

# Greene County Safety Council Membership Application

Company: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Type of Business: \_\_\_\_\_ # of Employees: \_\_\_\_\_

## Annual Membership Fees:

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| 1 - 25 employees    | FREE     |
| 26 - 99 employees   | \$ 50.00 |
| 100 - 199 employees | \$100.00 |
| 200+ employees      | \$150.00 |

*This fee does not include meeting expense.*

## Meeting Expense Pre-Registration:

*We encourage but do not require members to annually remit \$12/month per attendee to be pre-registered for all regular meetings. **We are offering a discount of two meetings if paid at time of enrollment - \$120 verses \$144 for all meetings.***

## Payment Information:

Annual Membership Fee \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Breakfast Pre-Registration of \$120/year \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Total Amount Due \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Check enclosed made payable to **Greene County Safety Council**

Bill me

CC # \_\_\_\_\_ Exp \_\_\_\_\_ CVC \_\_\_\_\_ VISA  MasterCard

CC Billing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

**Mail with payment or scan this form to:** Xenia Area Chamber of Commerce, 334 W. Market St., Xenia, OH 45385 [admin@xacc.com](mailto:admin@xacc.com)

## Meeting Schedule:

1st Wednesday of every month

**Location:** Greene Memorial Hospital, Herman Menapace Auditorium, 1141 N. Monroe Dr., Xenia, OH

**Time:** Breakfast begins at 7:30am, Meeting 8:00-9:00am (menu includes a full breakfast, coffee, tea, and decaf)



If you have any questions or comments, please contact:

Xenia Area Chamber of Commerce  
334 W. Market St., Xenia, OH 45385  
937-372-3591

E-mail [admin@xacc.com](mailto:admin@xacc.com)





## What is a Safety Council?

Thousands of Ohio employers find value and workers' compensation premium savings by actively participating in their local safety councils. And you can join them!

A safety council is a group of business people from managers to laborers to those who are in charge of their company's safety program. We meet once a month, over breakfast, with a different speaker each meeting to discuss various safety issues in the workplace.

### Learn techniques for increasing safety in your workplace:

- Learn how to better manage your workers' compensation program
- Network with other employers in your community
- Access useful, money-saving workers' comp and risk management information

### How do I become a member?

**That's easy!** Just fill out the Membership Application (on the reverse) return by mail or scan it to us. You can join anytime, but to be eligible for BWC's safety council rebate, we must process your enrollment by July 31st.

Enrollment in the Greene County Safety Council is open to all private companies, self-insured, public employers, and state agencies in Ohio who pay premiums to the workers' compensation system

### What is the BWC premium rebate and how do I become eligible to receive it?

The Bureau of Workers' Compensation (BWC) began offering a premium discount for participation in safety councils in 2004.

### "Active" Members must:

- Be enrolled in a local safety council by July 31st.
- Attend 10 approved meetings or events, at least 8 through the local safety council. Up to 2 of the 10 can be external approved educational options, but all 10 can be safety council meetings. It is the employer's responsibility to submit documentation to his/her safety council by June 30th, for attendance at non-safety council training or events to qualify.
- CEO, or highest-ranking authority, must attend one safety council-sponsored function or meeting (this counts as 1 of the 10 required meetings).
- Submit semi-annual reports for the required calendar year.

### Requirements to receive the 2% premium rebate and the 2% performance bonus

#### 2% Premium Rebate

- Employers meeting these participation eligibility requirements will receive a rebate of 2% of their annual premium.
- The rebate offer excludes self-insuring employers and state agencies. However, BWC encourages everyone to become active safety members.
- Employer must have active coverage status and no outstanding BWC balance to qualify.

#### 2% Performance Bonus

- Employers who reduce their frequency or severity by 10% or more below the previous year's frequency or severity, or employers who maintain both frequency and severity at zero will receive an additional 2% refund of their annual premium.

### Your Invitation to Participate!

Anyone is welcome to attend an upcoming meeting or program to find out more about the Greene County Safety Council. For more information, contact the Xenia Area Chamber of Commerce by email at [admin@xacc.com](mailto:admin@xacc.com), or call 937.372.3591