

In order to start and run a success Black Chamber of Commerce, you must follow these steps:

**Step 1:** Join the National Black Chamber of Commerce. In order to be recognized by the national organization you must be a member.

Once a member we will do our best to assist you in the formation of a strong local chapter and place you in touch with whatever larger

regional, or state chamber that is within your area. To Join the NBCC and read our members benefits [Click here](#)

**Step 2:** Develop a Strategic Plan. These will be guidelines and goals for your chamber of commerce. Ask yourself questions, such as,

What do you want your chamber of commerce to accomplish? To view the NBCC Strategic Plan [Click here](#)

**Step 3:** Become a 501(c) 3 status to become a Not-for-Profit organization, therefore making all contributions, donations and sponsorships tax deductible. See the different between 501(c) 3 and 501(c) 6 by [Clicking here](#) .

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