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Dear

## **Do you want to make a difference to your business and your local community?**

That's exactly why the Kingswood Business Association has been formed. Our current membership is made up of a wide range of businesses in and around the Kingswood area that have one common goal:-  
**To make Kingswood a better place to visit and do business.**

### **Achievements so far**

Since Forming in January 2010, I am delighted to say that we have achieved the following:-

- Secured the support of:- Over 40 SME businesses, South Gloucestershire Council, Filton College, Barclays & Lloyds TSB, Kings Chase Shopping Centre and Booker amongst others.
- Contacted landlords/Agents of empty retail units, with a view to helping them find a tenant that will improve the shopping experience in Kingswood.
- Creation of the [www.mykingswood.co.uk](http://www.mykingswood.co.uk) website, which is a place where members can advertise their business and publicise any forthcoming local events.
- Formation of a pressure group that is working closely with South Gloucestershire Council Safer Stronger partnership. Currently we are involved in the 'Clean up Kingswood' campaign & arranging a walkabout with local council so that they can be shown first hand the issues affecting the local traders.

### **Future Projects**

- Design of a map situated in Kingswood which advertises local businesses and shows where they can be found.
- Pride Of Kingswood Award recognising the achievements of local businesses.
- Creation of a Buying Group to secure discounts from wholesalers, utility companies & suppliers.
- Creation of a Directory listing all the members & the discounts available

### **Membership Pack Includes**

- No membership Fee until October 2010 (thereafter £25 per annum)
- Free advertising on the 'My Kingswood.co.uk' website with special offers for KBA members.
- Discount on products and services offered by other KBA Members.
- Contribute to the KBA meetings and influence change in your local area.
- Working in partnership with other businesses, a chance to network with and access to specialist advice..

*All this for just £25 a year.*