Membership Application

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Name of Organization

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Address

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City State Zip Code

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Office Phone Website Address

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Name of Person Representing Your Organization

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Title

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Address

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Email Address

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Cell Phone

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Member Category
(District, City, County, Regional Agency, Associate)

Acres in District_____

Levee Miles in Regional Agency_____

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Signature Date

If approved for membership, applicant agrees to conform with Association Bylaws. [ ] Initials

**Your application will be presented to the Board of Directors for consideration at its next regularly scheduled meeting. If approved, you will be sent an invoice for dues, payable upon receipt.*

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CALIFORNIA CENTRAL VALLEY
FLOOD CONTROL
ASSOCIATION

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION



"Promoting effective flood control systems for protection of life, property and environmental values"

WHO WE ARE

The Association was established in 1926 to promote the common interests of rural and urban local flood management agencies sharing in the responsibilities associated with reducing the risks of flooding in the Sacramento and San Joaquin Rivers and their tributaries, including the Delta.

Today, CCVFCA is the premier flood protection advocacy organization comprised of over 75 members with a wide spectrum of flood control expertise: reclamation districts conducting routine levee maintenance and drainage; cities and counties managing stormwater and levee systems; regional agencies constructing urban flood control improvements; and associated consulting firms.

WHAT WE DO

As a diverse, but unified coalition of leaders in the local flood management sector, we focus on:

- Promoting regulatory decisions that provide a high level of public safety and compatible multi-purpose benefits in the floodplain.
- Cultivating cooperative relationships with State and Federal decision-makers.
- Advocating for state and federal investments in the Central Valley's system of levees, bypasses, pumps, and other flood infrastructure.
- Responding to evolving political, environmental, and societal expectations for managing floodplains in the Sacramento and San Joaquin River watersheds.
- Engaging in partnerships and activities to increase public awareness regarding the importance of maintaining resilient and effective flood control facilities.

HOW WE OPERATE

CCVFCA is governed by a set of bylaws and a Board comprised of up to 28 Directors from all geographic areas of the Central Valley from Chico down to Tracy that meet quarterly. The Association's office is located in West Sacramento close to the State Capitol, the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers Sacramento District Office, and the California Environmental Protection Agency, Natural Resources Agency, Department of Water Resources, and Department of Food and Agriculture.

MEMBERSHIP BENEFITS

Legislative – Experienced lobbyist monitoring and influencing state legislation and budget funding affecting member's maintenance and operation responsibilities, levee improvement projects, and emergency response and flood risk reduction activities. Provide educational briefings and informational materials for Capitol staff and legislators.

Regulatory – Navigate complex government bureaucracies, interpret complex programs and regulations, foster productive partnerships with state and federal partners, to promote cost-effective levee investments on behalf of members. Work with decision-makers to develop multi-benefit public safety policies that improve urban and rural flood protection.

Communication – The Association utilizes a variety of tools to keep members updated on the latest legislative and regulatory flood control proposals and to increase public awareness and political support for robust levees and responsible management of the Central Valley's floodplains. Providing educational materials on our website, sending email alerts, sponsoring tours and policy briefings and hosting an annual Flood Forum luncheon with respected speakers on current topics. These are the primary methods of keeping our members, elected officials, flood management partners, and the general public informed about important political and policy issues.

APPLYING FOR MEMBERSHIP

Voting membership is limited to public agencies, such as reclamation, levee and drainage districts, and local governments. Organizations, corporations, and individuals interested in being actively involved in flood control issues may join CCVFCA as an Associate Member, but will have no voting rights.

Membership dues are annually set by the Board of Directors, and are currently established for the different member categories as follows:

Reclamation Districts	$0.4509 per acre	
Maximum	$ 14,907	
Minimum (under 300 acres)	$ 553	
(over 300 acres)	$ 873	
Urban Surcharge		
Population 500-5,000	$ 350	
Population 5,001-10,000	$ 700	
Population 10,001-25,000	$ 1,500	
Population 25,001-50,000	$ 2,500	
Population 50,001-100,000	$ 3,500	
Population 100,001-300,000	$ 5,000	
Regional Agency	$ 19,962	Base Rate
Regional Agency Surcharge	$ 143	Per Levee Mile
City or County	$ 4,625	
Associates (non-voting)	$ 3,611	

If you have any questions or would like more information about CCVFCA, visit our website at www.floodassociation.net
or call us at (916) 446-0197
Adam Borchard, Executive Director
Michelle Stuart, Office Manager

Interested parties are invited to fill out the *"Membership Application"* section on the back and mail or fax to:

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