



NATIONAL COOPERATIVE BUSINESS ASSOCIATION

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INDIVIDUAL MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

The mission of the National Cooperative Business Association is to develop, advance, and protect cooperative enterprise. With membership in NCBA, you will have access to these and other member benefits.

Cooperative Business Journal (CBJ)

The CBJ is the flagship publication of NCBA. CBJ keeps you current on co-op trends, provides special features, and reports the hottest news that individuals who have a vested interest in cooperatives need to know.

Public Policy Awareness and Assistance

NCBA offers its members representation on Capitol Hill through lobbying and education efforts. Through e-mail communications, NCBA will make you aware of public policy issues involving cooperatives. NCBA also offers support to issues you face. Just ask us!

Conferences

NCBA sponsors various conferences--the Cooperative Conference; conferences for worker cooperatives; the Conference for Purchasing Cooperatives; and CCMA. Our web site contains up to date details on these conferences. Individual members are invited to attend at a reduced registration rate.

Access the Members-Only Section of Our Web site

Members can enjoy exclusive features while logged on to the Members-Only section of the web site. Features include the Cooperative Business Journal (CBJ) online, Membership Listing—where you can network with other members—and a complete Staff Directory. Members are provided with a personal ID and password to access the restricted section anytime, anywhere.

Member Communications

NCBA brings you the latest news and important notices via our monthly eNEWS bulletin. This e-communication includes grants and scholarship notices, invitations to join special NCBA programs or contests, news headlines, and more! An e-mail address is required for this valuable member benefit. Note: NCBA will not share your e-mail address with third parties.

One Vote

Vote in NCBA's board elections and participate in NCBA's policy resolutions process during our Annual Cooperative Conference.

All types of individual memberships entitle you to the same benefits, except **Gold Twin Pines**. This membership entitles you to five free lines of advertising in CBJ, and is for those who want to give more to further NCBA's mission. **Sustaining Membership** allows you to pay one lump sum, never having to worry about renewing ever again.

INDIVIDUAL INFORMATION

1. First name: _____ Last name: _____

2. Street address: _____ City: _____

3. State: _____ Zip code: _____ Country: _____

4. E-mail: _____ Phone: _____ Fax: _____

\$525 Sustaining Individual Membership Credit Card (MasterCard, Visa, American Express): _____

\$105 Gold Twin Pines Individual Membership _____

\$52 Regular Individual Membership Expiration date: _____

I am interested in membership for my cooperative. Please contact me. My industry is: _____

If your membership is a business expense, NCBA dues are not deductible as charitable contributions. However, 95% is deductible as a business expense. The remaining 5% is non-deductible to the extent that NCBA engages in lobbying activities. Please mail or fax your application and payment, make checks payable to the National Cooperative Business Association. Thank you.