Volunteering Victoria

Membership

Member Benefits

- Grow your networks at our member only events and connect with other volunteer professionals.
- Provide input on our policy, advocacy and research work to shape the future of volunteering across Victoria.
- Take advantage of the 30% discount when attending training, conferences and other events. This can apply to multiple employees within an organisation.
- Access our sector leading Continuing Professional Development (CPD) program for Professional Leaders of Volunteers.
- Become a mentor, or receive a mentor to support your professional practice.
- Nominate or be nominated for an award at our prestigious annual State Awards.
- Share your expertise and develop your communication skills through presenting at one of our monthly webinars.
- Participate in Special Interest Groups to engage and exchange practice tips and ideas, and contribute to Volunteering Victoria's strategic projects.
- Access to self-promote your volunteer programs through our online groups and forums.
- Receive a certificate of membership and the right to use the Volunteering Victoria logo to promote status of organisation/ individual amongst networks/peers.
- Develop your skills by attending one of our highly regarded training workshops.
- Attend a new member webinar to get an overview of our services, tools and resources.

Member Responsibilities

- Support and accept our representative work in policy and advocacy.
- Acknowledge the important contribution volunteers make to their work in the community.
- Maintain current membership information and advise Volunteering Victoria of any changes to key contact name, phone and address details.
- Member organisations with current Public Liability and Personal Accident (Volunteer) Insurance agree to notify Volunteering Victoria within seven days if there are any significant changes to their insurance policies.
- Pay all fees related to membership and or other member related activities such as training, CPD or other programs.
- Abide by the Constitution of Volunteering Victoria Incorporated, as it relates to members roles and responsibilities, especially voting rights at AGM.
- Accept any Terms and Conditions as applied to Volunteering Victoria membership (See below).

Terms & Conditions:

Upon application and acceptance of membership with Volunteering Victoria, the following Terms and Conditions are deemed to be applicable:

Disputes & Grievances

All disputes over membership shall be communicated in writing through our Feedback Form or via post:

Our Community House 552 Victoria Street, North Melbourne Victoria 3051

Volunteering Victoria will enact its <u>Complaints Policy</u> and all complaints will be responded to within 2-3 working days. Depending on the nature of the dispute, options for resolution may include:

- Meeting & discussion with CEO/Board
- Mediation with CEO/Board
- Other, including legal action.

Related Policies

Volunteering Victoria's <u>Privacy Policy</u> Volunteering Victoria's <u>Refund Policy</u>.

Declaration of Insurances

By paying membership fees for full members, the organisation declares that it is covered by a current Public Liability and Personal Accident (Volunteer) Insurance, as stated on the invoice. The organisation also agrees to notify Volunteering Victoria within seven days if there are any significant changes to their insurance policies.

Business Turnover

Business Turnover (as declared) for the purposes of member category may be queried/verified by Volunteering Victoria at any time and Volunteering Victoria reserves the right to amend the membership level/fees to correctly reflect turnover of the organisation.

