

## Membership Application

Membership Type

Member Name

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County

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## New York Planning Federation



NYPF is a state wide not-for-profit organization founded in 1937 to promote sound planning, land use and zoning practices in New York State. Our strong membership base helps NYPF foster orderly growth and sustainable development, balanced with the protection of vital natural resources.

Welcome to the premier source for comprehensive, cost-effective education and training certification for those involved with planning at the local, regional and statewide levels. Join our collective network of partnerships, resources, forums, workshops, trainings and advocacy.

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## Benefits of Membership

Aside from access to our extensive resources and active network in the planning industry, NYPF members receive discounted rates on training, publications, and the annual conference. As a member, you'll be kept up-to-date with announcements, updates, and our monthly newsletter: "Planning News."

NYPF's website – [www.nypf.org](http://www.nypf.org) – keeps members informed by offering current land use information relevant to every community across New York State. There's a "members only" section on our website that provides training modules on SEQR, planning board and ZBA duties, site plan review, comprehensive planning, and other essential topics. The NYPF website also is used to keep in touch with and provide services for our members. All of the training opportunities that NYPF offers, both in-person and online, can fulfill annual training requirements.

The NYPF Annual Conference, one of the premier training programs in the state, offers certification credit to planning board and ZBA members, code enforcement officers, planners and attorneys, with in-depth sessions on both basic and advanced topics. Presenters discuss relevant issues on sustainability, design standards, agriculture and resource protection, downtown revitalization, case law, ethics, and much more. The conference is also a place for attendees to exchange ideas and information with their peers from communities and organizations across the state.

Members are always welcome to call or e-mail our office to request assistance with topics of concern to their municipality. Examples of technical assistance include planning and zoning audits, preparation of RFPs, community outreach, facilitation of comprehensive plan workshops, and zoning code reviews.

## Who Should Become a Member?

- ⇒ Municipalities and counties including planning and zoning boards, elected officials, consultants staff members and code enforcement officers.
- ⇒ Professional firms, businesses and consultants including planners, attorneys, developers and builders, engineers, architects, landscape architects, and real estate professionals.
- ⇒ Economic development and planning agencies
- ⇒ Universities, education institutions, and libraries
- ⇒ Students
- ⇒ Non-profit organizations
- ⇒ Engaged citizens

## What Is the Cost of Membership?

Municipal dues are assessed according to size of population, while other members pay a flat fee. Municipalities may supply NYPF with the names and addresses of up to 15 board members who will receive newsletters and other materials; each firm and non-profit organization may add up to five employee names to their account.

Municipal Population	Annual Dues
Less than 10,000	\$250.00
10,000 – 19,999	\$275.00
20,000 – 49,999	\$300.00
50,000 – 99,999	\$350.00
100,000 – 199,999	\$425.00
200,000 +	\$475.00
Professional Firm	\$400.00
Individual/Non-Profit	\$100.00
Library	\$50.00
Students	FREE
2016 Rates	



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NYPF is a statewide not-for-profit organization that was founded in 1937 to promote sound planning, land use and zoning practices in New York State. Our diverse membership base provides strong roots for NYPF to help foster sustainable growth and development across the state. With a strong emphasis on training planning board and ZBA members, we prepare for any land development scenario with ongoing support from beginning to end.

Welcome to the premier source for comprehensive, cost-effective education and certification programs for those involved in planning at the local, regional and statewide levels. Our collective network of partnerships, resources, events, forums, workshops, training and information on sustainable land use practices. We provide all the tools to success including educational materials.