

# CONTACT US TO SEE HOW WE CAN HELP YOUR COMPANY.



**BRUNSWICK &  
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DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY

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## HOW WE HELP YOUR BUSINESS:

- Share information, ideas, and recommendations for consistency
- Suggest actions that are right for the company, the region, and Georgia
- Add value to your company; a measurement of our success
- Strive for solutions that make change for the better
- Solve issues in a timely manner so businesses can focus on business

# Brunswick and Glynn County Business Retention & Expansion Action Team Directory



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- ▶ Go-to organization for local industry solutions
- ▶ Local incentives and connections for new and existing companies
- ▶ Manufacturing, distribution liaison
- ▶ Workforce development coordination



## COASTAL PINES TECHNICAL COLLEGE

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- ▶ College credit programs
- ▶ Customized training programs
- ▶ Professional continuing education



## BRUNSWICK-GOLDEN ISLES CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Ralph Staffins, III, President/CEO  
office: 912-265-0620

- ▶ Advocate for local businesses
- ▶ Business Development and Promotion
- ▶ Community Workforce



## GEORGIA DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

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- ▶ Recruitment assistance for new, expanding and existing companies
- ▶ List job openings, screen and refer qualified applicants
- ▶ Provide wage & labor marketing information



## GEORGIA POWER

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- ▶ Energy Audits
- ▶ Research Data
- ▶ Technology Application Center



## GEORGIA DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

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- ▶ Georgia incentives for new and existing companies
- ▶ Access to capital and state grants



## GOLDEN ISLES COLLEGE & CAREER ACADEMY

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- ▶ College credit programs
- ▶ Customized training programs
- ▶ Professional continuing education



## Small Business Development Center UNIVERSITY OF GEORGIA

### UGA SMALL BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT CENTER

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- ▶ Free one-on-one confidential consulting for small & mid-sized businesses
- ▶ Low-cost training & continuing education programs



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Georgia Advanced Manufacturing  
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- ▶ New operations
- ▶ Existing operations with qualified job growth



## CITY OF BRUNSWICK

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- ▶ Business education and financing
- ▶ Incentives
- ▶ Navigating business permitting & licensing