



PUBLIC POLICY STATEMENTS 2018

Local

- The Catoosa County Chamber of Commerce supports the formation of a Taskforce with business, industry, local government and Economic Development Authorities to develop an action plan for business growth.
- The Catoosa County Chamber of Commerce supports workforce development through programs at Georgia Northwestern Technical College, Dalton State College, and Catoosa County School System.
- The Catoosa County Chamber of Commerce supports the Catoosa County School System in the creation of a College and Career Academy.
- The Catoosa County Chamber of Commerce supports the continued promotion and progress of retail and healthcare development on Battlefield Parkway.

State

- The Catoosa County Chamber of Commerce supports development and implementation of a passenger rail between Chattanooga and Atlanta utilizing rail service on existing rail lines by negotiating with W&A Rail Line and CSX Railroad.
- The Catoosa County Chamber of Commerce supports the Catoosa County School System in the application for a College and Career Academy through a Start-Up Grant from the Georgia Department of Education.

Federal

- The Catoosa County Chamber of Commerce supports a bi-partisan solution to immigration reform.
- The Catoosa County Chamber of Commerce supports comprehensive reform to America's tax system that will foster economic growth leading to the creation of jobs.
- The Catoosa County Chamber of Commerce supports a modern, balanced and transparent regulatory system that will give businesses the confidence to hire, invest and innovate.
- The Catoosa County Chamber of Commerce supports healthcare initiative and reform equitable to all citizens.