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## **Membership Application Checklist**

# **WELCOME!** We are glad you're HERE.

**CONGRATULATIONS** on obtaining your Florida Real Estate License and thank you for choosing membership with the Space Coast Association of REALTORS®.

Please verify the following items are complete to ensure your Application for Membership is processed in a timely manner.

- 1. Verify your license is active with the Department of Business & Professional Regulation.
- 2. Complete and sign the following forms and submit to <a href="Membership@Space321.com">Membership@Space321.com</a> or bring them in to the Association Office.
  - REALTOR® Membership Application
  - Credit Card Authorization (If Applicable)
  - Letter of Good Standing from current Association (If you are an active member of, or are transferring from, another Realtor<sup>®</sup> Association)
- 3. Include your payment for all applicable fees (refer to New Member Fee Schedule). Payments may be by Credit Card or Check/Money Order payable to: <a href="mailto:SpaceCoast Association of REALTORS">Space Coast Association of REALTORS</a>®

If you have any questions, please contact our Membership Department at (321) 242-2211or via email at Membership@Space321.com.

#### **NEW MEMBER FEE SCHEDULE**

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	<u>JAN</u>	FEB 1 - 14	FEB 15 - 29	MAR	<u>APR</u>	MAY 1 - 14	MAY 15 - 31	<u>JUNE</u>
LOCAL Dues								
Florida Realtors® Dues								
Florida Realtors® Assessment								
NAR Dues								
NAR Assessment								
MLS Participation Fee								
SUB-TOTAL								
*NEW MEMBER Initiation Fee								
Florida Realtors® Process Fee								
TOTAL FEES								
	<u>JULY</u>	AUG 1 -14	<u>AUG 15 – 31</u>	<u>SEPT</u>	<u>OCT</u>	<u>NOV 1 – 14</u>	<u>NOV 15 – 30</u>	DEC
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\*\* Includes DUES for the following year.



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## **New Member Information Sheet**

Orientation Requirement:	New Member	Orientation	class is held	every month	n from <b>9:00</b>	am to 4:00	<b>pm</b> . All new
members must attend this	class within 60	days of place	cing their licer	nse with a m	ember brok	kerage firm.	

Orientation dates for are:

<u>Application Fee</u>: The application fee is a **one-time fee** as long as you are an "<u>ACTIVE</u>" member of the Space Coast Association of REALTORS®. If you cancel your Association membership and want to rejoin at a later date, you may be required to pay the application fee again. **Application Fees are collected at the time of application.** 

<u>Education Passport</u>: Helps you to take advantage of *discounted* and *free* classes offered by the Space Coast Association of REALTORS® throughout the year.

<u>Membership Dues</u>: <u>Membership dues are billed annually, in advance, and are sent to your email address</u>. If your email address changes, please inform the Board. The annual dues bill is posted to your membership account in *mid-November*, and the first payment is due by **December 14**.

Membership Dues for new applicants must be paid at the time of application. <u>ALL DUES ARE NON-REFUNDABLE!</u>

MLS Participation Fee: MLS Participation Fees are \_\_\_\_\_\_ per quarter and are pro-rated monthly. You must pay at the time of application for the remainder of the billing period. MLS fees are billed quarterly and are billed to your email address. MLS Participation provides you with access to the Multiple Listing Service and all of its benefits. By joining the MLS, you will have an instant inventory of approximately 8,000 active listings and over 10,000 listings that are sold, expired, canceled, or withdrawn.

SUPRA E-	KEY (Phone App):	Debit or Credit Co	ard only.	CASH NOT A	CCEPTED.	The Su	ıpra E-	-Кеу арр	is avo	ailable	e for
most cell	phones and the	download is free.	There is a		Activation	Fee	and th	he month	ly fee	for E	3asic
Service is	plus to	ax per month.									

<u>RPAC</u>: The **REALTORS® Political Action Committee (RPAC)** is the nation's largest, most successful and most bipartisan political action committee. Your voluntary investment is used to improve your bottom line in several ways: Through issues mobilization, political advocacy, and by directly supporting candidates at the local, state, and federal levels of government who champion the ideals and principles of REALTORS®.

RPAC is your best investment in real estate!

<u>Association(s):</u> By becoming a member of the <u>Space Coast Association of REALTORS®</u>, you also become a member of the <u>Florida REALTORS®</u> and the <u>National Association of REALTORS®</u>. Services from the Florida REALTORS® do not begin until your dues payment has been processed by the <u>Space Coast Association of REALTORS®</u>, and then forwarded to the appropriate parties. Florida REALTORS® services can take up to two weeks to start. With your membership, you become eligible to use the "REALTOR®" registered trademark. This symbolizes your commitment to professionalism and the real estate profession. **REALTOR® – Wear It Proudly!** 

<u>Benefits:</u> With your membership dues, you receive such benefits as access to comparable sales data, *Professional Standards Enforcement*, *Arbitration between REALTORS®*, *FREE Legal Advice* from Florida Realtor® Attorneys, technical support through *Florida Realtors® Legal Hotline*, and many other benefits!

### **CLICK --> Explore your MEMBER BENEFITS**

<u>Our REALTOR®</u> <u>Store</u> carries items specifically made with the Real Estate Agent in mind, such as Signs, Riders, Brochure Display Stands, Information Tubes, Real Estate Magnets, Cards, Business Card Magnets, Map Books, and so much more!

In addition to the previously named benefits, you will also have the opportunity to network with REALTORS® throughout the county. Our ultimate goal is for all REALTORS® to join forces for the opportunity to exchange information and create a unified voice for the Real Estate Profession. You will have access to a trained, professional staff that is eager to assist you with all of your needs. Our Staff has over 100 Years of combined experience in REALTOR® Association Management.



#### Space Coast Association of Realtors® & Space Coast Multiple Listing Service

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## 2025 Yearly Billing Cycle

The following is a breakdown of the dues and fees that will be billed to you each year. Please note you will receive an electronic bill from the Association and late fees of 20% WILL be assessed on the 15<sup>th</sup> of the month.

#### **DUES AND FEES ARE NON-REFUNDABLE and NOT TRANSFERRABLE**

\*\* Dues Are Subject to Change Annually

Annual Dues	Billed Date	Due Date	EXTEND Due Da	ate	Amount Due	Coverage Period
			Renewing Mem	bers Only		
National Association of REALTORS®	November 15	December 14	January	/ 14	\$ 201.00	Annual National Dues
Florida REALTORS®	November 15	December 14	January	/ 14	\$ 176.00	Annual State Dues
Space Coast Association of REALTORS®	November 15	December 14	Februar	y 14	\$ 180.00	Annual Local Dues
Total Dues for National, State, & Local					\$ 557.00	
MLS Fees	Billed Date	e Due I	Date	Amo	ount Due	Coverage Period
1 <sup>ST</sup> Quarter MLS	November 1	5 Decemb	ber 14	\$	92.00	January – March
2 <sup>ND</sup> Quarter MLS	February 15	5 Marcl	n 14	\$	92.00	April – June
3 <sup>RD</sup> Quarter MLS	May 15	June	14	\$	92.00	July – September
4 <sup>™</sup> Quarter MLS	August 15	Septem	ber 14	\$	92.00	October – December
Total Fees for MLS				\$	368.00	
Total Annual Dues for REALTOR® Men	nbership & MLS	3		\$	925.00	

Space Coast Association of REALTORS® offers an annual extended payment plan option for "<u>RENEWING</u>" members. If you have placed your card on file, you are authorizing Space Coast Association of REALTORS® to process payments for open invoices. We process autopayments on or around the 10<sup>TH</sup> of the month for dues and fees that are due on the 14<sup>TH</sup>. DUES and FEES ARE NON-REFUNDABLE and NOT TRANSFERRABLE. If your card is on file for AutoPay, it is your responsibility to contact the Space Coast Association of REALTORS® and cancel your membership/access before autopayments are processed.

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## **Application for Membership**

### NOTE: Application Fees and Membership Dues are NON-REFUNDABLE!

	Membership Type	New SCAR Membe	er	Returning SC	AR Member		
누	MEMBER NAME EXACTLY	as it appears on your Floric	da Real Esta	ite License:			
CA	First	Middle		Last			
APPLICANT	Mailing AddressCity						
	State ZIP Code _	Cell Phone		Birth Dat	te		
MEMBER	License Type	License Number		Appraiser	Yes	No	
~	E-mail Address (REQUIRE	D)					
	Languages Spoken						
出	Office Name						
OFFICE							
	City		State	ZIP Co	ode		
BROKERAGE	Office Phone		Office Fax _				
BRO	Website						
	Are you a member of and	other Realtor® Association?	? Yes	No			
NAL	Association Name			_ NRDS ID _			
PROFESSIONAL	,	n violation of the Code of the past <b>THREE (3) YEARS</b> or			•		
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#### **Qualifications for Membership**

I understand that membership brings certain privileges and obligations that require compliance, including the following:

I will attend orientation within <u>SIXTY (60) DAYS</u> of joining the Association. Failure to meet this requirement may result in my REALTOR® membership being terminated.

Membership in the Association necessarily means that I am also a member of the State Association and National Association of REALTORS® and I agree to abide by the Code of Ethics of the National Association, which includes the duty to arbitrate (or to mediate if required by the association), as well as the Constitution, Bylaws, and Rules and Regulations of the Association, the State Association and the National Association. Further, I agree to satisfactorily complete the periodic Code of Ethics training and a reasonable and non-discriminatory written examination on such Code, Constitutions, Bylaws and Rules and Regulations.

I acknowledge that as a member of the Association, I will be licensed to use the REALTOR® trademarks to indicate such membership, and I agree to abide by the rules governing use of those trademarks. I understand that REALTOR® is a federally registered trademark of the National Association and use of this designation is subject to rules promulgated by the National Association. Upon termination of my membership in the Association for any reason, my license to use the term REALTOR® is automatically revoked and I will immediately discontinue use of the term REALTOR® and all REALTOR® trademarks.

Membership is final only upon approval by the Board of Directors and may be revoked should completion of any membership requirement, such as orientation, not be completed within the timeframe established in the Association's bylaws.

In the event of election, I agree to abide by the Code of Ethics of the National Association of REALTORS®, which includes the duty to arbitrate, and the Constitution, Bylaws and Rules and Regulations of the above-named Association, the State Association and the National Association, and if required, I further agree to satisfactorily complete a reasonable and non-discriminatory examination on such Code, Constitutions, Bylaws and Rules and Regulations. I understand membership brings certain privileges and obligations that require compliance. Membership is final only upon approval by the Board of Directors and may be revoked should completion of requirements such as Orientation not be completed within timeframe established in the Association's bylaws. I understand that I will be required to complete periodic Code of Ethics training as specified in the Association's bylaws as a continued condition of membership.

**NOTE:** The duty to submit to an Ethics Complaint continues in effect even after membership lapses or is terminated. Any ensuing discipline will be held in abeyance until such time as the respondent rejoins an association of REALTORS® (see Code of Ethics and Arbitration Manual, Section 20(e)). The duty to submit to arbitration continues in effect even after membership lapses or is terminated, provided the dispute arose while the former member was a REALTOR®.

I hereby certify that the foregoing information furnished by me is true and correct, and I agree that failure to provide complete and accurate information as requested, or any other misstatement of fact, shall be grounds for revocation of my membership if granted. I further agree that, if accepted for membership in the Association, I shall pay the fees and dues as from time to time established. **NOTE:** Payments to the Space Coast Association of REALTORS® are not deductible as charitable contributions. Such payments may, however, be deductible as an ordinary and necessary business expense. **NO REFUNDS**.

By signing below, I consent that the REALTOR® Associations (Local State, National) and their subsidiaries, if any may contact me at the specified address, telephone numbers, fax numbers, e-mail address, text message or other means of communication available. This consent applies to changes in contact information that may be provided by me to the association(s) in the future. This consent recognizes that certain state and federal laws may place limits on communications that I am waiving to receive all communications as part of my membership.

BY SIGNING AND SUBMITTING THIS FORM, I HA	IVE READ AND ACCEPT ALL TERMS OF THIS APPLICATION.	
Signature:	Date:	

Member ID	





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## **Credit Card Authorization**

Name:	Billing	Address:		
Type of Card:			Expiration Date: Security Code:	
	ation form, I give the <b>Space C</b>			
Printed Name	(In lieu of D	Signature igital Signature, a <u>TYPED</u> Signature	will be accepted.)	Date

If you would like to place your Credit Card on file for "AUTO PAYMENT" of **any** ongoing fees or open invoices, you **MUST** log into your Member Portal and add your credit card to your account.

If you opt in for Auto Pay, the credit card payments are automatically processed on or around the 10<sup>th</sup> Day of each month. All fees are due on the 14<sup>th</sup> day of the month.

I understand that if the fees **<u>DO NOT</u>** process, and I do not pay the amount due on time, a **20%** Late Fee **<u>WILL</u> <u>BE</u>-APPLIED** to my membership account.

<u>NOTE</u>: If your credit card is on file for Autopay, it is your responsibility to contact the Association and cancel your membership/access or remove your credit card from you account before Autopay is processed.

**Dues & Fees are NON-REFUNDABLE and NON-TRANSFERRABLE.**