

# **BUSINESS PRINCIPALS OF TUCSON**

## **STATEMENT OF PURPOSE**

### **WHAT IS THE PURPOSE OF BUSINESS PRINCIPALS?**

BPOT is a group of business owners or representatives of a business that are empowered to make decisions for their business. Membership is limited to one member per business category. Current members have the option to reject a prospective member if they feel there is a conflict or overlap of fields.

### **OBJECTIVE**

The objective of BPOT is to promote the business interests of its members through the exchanging of business information between their members and through the referral of prospective clients to each other's businesses.

### **WHEN DOES BPOT MEET?**

BPOT meets twice a month, on the first and third Thursday of the month, beginning at 7:00 a.m. and lasting no later than 8:30 a.m.

### **WHERE DOES BPOT MEET?**

BPOT meets at The Hungry Fox, 4637 E Broadway. Blvd, Tucson AZ 85711

### **HOW MUCH DOES IT COST?**

The dues for BPOT are \$75.00 per quarter and are due the first of the quarter.

### **WHAT IS INCLUDED IN THE COST?**

Dues cover breakfast, general meeting expenses, printing and postage of promotional materials, a quarterly directory, etc. BPOT will have one to three social gatherings per year, which will be subsidized in part by membership dues.

### **DOES BPOT GET INVOLVED IN COMMUNITY SERVICE PROJECTS?**

No. BPOT is based upon the desire of business people to increase and improve their businesses through networking and referrals. This is the primary purpose of membership.

### **WHAT IS REQUIRED OF ME?**

- Not more than 3 unexcused absences during a one-year period.
- Participation.
- The payment of dues.
- Fair and ethical business practices.
- Leaves of absence are not considered.

### **HOW CAN I BE GUARANTEED THAT MY BUSINESS WILL PROSPER?**

There are no guarantees. From our experience, we know that as friendships develop, trust follows. Where trust exists between members of the business community, business prospers from referrals.