

# Membership Dues & Classes

## **LEGACY MEMBERS**

Legacy membership includes 3 business representatives from each Arctic state and 3 representatives from each Permanent Participant organization. This is the voting membership of the Arctic Economic Council.

#### **SOUTHERN PARTNER**

Global focus is shifting north and there is growing interest by non-AEC members to participate in the AEC. If we are true to the "AEC Way" of building on the pillars of collaboration, partnership, innovation and peace, it is imperative for the AEC to provide sub-Arctic stakeholders an opportunity to participate, interact and collaborate with the Legacy Members of the AEC. This Southern Partnership comes at a meaningful cost.

#### **NORTHERN PARTNER**

Larger businesses domiciled or with their business headquarters located within an Arctic state may join the AEC family at this level. This Northern Partnership comes at a meaningful cost.

### **PERMAFROST PARTNER**

Micro, small and medium businesses support the "active layers" in our remote Arctic communities. They bring an important perspective about doing business in the Arctic. They deserve an opportunity to have a voice within the AEC. The Permafrost Partner is designed for micro, small or medium businesses with 99 employees or less with their business domiciled or headquarters located within an Arctic state.