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### OPERATION ACTION U.P.

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HELP CREATE A FAVORABLE ECONOMIC  
CLIMATE AND A STRONG EMPLOYMENT BASE  
FOR MICHIGAN'S UPPER PENINSULA



## WHAT IS OPERATION ACTION U.P.?

Operation Action U.P. is unique - it is a private-sector economic development organization, which embraces all types of industries and serves a 15 county area. As fitting for a maturing organization, its members now predominantly come from the Upper Peninsula, and its basic direction is derived from them.

After five successful decades, OAUP continues to be an independent, responsive and responsible private agency. Economic development does not happen by accident. It needs concerted and consistent efforts.

Today, Operation Action U.P. is stronger than ever and is in the forefront of a wide range of economic thrusts oriented towards the betterment of business and jobs in Michigan's Upper Peninsula.

Operation Action U.P. brings together interested industrial corporations, financial institutions, utilities, institutions of higher learning, businesses and concerned citizens in a coalition that will work to create a favorable economic climate and a strong employment base for Michigan's Upper Peninsula.

### THE BENEFITS:

- Advocacy
- Convener for U.P. Wide Legislative Agenda
- Educational Opportunities
- Public recognition of successful U.P. businesses
- U.P. wide collaboration of industry & business
- Privately funded

## INVESTMENT

### INDIVIDUAL MEMBERS

#### ■ \$100

All associations, labor, professional, service, retail, wholesale, education, health care, manufacturing, financial, insurance and construction based on size and scope of its business reach.

#### ■ \$250

#### ■ \$500

All resource based business, utilities and communications entities that would include mining, forestry, telephone and power companies based on size and scope of its business reach.

#### ■ \$250

#### ■ \$500

#### ■ \$1,000

## MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

Yes, we support Operation Action U.P.'s goals of building a stronger economic climate for Michigan's Upper Peninsula.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Fax (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Website \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

**TOTAL ANNUAL INVESTMENT = \$** \_\_\_\_\_

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Enclosed is a check made payable to OAUP

Please charge my credit card (circle one):  
Visa Mastercard Discover American Express

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