

ABOUT YOU

Name _____ Job Title _____

Company _____

Business Address _____

City, State, Zip _____

Business Phone _____ Fax _____

E-mail _____ Website www. _____ Chapter: _____

NEW MEMBER DUES

Annual Dues Choose One →	<p>SEE BACK FOR DESCRIPTION OF MEMBERSHIP CATEGORIES</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> At-Large Member <input type="checkbox"/> Supporting Member*</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Established Business Owner <input type="checkbox"/> Student Member*</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Emerging Business Owner <input type="checkbox"/> Retired Member*</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Sustaining Member</p> <p><i>*Membership applications for Supporting, Student and Retired categories must be submitted to the local chapter for pre-approval.</i></p>	\$
	<p><i>NAWBO has chapters in more than 60 cities. For a list of chapter dues visit http://www.nawbo.org/content/433.cfm . Please note that the pricing listed on the website includes the \$25 discount and any additional chapter discounts.</i></p>	
Contributions (Optional)	<p>NAWBO Institute of Entrepreneurial Development <input type="checkbox"/> \$10 <input type="checkbox"/> \$25 <input type="checkbox"/> \$50 <input type="checkbox"/> \$100 <input type="checkbox"/> Other</p> <p>Visit www.nawbo.org for more information about the NAWBO Institute</p>	\$
Total Amount Enclosed		\$

METHOD OF PAYMENT

Check # _____ (Payable to **NAWBO**; mail to: NAWBO- P.O. Box 826157, Philadelphia, PA 19182-6157) or (fax to 202-403-3788)

Credit Card Payment Visa MasterCard DiscoverCard American Express

Account Number _____ Security Code _____ Exp. Date _____ / _____

Name as Appears on Card _____ Signature _____

By typing your name you are authorizing NAWBO to process your payment

BUSINESS DEMOGRAPHICS

Business description, NAICS code, Entity Type, and Certifications Held are included in the NAWBO Member Directory. All other demographics are collected for statistical purposes only. Please add the additional demographic information online once you login to your profile at www.nawbo.org. Click on the Business Demographics link and the Personal Demographics link to complete your profile. It is very important that all of the demographic information be completed for when we get requests for government contracts or those corporations looking to find women owned business for their diversity programs.

Year Started/Acquired (YYYY) _____

Ownership Percentage Non-business owner Less than 50 percent More than 50 percent

Type of Entity Sole Proprietorship Corporation S Corp

Partnerships Non-Profits Other

Certifications Held No Certifications/Not Applicable WBE – certified by local government WBE – certified by state government

WBE – certified by NWBOC WBE – certified by WBENC WBE – certified by the SBA

MBE – certified by local government MBE – certified by state government Other

NAICS Code(s) [TO FIND YOUR NAICS CODE VISIT: [NAICS CODES](#)] Primary: _____

Business Description (limit 250 characters, including spaces and punctuation) [will be included in national membership directory]

MEMBERSHIP OVERVIEW

The Board of the National Association of Women Business Owners establishes member classes. NAWBO Membership is open to individual business owners who own an equity interest and actively participate as a sole proprietor; an active partner of a partnership or active member of a limited liability company; and independent contractor; or individual owners of 5 percent or more of the stock of a corporation and who are involved in policy-making and day-to-day management of the corporation.

- Members must join both the national organization and a local chapter. NAWBO has chapters in most metropolitan areas. If there is a chapter within 45 miles of your home or business location, you must become a member of that chapter. If there is not a chapter in your area, you can join NAWBO as an At-Large member.
- A NAWBO membership is recorded in the name of the individual, not the organization.
- A new member's join date is the first day of the month NAWBO National receives payment.
- Membership dues are nonrefundable and subject to change. A member may submit a written resignation to rescind her membership, but no portion of dues will be refunded.

ESTABLISHED BUSINESS OWNER (Voting)

For a business owner who has been in business for more than two years. A regular voting category, member receives all communications and publications, is eligible for all discounts and benefits, and is listed in the online member directory. Chapter membership is automatic for those whose businesses are located in a chapter area. To qualify for membership, members must own a percentage of their company.

EMERGING BUSINESS OWNER (Non-Voting)

For a new business owner (in business for two years or less). A non-voting category limited to two years, member receives all communications and publications, is eligible for all discounts and benefits, and is listed in the online member directory.

SUSTAINING MEMBER (Voting)

For a business owner as defined in the NAWBO Policies and Procedures and is a Chapter member or an At-Large member who wishes to support the organization in a larger monetary way and gain additional benefits. A member in this classification has one (1) vote.

AT-LARGE MEMBER (Voting)

A business owner whose business and residence are not located within a 45 mile radius for a chapter. A member in this classification has one (1) vote and is under the supervision of NAWBO. All voting members must belong to a chapter of NAWBO if one exists in their area.

STUDENT MEMBER (Non-Voting)*

An individual who is a student registered full-time at a school or university, who subscribes to the objective of NAWBO and has interest in a future in entrepreneurship. This category is NOT available online; and any application submitted to the National office without chapter approval will be denied.

SUPPORTING MEMBER (Non-Voting)*

An Individual who subscribes to the objectives of NAWBO and wishes to lend support to NAWBO through membership. *Membership applications in this category must be submitted directly to the chapter for approval.* This category is NOT available online; and any application submitted to the National office without chapter approval will be denied.

RETIRED MEMBER (Voting)*

Shall be an individual who was a Chapter or At-Large member of NAWBO for at least five (5) years and has sold, divested their interest or is no longer operating their business. A member in this classification has one (1) vote. This category is NOT available online.