



NORFOLK CITY DEMOCRATIC COMMITTEE

Fill out, **sign**, and forward with your membership fee to:

NCDC
P. O. Box 1891
Norfolk, VA 23501

Membership Application 2020-2021

Name _____

Home Address _____

(Required for all voting members)

City, State, ZIP _____

Preferred Address _____

(if different from home address)

City, State, ZIP _____

Norfolk Voting Precinct Name _____

(If you are not a registered voter in Norfolk, you may only apply for Associate membership.)

Cell _____ Work/Home _____

Email _____

(Please print clearly. We do not send political email to governmental email addresses.)

I am on: Facebook Twitter I accept text messages on my cell phone

Applying for membership as: *(see page 2 for descriptions)*

Precinct Captain

Assistant Precinct Captain

At-large member

Associate member *(non-voting)*

Ex officio member _____
(Position)

Executive Committee member _____
(Position)

Annual dues are \$30 for elected Democratic officials, \$10 for student associate members, \$20 for all others. Make your check payable to NCDC.

(The following information is required for State Board of Elections reporting.)

Occupation _____

Name of Employer or Business _____

Primary City & State of Employment or Business _____

*(Your signature is **required** on page 2)*

Description of Membership Classes

Precinct Captain: The primary duty of each precinct captain is to ensure that there are poll workers distributing the Democratic campaign material on Election Day. Precinct captains should also, in cooperation with Democratic nominees, organize the precinct to maximize the Democratic vote. Each Precinct Captain shall also communicate at least once with newly registered voters in the precinct.

Assistant Precinct Captain: It shall be the duty of every assistant precinct captain, in cooperation with Democratic nominees, to assist the Precinct Captain in organizing the precinct represented so as to maximize the Democratic vote therein. Each Assistant Precinct Captain shall assist the Precinct Captain in communicating with newly registered voters in the precinct.

At-large Member: There are 48 at-large members elected city-wide. They are expected to assist Precinct Captains and provide support for the Committee's events.

Associate Member: Associate members may include those who are registered to vote in other jurisdictions, but reside, work or attend school in Norfolk and those who reside in Norfolk, but are not eligible to vote due to age. Associate members do not have voting privileges. Associate members are expected to assist the Precinct Captain for their precinct and to provide support to the Committee's other operations. Associate members are not required to attend meetings.

Ex officio Member: Norfolk voters who hold automatic membership by virtue of their office include: 1) Democratic elected officials; 2) members of the Norfolk Electoral Board; 3) members of the Central Committee of the Democratic Party of Virginia; 4) presidents of Young Democrats groups affiliated with the Virginia Young Democrats; 5) local chairs or presidents of Democratic constituent organizations recognized by the Democratic Party of Virginia; 6) the immediate past Chair of the NCDC.

Executive Committee Members: Includes 1) NCDC officers; 2) Area Chairs, and 3) Chairs of NCDC standing and ad hoc committees.

Virginia Democratic Party Plan

"It shall be the duty of every local Committee, as well as each officer and member thereof, to seek the registration of voters, to perfect the Democratic organization within the county or city, and to do all within their power to aid in the victory of the Democratic Party's nominees in all elections, except as otherwise provided in Section 10.9." (Section 8.8)

"No Democratic Committee member or officer of any Democratic Committee shall publicly support, endorse or assist any candidate opposed to a Democratic nominee. In the event any Democratic committee member or officer of any Democratic Committee shall undertake such public activity, the appropriate Democratic committee shall remove said person from office. Such action shall not be taken without at least ten (10) days written notice to the accused member and an opportunity for him or her to refute such charges. In the event that no action is taken against such a person, the district committee shall initiate the necessary action. The Steering Committee may take further action within thirty (30) days after the receipt of a written complaint by any member of the Democratic Party in relation to such matters." (Section 10.8)

I have read the sections of the Party Plan of the Democratic Party of Virginia printed above and understand that as a Committee member I will be called upon to work for all nominees of the Democratic Party. I understand further that supporting the Party's nominees includes such activities as precinct work, attending events, and assisting at campaign headquarters.

Signature _____ Date _____
(Form is not complete without your signature)

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Nominated by: _____

Dues \$ _____ by: Check no. _____ Cash Money order Paid via Act Blue Paid with previous filing
 Waived

CD _____ SD _____ HD _____ Verified Email: _____