## WHO WE ARE

Founded in 1937, the New Jersey Gasoline, Convenience Store and Automotive Association (NJGCA) represents, supports, promotes, protects, and advocates for small and independent businesses in the motor fuel retail, convenience store, and automotive repair industries throughout the state of New Jersey.

**WHO YOU ARE:** NJGCA members are honest and professional small business owners looking for ways to maximize their profitability in a complex marketplace.

Our mission is to support small business owners:

- Who need a place to turn when experiencing business difficulties.
- In need of a trusted business to provide a service.
- Looking for educational opportunities, targeted industry news, and other tools to make business decisions.
- Looking for a voice in the field to enhance public awareness on issues in the industry.
- Want to be a part of a community of other business owners.

#### PERSONALIZED ASSISTANCE

Association members have access to NJGCA staff for assistance on any issue that may arise while doing business in New Jersey:

- Fines and violations from government agencies:
  - Weights & Measures
  - Department of Labor
  - Department of Environmental Protection
  - Division of Consumer Affairs
  - NJ Motor Vehicle Commission
  - OSHA
  - And more!
  - Assistance with compliance and regulatory matters
  - Fuel Supplier Contractor Guidance
    & Review

# EDUCATION & TRAINING

Access to necessary training and certification courses in order to run your business in New Jersey:

- Class C Operator Training
- Training toward Emission Repair Technician Licensing
- INL/NJ Emission Inspector Training for Private Inspection Facilities

## **ADVOCACY EFFORTS**

Do any of the following issues affect your business?:

- \$21 Minimum Wage
  - High Taxes
- Self-Serve Ban
- Right to Repair
- DTW Gouging
- State liquor license laws
  - Ban on Gas Cars
  - Internet Lottery
  - MVC Inspections
  - Cigarette Bans
- High Credit Card Fees
- Burdensome Labor Laws

NJGCA is one of the most active trade associations in the state, fighting for your interests in Trenton every day. New Jersey has one of the nation's worst climates for small businesses, and it would be far worse if not for our advocacy for our industries.



### MEMBER BENEFIT PARTNER PROGRAM

NJGCA is proud to partner with companies and businesses that have been vetted and are trusted by fellow members to offer the highest quality products and services.

NJGCA's Member Benefit Partner Program (MBP) features exclusive healthcare exclusives and workers comp programs, in addition to:

- Insurance Providers
- Credit Card Processing
- Law Practices
- Licensed Site Remediation professionals (LSRP's)
- UST/Gas Station Compliance companies
- Gasoline/C-Store/Repair Shop
  Suppliers
- ... And many more!

Visit www.njgca.org/MBP today for a list of participating businesses



## COMMUNICATIONS

We have several tools we use to communicate our efforts with members:

- Weekly Road Warrior online
  newsletter
- Quarterly printed magazine
- Events and Announcement emails
- Advocacy Campaign emails that ask for member participation in reaching out to legislators on important issues
- Annual Voter Guide
- Virtual webinars and in-person seminars



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