

CONCORD INDEPENDENT BUSINESS ALLIANCE
- Concord Indies -
MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION



Check the type of membership you're applying for:

INDEPENDENT BUSINESS INDIVIDUAL* NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATION
(Individuals fill out only items below with *)

*Your Name or Business Owner's Name(s): _____

Business Name: _____

Physical Address: _____

*Mailing Address: _____

Owner's town of residence _____

*Phone #: _____ *Email: _____

Type of Business: _____ Website: _____

To join the Concord Indies, your business must fulfill ALL of the following criteria:

- No more than 6 locations
- Minimum of 50% of locations in MA or within 100 miles of Concord
- Minimum of 50% of owners in MA or within 100 miles of Concord
- Headquarters in MA or within 100 miles of Concord
- Privately owned
- Owner(s) has full decision-making authority (name, signage, logo, appearance, product selection, salaries, etc.)

Please check here if your business fulfills ALL of the above criteria.

Membership Fee

- \$200 for Indies with 0-2 FTEs
- \$300 for Indies with 3-10 FTEs
- \$400 for Indies with 11-plus FTEs
- *Friend: \$50
- *Benefactor: \$100 - \$999 _____
- *Sponsor: \$1000-plus _____
- Non-Profit: \$100

**Full-time employee equivalents

No Indie Left Behind Policy

We are committed to having every Concord Indie on board that wants to be. Please ask for details about our confidential *No Indie Left Behind Policy* by contacting Marie Foley, Concord Hand Designs, 33 Main St., 978-371-2118 birdiefoley@hotmail.com

What do you most want by joining the Concord Indies?* _____

Please make your check out to "Concord IBA" and mail it to Concord IBA, PO Box 83, Concord MA 01742 or fax to 978-371-9600. Your check is good for a full year's membership. *Thank you for your support and participation!*

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Authorized Signature*

Date*

CONCORD INDIES MEMBERSHIP FEES



1. INDEPENDENT BUSINESSES

What is a Concord Indie? A business that fulfills all these criteria:

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Indie Membership Fee

*Indies with 0-2 FTEs**: \$200

Indies with 3-10 FTEs: \$300

Indies with 11-plus FTEs: \$400

(*FTE = Full time equivalent employees)

*Quarterly payment is available if you pay on our website
(www.ConcordIndies.org)*

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2. FRIEND OF CONCORD INDIES (Individuals): \$50

The Concord Indies welcomes individuals from anywhere that wish to advance our mission and goals. These include people who love to do business in Concord -- residents, families, folks from neighboring towns, visitors, tourists, and non-Indie business owners (the last would be acknowledged by their own name, not their business name).

Your contribution will help promote the value of independent businesses in our community, protect Concord's unique small town character, and boost the local economy.

3. BENEFACTORS & SPONSORS

We invite individuals, families, and businesses to give generously to help support the activities of the Concord Indies. (We reserve the right to partner only with Benefactors and Sponsors that resonate with our mission and goals.)

Your generous contribution will help advance our goals to promote the value of independent businesses, protect Concord's unique small town character, and maintain and grow our local economy.

Benefactor: \$100 - \$999

Sponsor: \$1000 – plus

4. NONPROFIT ORGANIZATION: \$100

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