

# Send Completed Application to <u>receptionist@brarva.com</u> REALTOR<sup>®</sup> Membership Application

Date:\_\_\_\_\_

I hereby apply for REALTOR® membership in the Blue Ridge Association of REALTORS®. I agree as a condition of membership to complete the Blue Ridge Association of REALTORS® Orientation and Ethics course within 90 days of membership application. Applicants for REALTOR® membership shall complete an orientation program on the Code of Ethics of not less than two hours and thirty minutes of instructional time. This requirement does not apply to applicants who have completed comparable orientation to another association, provided that REALTOR® membership has been continuous, or that any break in membership is for one year or less. Failure to satisfy the Ethics Requirement within 90 days will result in denial of membership application and termination of provisional membership. I further agree that my act of paying dues shall evidence my commitment to abide by the aforementioned Code of Ethics, Bylaws, Rules and Regulations, and duty to arbitrate, all as from time to time amended. Finally, I consent that and authorize the above Association to invite and receive information and comment about me from any member or other persons, and I agree that any information furnished to said Association by any member or other person in response to any such initiation shall be conclusively privileged and not form the basis of any action by me for slander, liable or defamation of character.

Note: Applicant acknowledges that if accepted as a Member and he/she subsequently resign or is expelled from membership with an ethics complaint or arbitration request pending, the Board of Directors may condition renewal of membership upon applicant's verification that he/she will submit to the pending ethics or arbitration proceeding and will abide by the decision of the hearing panel; or, if applicant resigns or is expelled from membership without having complied with an award in arbitration, the Board of Directors may condition the renewal of his/her payment of the award, plus any costs that have previously been established as fee and payable in relation thereto, provided that the Award and such costs have not, in the interim, ben otherwise satisfied.

Name as shown on Real E	state License:	
Previous Name if different	from current nar	me:
Date of Birth:	License# _	License Exp. Date:
License Type: Brok	er Salespe	erson
Membership Applying for:	Primary	Secondary (Which state Association do you hold Primary Membership?)
Firm Name:		
Firm Address:		
Firm Phone #:		Cell Phone:
Home Address:		

Home Phone:	
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\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Are you a member or have you been a member of any other real estate Association? Yes No		Revised 7.3.2024	
If yes, please list the name of the other Association and type(s) of membership held:			
Have you ever been refused membership in any other Real Estate Association? If yes, state basis for such refusal and circumstances related there to:	Yes	No	
Have you ever been found in violation of the Code of Ethics or other membership dutie	es in ar	ny Association of	-

REALTORS® in the past three (3) years or are there any such complaints pending? Yes No (if yes, please provide details as an attachment.)

### SKILLS/EXPERTISE

Accounting	Government Relations	OFFICE USE ONLY
Education/Training	Public Relations	NRDS#/M1
Fundraising	Planning	Orientation
Human Resources	Financial	PaidCCCashCheck
Marketing	Strategic Planning	Uploaded to GZ NRDS/M1 database (verify merge)
Management	Technology	QB
Program Development	Legal	Membership Report Sentrilock (sync with GZ) AE Welcome Letter

For Dues/Fees and payment information please contact the BRAR office at 540-667-2606. Your application cannot be processed until payment has been made.

# **Terms and Conditions**

- In the event my application is approved, I agree as a condition of membership to complete the New Member Ethics and Orientation class. I understand I am required to complete this course within 90 days of the date of application. Failure to do so may result in termination of my membership and additional fees for subsequent reinstatement.
- Additionally, on my own initiative, I will thoroughly familiarize myself with NAR's Code of Ethics and Arbitration Manual, Constitution, and Bylaws as well as the Rules and Regulations of BRAR, Virginia REALTORS®, and NAR.

#### I understand that Dues and Fees are non-refundable.

# No rebate of dues paid shall be made by the Association to any member in the event of termination of membership for any cause.

Yes No \_\_\_\_\_initial I agree, as a member of the Blue Ridge Association of REALTORS®, to allow any digital images (photographs or videos) of me to be used by BRAR in public relations matters, including newspapers and social media (i.e., Facebook).

Yes No \_\_\_\_\_initial I agree, as a member of the Blue Ridge Association of REALTORS®, to release professional information for the purpose of Association related Press Releases and/or for submission of my name in consideration of any real estate related award.

Signature of Applicant:		Date:	
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## **BROKER AGREEMENT**

I, (Designated Broker)	, of (Firm)	do
certify that (Applicant)	is a duly licensed sale	sperson, associate broker or
broker with this firm (circle one). I unde	rstand that should the applicant not be approved fo	or membership in the
Association or fails to meet the requirer	ments of such membership, he/she will have the sta	atus of non-member licensee
and I will be billed weighted dues for no	on-member licensees associated with my firm. In th	e event the applicant's
membership is rejected or terminated,	I will ensure that he/she will not use the term REAL	FOR®. I further agree that if the
applicant does not attend and satisfact	torily complete the required Orientation/Code of Et	hics within 90 days of
Application for membership, the applic	ation will be denied.	

Signature of Designated Broker:	Date:	

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