## **MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION**



### **CONTACT INFORMATION:**

Company:			A S S O C I A T I O N
Mailing Address:	Billing Addre	ess:	
City, State Zip:	City, State Zi	ip:	
Company Email:			
Office Phone:	_ Fax:	Website:	
States in which you operate:			
PRIMARY Membership Contact:		Title:	
Work Email:		Mobile:	
2nd Membership Contact:		Title:	
Work Email:		Mobile:	
ADDITIONAL MEMBERS: (\$50 add	litional per person)		
Name: Title	:: Email:	Mobile: _	
Name: Title	:: Email:	Mobile: _	
Name: Title	:: Email:	Mobile: _	
REFERRALS:			
How did you hear about us?	Referr	red By?	
SELECT YOUR LEVEL BELOW: (D	Dues are dependent on your watern	nelon sales)	
	nnual Dues		
Your job is being a farmer! Your Watermelons are s	old by another business.	_	
LARGE GROWER \$2500  Growers that farm and sell the watermelon crop.	Annual Dues \$1500 Annual Du	ues 5500 Annual Dues	
SHIPPER \$2500  Businesses that sell watermelon for farmers.	Annual Dues \$1500 Annual Du	ues \$500 Annual Dues	
SUPPLIER \$3000  Businesses that offer goods and services that ben	Annual Dues \$2000 Annual Dues sefit the industry.	ues \$1000 Annual Dues	\$500 Annual Dues
ALLIED INDIVIDUAL \$100 A Associations/commissions/boards, researchers, r	nnual Dues	nment officials and past queens & coord	linators
Please email company logos to membership		1 1 1	
PAYMENT INFORMATION:	BY CREDIT CARD: VISA	A MASTERCARD A	MEX DISCOVER
CARDHOLDER NAME:			
COMPANY DUES: \$	CREDIT CARD #:		
	EXPIRATION DATE:	SECURITY	Y CODE:
() ADD. MEMBERS AT \$50 EACH: \$	BILLING ADDRESS: Check this box if the address is the same as above.		
TOTAL AMOUNT DUE: \$	ADDRESS		
	CITY	STATE	7IP

Please email your application to: **Tami@nwawatermelon.com** or mail to the NWA office: **190 Fitzgerald Rd, Ste 3 Lakeland, FL 33813** 



# **MEMBERSHIP**

## **OUR MISSION**

Shaping the watermelon industry for future generations.

#### **SMALL TO MEDIUM GROWERS**

#### **LARGE GROWERS**

Growers that farm and sell the watermelon crop.	
• \$10 Million or more in annual watermelon sales	\$2500 Annual Dues
• \$5 Million but less than \$10 Million in annual watermelon sales	\$1500 Annual Dues
◆ Less than \$5 Million in annual watermelon sales	\$500 Annual Dues

#### **SHIPPERS**

Businesses that sell watermelon for farmers.	
• \$10 Million or more in annual watermelon sales	\$2500 Annual Dues
• \$5 Million but less than \$10 Million in annual watermelon sales	\$1500 Annual Dues
• Less than \$5 Million in annual watermelon sales	\$500 Annual Dues

#### **SUPPLIERS**

Businesses that offer goods and services that benefit the industry.	
• \$50 Million or more in annual watermelon-related sales	\$3000 Annual Dues
• \$10 Million or more in annual watermelon-related sales	\$2000 Annual Dues
• \$5 Million but less than \$10 Million in annual watermelon-related sales	
• Less than \$5 Million in annual watermelon-related sales	

#### **ALLIED INDIVIDUALS**

With the exception of our Allied Individual Membership, all Memberships include 2 people. If your business wants to add more than 2 people, each additional person can become a member for \$50 each.

Please email company logos to membership@nwawatermelon.com

Benefits

- Subscriptions to member communications
- Access to NWA funded research
- Discounted rate at the NWA Convention
- Opportunities to join various committees

- Access to food safety programs & guidance
- Leadership and networking opportunities
- Eligibility for exclusive programs
- National Watermelon Queen promotions

"As a supplier to the Watermelon industry the NWA is an essential partner with the industry. Thru the NWA we are able to connect, build lifetime relationships and give back to the industry. Without the NWA it would be much more difficult to achieve our company goals within the industry. The annual NWA convention is the "can't miss" event of the year! It never disappoints."

-Walt Shappley, Retired from Highland AG Solutions

"I am a member and supporter of the NWA because as issues in the industry arise my one voice rarely will be heard but the voice of a group will have a greater impact. Being on the farming side of this industry I am not always current on the latest issues affecting us (labor, trucking, corona virus, disease, etc.) so the updates from NWA can make us aware of what is ahead of us during our season. I value the information and combined voices that hopefully can make a positive difference. Teaching future generations about the importance of our Local and National Chapters is important as well. Having a Son that will one day take over our family farm, it is important to me to teach him the value of giving back to an industry that has been so important to our family farm over the years. If Not Us - WHO?"

-Mark Collins, DMC Farms, Laurel, Delaware