rate was 25.5%.

Be Prepared......





## **Know Your Zone**

Know Your Zone is a public education campaign to inform the citizens and visitors of Horry County of the new hurricane evacuation zones and their vulnerability to storm surge.

Atlantic Hurricane Season begins June 1st and ends November 30th.



TEAM CULTURE | 1:06

Cultivating Strong Work

Culture

Developing A Team That Can Shift And Adapt

**TEAM CULTURE | 0:53** 

**APPLIED RESEARCH | 1:10** 

Why Industry Must Collaborate with Academia LEADERSHIP | 1:23

Building a Committed
Team

More information from **SCRIBBLE** 

**Upcoming Events** 

## **Upcoming Member Events**

#### **October Event:**

#### **Annual Fall Social**

House of Blues October 14, 2021 5:00-7:00 pm

## **REGISTER HERE**



Thank you to our Spousors!





#### **November Event:**

#### **Education and Workforce Panel Discussion**

How to get the education and workforce your business needs.

Coastal Carolina University

Wednesday, November 10, 2021

11:30am -1:00pm

### **January Event:**

#### **MBREDC Annual Meeting**

Grande Dunes Marina Inn January 14, 2022 8:00 am

#### **2022 Proposed Events**

Annual Meeting
Spring Social
Existing Industry Event
Technology Event
Workforce Recruitment & Retention
Community Update
Fall Social
Headshot Session

Share your ideas for upcoming events- email: sjames@mbredc.org

Interested in Sponsoring an upcoming 2022 event? Contact <a href="mailto:sjames@mbredc.org">sjames@mbredc.org</a> or 843-347-4604

#### Benefits of sponsoring:

- Your company name/logo/hyperlink emailed in the invitation to all MBREDC members at least twice prior to the event.
- Your company name/logo displayed at the event.
- 3-5 minutes to discuss your business during the event.
- Opportunity to handout and/or display materials during the event.
- Shared guest list after the event.

Interested in becoming an MBREDC Member? Contact <u>sjames@mbredc.org</u> or 843-347-4604





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#### CCU ranked No. 5 in Best Value by U.S. News & World Report

Coastal Carolina University is ranked No. 5 on the Best Value Schools (South) list released by U.S. News & World Report for 2022. The Best Value category calculation takes into account the school's academic quality and net cost of attendance. Coastal has earned high rankings in the Best Value category consistently for the past 10 years; this is the fifth consecutive year CCU has been ranked in the top six.

"Coastal Carolina University is committed to offering our students a well-rounded liberal arts education at a reasonable cost," said CCU President Michael T. Benson. "Our continual inclusion in the annual U.S. News & World Report rankings validates the hard work of all of our administration, faculty, and staff. Our goal is to ensure students have access to higher education, earn their degrees, and are prepared to become productive citizens in their communities."

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#### **Community Update Forum with CCAR**

On Thursday, September 23, MBREDC co-hosted a Community Update Forum with <u>Coastal Carolinas Association of Realtors</u>. Participants heard the latest plans from area chambers, various city officials and county government representatives. There are so many great projects going on all over Horry County. Our citizens are very fortunate to be able to live, work, and play in such a diverse and growing community. Thank you to <u>MF Scratch</u> for preparing a delicious breakfast.











If you are interested in attending MBREDC events, contact  $\underline{sjames@mbredc.org} \ for \ more \ information.$ 

#### **New & Renewing Partners**

#### **New Partners**

Pinnacle Financial Partners

Milano Kitchen and Bath Center

Tradd Commercial

Melton Electric

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Associates, LLC

Innovative Business Solutions

For a complete list of MBREDC Partners click here

#### **Renewing Members**

Richardson Custom Builders

McAngus Goudelock & Courie

The Bellamy Law Firm

First Reliance Bank

North Myrtle Beach Chamber of Commerce

The Law Office of Natasha Hanna

Hilton Garden Inn

Thomas Concrete

REMAX Southern Shores





## **JOB OPENINGS AMONG OUR PARTNERS**

**bFIVE40** is looking to employ an experienced seamstress to mend, alter, and construct clothing, accessories and other fabric-made articles according to customers' and business's needs.

Seamstress Requirements:

- 1-2 years of proven sewing experience.
- Sound knowledge of various fabrics and sewing techniques.
- The ability to work under time constraints.
- The ability to safely use different types of sewing machines.
- Good hand-eye coordination.
- · Effective communication skills.
- · Detail-oriented.

Donna at donna@bfive40.com (866) 639-1430





Open Positions in Mashburn Construction's Myrtle Beach Office
Superintendent | Assistant Superintendent | Project Engineer | Assistant Project Manager

If you would like to have your available jobs included in our newsletter, contact <a href="mailto:sjames@mbredc.org">sjames@mbredc.org</a>

#### **MBREDC Chairman's Partners**

















To stay up-to-date on everything happening in our area that pertains to our partners and Horry County, follow us on <a href="Facebook">Facebook</a> and <a href="Instagram">Instagram</a>. For more information about the Myrtle Beach Regional Economic Development Corporation, contact us at <a href="instagram">info@MBREDC.org</a> or (843) 347-4604.

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