



MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

The North Dakota Ag Coalition is a nonpartisan federation of organizations representing specific commodities and/or associations with a direct interest in agriculture, for the specific purpose of addressing issues that affect North Dakota agriculture.

THE ORGANIZATION LISTED BELOW HEREBY SUBMITS AN APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP IN THE NORTH DAKOTA AG COALITION:

APPLICANT (Organization Name): _____

Contact Person: _____ Title: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

APPLICANT (check if applicable):

- is a statewide organization offering membership in all North Dakota counties OR is a regional organization offering membership in all counties directly active in the business of the organization
- has written bylaws OR is a state-chartered organization recorded in state statute
- collects annual dues OR has an annual budget in excess of \$1,000
- is not already represented on the North Dakota Ag Coalition by membership in a larger statewide or regional organization

LETTER OF INTEREST: A letter of interest from the organization's Chief Executive is required along with the membership application.

SPONSORS: ND Ag Coalition bylaws require that each potential member be sponsored for consideration by at least three current North Dakota Ag Coalition members, one of which must be a classified member (small grains, livestock, or row/specialty crops):

Sponsoring Ag Coalition Member Organization: _____

Authorized Representative Signature: _____

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BYLAWS: A copy of the organization's bylaws or charter, or proof that such exist, must be included with the membership application. *(Not required for associate/non-voting member organizations.)*

DUES: Dues should be submitted, along with this membership application, to the North Dakota Ag Coalition at the address below.

- \$1,000 annually – organizations with 200 or more members or commodity groups serving 200 or more producers
- \$700 annually – organizations with less than 200 members or commodity groups serving less than 200 producers
- \$550 annually – associate (non-voting) member organizations

MEMBERSHIP CLASSIFICATION: Review the [ND Ag Coalition bylaws](#) for clarification on membership classification *(not applicable to associate/non-voting member organizations).*

CHOOSE ONE: Small Grains Livestock Row/Specialty Crops General

Membership applications are voted on by the ND Ag Coalition membership.

Applications shall be submitted to the ND Ag Coalition office at least 14 days prior to the next scheduled meeting.

Membership meetings are typically held in even years in March, July, and December and in odd years in March and July.

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