



Membership Agreement

By and Between the West Virginia Voluntary Organizations Active In Disaster (WV VOAD) and _____, a WV voluntary agency and WV VOAD Member Organization. _____ would like to work cooperatively with WV VOAD as a Member, and as such agree to the following:

1. Accept and support the purpose and functions of the WV VOAD and subscribe to its principles of communication, coordination, collaboration and cooperation;
2. Maintain compliance with the membership criteria and guidelines as defined in the WV VOAD By-laws;
3. Be represented at least half of the regular business meetings throughout the year by a representative that is authorized to act on behalf of our organization;
4. To have a representative(s) on at least one WV VOAD Committee and to attend and actively participate in activities of the Committee(s) when activated by the Board of Directors.
5. Adhere to the all values, ethics, and Points of Consensus of National VOAD and WV VOAD.
6. Work within the framework of the WV VOAD Disaster Response Protocols;
7. Execute membership documents in a timely manner, including;
 - a. Up-to-date information on changes in the organization's authorized representatives, contact information and disaster services;
 - b. Annul organizational updates as required by the membership renewal process;
 - c. Shall have a stated policy of commitment of resources to meet the needs of people affected by a disaster without discrimination
8. Comply with the "National VOAD Branding Standards, Policies and Procedures"
9. Pay the annual dues in a timely manner.
10. WV VOAD and _____ organization both retain the right to terminate this Membership Agreement with 60 days written notice. Termination of membership revokes all rights, privileges and responsibilities afforded.

We understand that in order to maintain our status as a Member in Good Standing we must maintain compliance with all the above responsibilities. This Membership Agreement is valid for three (3) years and will be renewed on or before the first day of March.

On behalf of WV VOAD

On behalf of Member Organization

Print Name and Title

Print Name and Title

Date _____

Date _____