

# Mountain Home Area Chamber of Commerce

The Mountain Home Area Chamber of Commerce is seeking candidates for the position of President/CEO.

The Mountain Home Area Chamber of Commerce is a 501(c)6 organization. The Chamber is a member of the Arkansas State Chamber of Commerce, the Arkansas Tourism Development Foundation, the Ozark Mountain Regional and the Arkansas Economic Developers & Chamber Executives. The Chamber represents 524 area businesses with the purpose of advancing and promoting the economy of the City of Mtn. Home and the Twin Lakes Area by development of business, industrial, tourism, recreational, retirement and service industries as the economic bases of the community and promoting civic, environmental and general interests of its citizens and business community.

The Chamber is the recent recipient of the Innovative Community Development Award, 2019 Breakthrough Solutions Conference SOAR Award and 2019 Progressive St. Louis Boat & Sport Show Best Booth Display.

In addition, the City of Mountain Home was the first municipality in the state to approve an Entertainment District, and is the recipient of Volunteer Community of the Year and Honorable Mention as Trendsetter City (Crew and Associates) awards.

Mountain Home is a "tourism mecca," says AY Magazine, surrounded by three rivers and two lakes. The White and Norfork rivers are world renowned for fishing and provide a nearly \$100 million a year trout fishing industry to the area. The Buffalo river is the oldest National River in the country and is 153 miles long. Norfork and Bull Shoals Lake offer 67,440 acres of open water and 1,500 miles of shoreline. Just south of Mountain Home is the nation's largest fish hatchery, Norfork National Fish Hatchery. Hiking trails, bike trails, some of the best motorcycle roads in America, one of Arkansas' top golf courses and crystal-clear waters for scuba enthusiasts are just a few of the opportunities for recreation.

Resumes will be accepted through the end of October, with interviews carried out during November and employment beginning in January.

The President/CEO oversees the work of one part time and two full time employees, and works directly with the Chamber Board of Directors and the City of Mountain Home Advertising and Promotions Committee. The President/CEO works directly with the Baxter County Forward Initiative, Economic Development, Downtown District Improvement Association, and oversees the day to day operations of the Chamber of Commerce including membership relations.

Qualifications include but are not limited to:

Enthusiasm for community; Experience in Chamber, Economic and Tourism Development; Leadership experience with elected/appointed officials; preparing and management of the annual budget; Ability to cultivate and maintain a team centered working environment; Post-secondary education and certifications are a plus.

Resumes may be sent by email only to:

Jeff Quick

Chairperson

Mountain Home Area Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors

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The Mountain Home Area Chamber of Commerce is an Equal Opportunity Employer.