



# MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS

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## APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS:

There are two types of membership: Voting and Non-voting

### Voting Membership

Any organization interested in joining the Animal Welfare Federation of New Jersey that meets the eligibility requirements may apply for voting membership. Any organization interested in the purposes for which the Federation has been incorporated, and which desires to support the Federation's programs and which meets the eligibility requirements may apply for voting membership in the Federation. Application must be made in writing. A majority of the Board must approve all applications. Each voting member is entitled to only one (1) vote. Voting must be done in person by a delegate of the member organization. Voting by proxy is not allowed. Only organizations may be voting members.

1. Application for membership will be reviewed and voted upon by the Board of Directors.
2. Any sheltering facility applying for membership must meet the minimum standards of care as set forth by applicable governing agencies. *(Please include a copy of your most recent inspection report from the applicable governing agency.)*
3. Any companion animal adoption facility applying for membership must have written prescreening, spay/neuter and adoption policies. *(Please include a copy of these policies.)*

### Non-Voting Membership

Any individual or organization wishing to attend Federation meetings, or receive Federation publications, may do so upon payment of yearly dues. Non-voting members may not vote or hold office in the Federation, but with the permission of the Board of Directors may participate in general business. The Board may also appoint honorary non-voting members at its discretion.

### Annual Dues

All applications for both voting and non-voting membership must include a check for annual dues. The fee for voting membership is based on the organization's budget as follows:

#### *Voting Membership:*

Up to \$100,000 \$ 40  
 \$100,000 - 150,000 ----- \$ 50  
 \$150,000 - 250,000 ----- \$ 75  
 \$250,000 - 350,000 ----- \$100  
 More than \$350K ---- -----\$150

*Non-Voting Membership Dues (organization): \$ 25*

*Non-Voting Membership Dues (individual): \$ 15*

Please complete this Application Form and return it as soon as possible with your dues and any enclosures to: Animal Welfare Federation of New Jersey, 191 North Avenue, #350, Dunellen NJ 08812.



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## Membership Application

*(Please print or type)*

### 1. ORGANIZATIONAL OR INDIVIDUAL INFORMATION:

Name of Organization or Individual: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Person: \_\_\_\_\_

Daytime Phone No. \_\_\_\_\_ Fax No.: \_\_\_\_\_

Evening Phone No. \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

### 2. MEMBERSHIP TYPE *(Please check one category)*

**Voting Membership** (fee based on organization's budget):

up to \$100,000 \$ 40	\$100,000 - 150,000 \$ 50
\$150,000 - 250,000 \$ 75	\$250,000 - 350,000 \$100
over \$350K \$150	

**Non-voting Membership**

**Non-voting Organization \$25**

**Non-voting Individual \$15**

### 3. AGENCY TYPE *(Please check one category)*

Private/nonprofit      Governmental

### 4. SERVICES PROVIDED *(Please check all that apply)*

Animal Control	Education	Animal Sheltering	Foster Care
Wildlife Rehabilitation	Off-site adoptions	Spay/Neuter	

Other(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Approximate number of animals handled annually: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of paid staff: \_\_\_\_\_ Number of volunteers: \_\_\_\_\_

Approximate annual budget: \_\_\_\_\_

By signing this Application, I agree to support the principles and beliefs of the Animal Welfare Federation of New Jersey.

Authorized Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Title (if applicable) \_\_\_\_\_

Credit Card:    Visa    MasterCard Card No. \_\_\_\_\_ Exp. Date \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Printed name \_\_\_\_\_