



## Who Are We?

The Oklahoma Professional Economic Development Council (OEDC) is an association of 150+ economic development professionals throughout the state of Oklahoma.

Our members are advocates for a prosperous economy in Oklahoma and strive to be active economic development resources for state leaders. We accomplish this through:

### Legislative Advocacy Committee

Responsible for identifying legislative issues related to the economic development profession in which OEDC members can take an active roll in assisting as the Economic Development Resource for Oklahoma. This committee, in addition to producing a yearly legislative agenda, will work closely with the Training and Education Committee to provide the OEDC membership opportunities to interact with legislative leadership and state elected officials and will oversee the selection of our Legislative Advocate of the Year.

### Training & Education Committee

Responsible for interacting with the OEDC Executive Committee to ensure monthly membership programs include educational and/or informational programs utilizing state, regional and national association partners such as IEDC, SEDC. In addition, this committee will help plan the OEDC Annual Meetings or the Economic Development Summit (on odd number years). This committee will also oversee the OEDC scholarship program and will ensure that an Awards Task Force is formed to recognize an Economic Development Professional of the Year.

### Membership Committee

Responsible for recruitment and retention of OEDC membership to ensure the mission of the organization is met with a strong focus on capturing any and all practicing economic development professionals across the State of Oklahoma.

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Professional Economic Development Council  
**OEDC**  
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# 2011 Membership Application & Information



**“OEDC as the Economic Development Resource for Oklahoma, is an organization of economic development practitioners and advocates promoting a competitive business climate through legislative initiatives, coalition building and professional development.”**

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# Why Be a Member?

The Oklahoma Professional Economic Development Council (OEDC) was formed to provide technical expertise to governmental and private groups to achieve goals which support economic growth and development. OEDC provides a growing spectrum of support services in Oklahoma to industry leaders, professional economic developers and local governments who need a resource for managing their own local economic development initiatives.

As a member of OEDC, you will be a part of a strong membership base attracted from around the state, representing both rural and urban areas. Such diverse backgrounds result in economic development solutions that work.

**OEDC is a professional organization and membership is only granted per professional and is non-transferable.**

Pre-Pay a year in advance for the OEDC Monthly Meetings & Education Programs! Just add \$72 to your annual investment.



**“The Economic Development Resource for Oklahoma”**

- **Legislative Advocacy**

OEDC stays current on legislation and takes an active role in promoting issues affecting business/industry and economic development.

- **Professional Development**

Learn the latest techniques in economic development from people that have successfully obtained loans and grants, and assisted new/expanding industry, or implemented other successful economic development programs.

- **Networking**

Become part of a network of experienced developers who will share their expertise and materials.

- **Information**

- OEDC Monthly e-newsletter
- Legislative Updates
- Website (with member directory and blog)
- Social Media (Twitter, Facebook, LinkedIn)

- **Key Standing Committees**

Help solve Oklahoma’s problems and promote economic development for our state by serving on one of our committees listed on the back of this brochure.

Organization Name \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Fax \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail Address \_\_\_\_\_

Website Address \_\_\_\_\_

Nature of Organization \_\_\_\_\_

Marketing Area?  Local  County  State  Region

May we link to your website?  Yes  No

Will you link to ours?  Yes  No

**\*OEDC Membership is non-transferable.**  
\$150 Annual Investment per Professional

Amount Enclosed: \_\_\_\_\_

Please detach application and return with check made payable to OEDC:

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Or pay online at [www.oedc.net](http://www.oedc.net).

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