Why should I become a Member of the Connecticut Restaurant Association?

When making decisions that impact your bottom line, every dollar counts. At the Connecticut Restaurant Association, we work hard every day to deliver value that far exceeds the cost of your dues. We do it through our dedicated advocacy work with elected officials, our industry resources, and the direct benefits and savings we offer our members. The result? Members who are better informed, better represented in the halls of government, and better equipped to navigate the challenges of our industry. Invest in membership today and rest better knowing you have a trusted partner and advocate in your corner.

The real dollar value of the Connecticut Restaurant Association far exceeds the cost of dues, even if you only consider the lobbying and representation, which is not available from any other source. Membership can be the difference between success and failure in this business.

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OUR VOICE IS STRONGER TOGETHER

Through our relationships with legislators, state leadership and policy makers - at both the state and federal level - we are YOUR VOICE, and we have fought tirelessly to make sure that voice is heard. We know there is power in numbers, and that means making sure that as many Connecticut restaurants as possible are at the table, so that our clear, unified messages are heard where it matters most.

WE ARE YOUR INDISPENSABLE PARTNER & TRUSTED RESOURCE

When you join the CRA, you have a team of professionals working every day on your behalf. In addition to our dedicated staff, our team includes the best lobbying, legal, and PR minds in the state, along with our trusted partners at the National Restaurant Association. As a member, you will have access to this team of dedicated professionals 7 days a week.

MEMBER EXCLUSIVE SAVINGS & SUPPORT

We have over 100 vendors and businesses providing support to our members in the form of discounts, member exclusive savings and industry specific services. This means you can save money on things like payroll services, music licensing, ServSafe certification, job board postings, legal consults, business insurance, compliance training and so much more!

Did you know?

Through our partnership with the National Restaurant Association, CRA members now benefit from dual membership at no extra cost!

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