

## **Code of Conduct & Ethics**

The Jackson County Chamber of Commerce is committed to improving the quality of life and welfare of the citizens of Jackson County by promoting a prosperous and diverse business community that compliments the region's natural beauty. To that end, the Jackson County Chamber Membership Committee adopted the following Code of Conduct as the encouraged method of practice by business owners or managers who are members of the Jackson County Chamber of Commerce.

### Code of Conduct

As a Member of the Jackson County Chamber of Commerce, I/we recognize that membership is a privilege and that a membership brings with it the responsibility to assure that all members understand and commit to the following, without limitation:

- Conduct business and professional activities in a reputable manner so as to reflect honorably upon the business community.
- Conduct business in a fair and ethical manner, abiding by all state and federal laws, respecting the dignity and rights of customers and clients, vendors, associates and peers regardless of race, color, creed, religion, gender, height/weight or sexual orientation.
- Respect the reputation, profile and status of the Jackson County Chamber of Commerce and represent the Chamber accordingly.
- Refrain from publicly disparaging remarks about fellow members and the Chamber of Commerce.
- Understand, support and promote the vision of the Jackson County Chamber of Commerce and cooperate with fellow members in the application of this Code of Conduct.
- Whenever reasonably possible, participate in the functions and activities of the Chamber, and promote the enhancement of business growth within Jackson County.
- Observe the highest standards of ethics in rendering services and/or offering products for sale.
- Refrain from engaging in any practices prohibited by law or seeking unfair advantage over fellow members.
- Refrain from condoning and engaging in misrepresentation or unethical practices.