**Small Firm Council**

*Join SFC Today and Bring Big Business to Your Small Firm!*

**Member Benefits:**

- Free, 24/7 access to valuable Coalition publication suites.
- Education sessions and materials specifically tailored to the needs of small firms.
- Discounted rate on the ever popular annual Small Firm Council Winter Meeting.
- Advocacy to protect your small firm’s interests.
- Access to an extensive network of knowledgeable professionals whose experiences help member firms uncover new business opportunities, troubleshoot issues and share best business practices.
- Access to information sharing forums at both the ACEC Fall Conference and Annual Convention.
- Discounted rates on Coalition-sponsored online seminars.

**WHO WE ARE**

Since 1990, the Small Firm Council (SFC) has represented and advanced the business interests of small firms. SFC provides a valuable forum that focuses on the unique needs and challenges facing small firms.

**WHAT WE DO**

SFC is the leading resource for small firms. We provide education, networking and advocacy to improve our members’ business success.

**OUR MISSION STATEMENT**

The Small Firm Council is dedicated to improving and promoting the business interests of small engineering companies, helping them understand and thrive in current and future economic environments to achieve their professional and financial goals.

We do that in three ways.

- **Advocacy:**
  - SFC advocates for improvement of the business environment for small firms, including active participation and awareness of proposed legislative and regulatory actions affecting small firms.

- **Education:**
  - Provides a forum where leaders of small engineering firms can interact with one another, with the goal of expanding their knowledge and skills in dealing with the challenging business environments and limited resources.
  - Develops business education products/documents and seminars focused on specific needs of small firms.

- **Networking:**
  - Provides opportunities for profession and business networking
  - Provides a forum to develop solutions to the unique needs of small firm owners.

“Membership in the ACEC Small Firm Council will provide you with an instant return on your investment. We have been active members in the SFC for over 15 years and regularly attend the SFC events at the ACEC national meetings as well as many of the SFC winter meetings.”

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SFC MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION*

FIRM NAME_____________________________________________________________________________________________

PRIMARY CONTACT FOR COALITION __________________________________________________________________________

TITLE ____________________________________________________________________________________________________

ADDRESS __________________________________________________________________________________________________

CITY ___________________________ STATE _______ ZIP _______________________________________________________________________

EMAIL ADDRESS __________________________ PHONE ___________________ FAX ___________________

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TOTAL $350

____ YES, my firm participates in the ACEC Business Insurance Trust! **

**If you check this off, DO NOT send money, we will invoice you.

Payment Options:

____ CHECK (Payable to ACEC/SFC)

____ CREDIT CARD (Visa, MasterCard, American Express)

   Credit Card #:__________________________________________ Exp. Date: __________

   Name on Card: ____________________________________________

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*YOU MUST BE A CURRENT ACEC MEMBER BEFORE YOU CAN JOIN A COALITION.