The eGovernment Payments Council is a professional association with the Electronic Funds Transfer Association.

The purpose of the eGPC is to promote sound business and policy strategies that will encourage the adoption of electronic payments for the millions of dollars made in government disbursements each year.

eGPC members share the belief that electronic payments are safer, more convenient and generally more economical than paper-based payments.

Members receive discounts to all eGPC meetings, the annual conference and EFTA events.

Introduction and Membership Dues

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Every November hundreds of federal officials, state agency staff and contractors gather for the annual government-payments conference, EBT—the Next Generation, sponsored by the eGovernment Payments Council.

**eGPC Mission**

The mission of the eGovernment Payments Council is to provide a single organization representing the government payments community.

The purpose of the Council is to promulgate rules and best practices and advocate effectively for policy and business practices in support of migrating paper-based government payments to electronic debit card technology.

**Supporting the Council**

The Council is supported entirely by member dues. The dues structure includes six categories of membership.

**Founder**

The Founder category includes all of the rights and privileges of membership, plus the membership in the Quest® Rules Forum. This allows Founders the ability to work directly with states on the operating rules for the national EBT network. *Annual dues: $7,000.*

**Charter**

Charter members include companies with annual revenues in excess of $500,000. It also includes access to the Quest Rules Forum. *Annual dues: $6,000.*

**Trustee**

Trustee members are companies who do not wish to be involved with the Quest rules. *Annual Dues: $5,000.*

**Pioneer**

Pioneer members are individual state agencies. *Annual dues: $3,600.*

**Service**

Service members are smaller technology companies with annual revenues not exceeding $500,000. *Annual dues: $2,000.*

**Advisory**

Advisory members are non-profits or government agencies that do not operate EBT systems but represent stakeholders or advise state agencies. *Annual dues: $200.*

2011’s EBT—The Next Generation conference will be held Nov. 6-8 in Clearwater Beach, Florida.

Interested in membership? Joining the most dynamic, accomplished payments group is simple and easy. Contact Bob Bucceri, council director, at (610) 918-1161, or bob.bucceri@chaddsfordplanning.com and he’ll get you set up. Or, go to the website of the Electronic Funds Transfer Association and register by clicking the “Join Now” button: http://www.efa.org/contact.php