



Buffalo/Niagara NAWBO Mastermind Group Application Form

Thank you for your interest in joining the Buffalo/Niagara NAWBO Mastermind Group. This is a unique benefit offered to Buffalo/Niagara NAWBO members only.

Buffalo/Niagara NAWBO Mastermind Group provides a confidential, safe, constructive environment in which to examine business activities, decisions, goals, and problems.

Each group is made up of 7 to 10 women who operate distinct types of businesses. This diversity provides varying viewpoints that enhance the discussions, as well as alleviate concerns about sharing confidential information with a competitor.

Participating in a Mastermind Group is a chapter member benefit. There are a few rules of participation we would like to ensure you are comfortable with:

- Commitment is for one year.
- Commitment encompasses attending monthly meetings.
- Information is shared confidentially among participating members.
- Mastermind groups work best when everyone participates and active participation as every member is necessary for the group's success.
- This is only open to Buffalo/Niagara NAWBO members.
- Applications are considered from established business owners involved in management, with the power to make day-to-day business decisions. They must also be willing to sign nondisclosure agreements.

Name:

Phone:

Email:

Business Name:

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In order to be able to create a Mastermind Group that brings together peers that can best support each other, and are well-matched as well as diverse, please fill out the following information:

1. Business Description:

2. Number of Years in Business:

3. The average number of employees or 1099 contractor/freelancer you have working for you:

4. Your goals & objectives: describe briefly what you want or hope to accomplish from being a member of a Mastermind Group:

5. Please let us know if there were any types of individuals or expertise that you think you would be like to see in your group.

6. Please share any other information that you think could help us put you with the right people.

Please complete and email this form to info@nawbowny.org

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