



Minnesota Society of Professional Surveyors

"Affiliate of National Society of Professional Surveyors and American Congress on Surveying and Mapping"

Founded as Minnesota Land Surveyors Association

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

Name: _____ Date: _____
(last) (first) (middle)

Engaged in: Private practice Industry Public utility Education
Government: Municipal County State Federal

Employed by: _____

Present position (school for student applicants): _____

Fax: _____ E-mail: _____

Check the preferred mailing address for receiving MSPS publications and correspondence: Home Business

Street address: _____ Phone: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Year of Birth _____ (optional - data to be used only in aggregate form for Society demographic tracking/reporting.)

Gender: Male Female (optional - data to be used only in aggregate form for Society demographic tracking/reporting.)

Member of ACSM/NSPS: Yes No Member of MACS: Yes No

Membership classes — Note: All memberships are for calendar year. Prorate Licensed, Training, Firm, Sustaining after May

Individual Memberships

Licensed Member: \$170 (MN License No.: _____) Life Member: LS, Associate
 Honorary Member Retired Member: Training, Technical Training Member: \$85
 Technical Member: \$75 Associate Member: \$80 Student Member: \$35

Organizational Memberships

Sustaining Member: \$310 Firm Member (see reverse)

Payment:

I enclose remittance of \$ _____ and hereby apply for membership in the Minnesota Society of Professional Surveyors. If I am accepted for membership, I will abide by the Bylaws of said organization and subscribe to the rules of PROFESSIONAL CONDUCT FOR LAND SURVEYORS as adopted by the Minnesota Society of Professional Surveyors. **Signature:** _____

Check (made payable to MSPS) Visa MasterCard

Card Number: _____ Exp. Date: _____ 3-digit Security # _____

Name of Cardholder: _____ Cardholder Phone: _____

Authorized Signature: _____

Dues payable to MSPS are not deductible as a charitable contribution but may be deductible as an ordinary and necessary business expense. A portion of dues, however, is not deductible as an ordinary and necessary business expense to the extent that MSPS engages in lobbying. The non-deductible portion of dues for fiscal year 2010 is 20%. We suggest you consult your tax advisor concerning this information.

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Recommended by Membership Committee: Yes No

Accepted by the Board of Directors

initials	fin.
date	
CK/CC	
amt. paid	
bal due	

LICENSED MEMBERS: Any person who is licensed as a Land Surveyor pursuant to the laws of the State of Minnesota.

TRAINING MEMBERS: Any person who has successfully passed the Fundamentals of Land Surveying Exam as issued by N.C.E.E.S. and are residents of Minnesota, Iowa, North Dakota, South Dakota and Wisconsin.

ASSOCIATE MEMBERS: Any person who is Licensed and in good standing as Land Surveyor in any state of the United States other than Minnesota or in any province of Canada.

TECHNICAL MEMBERS: Any person who has an active interest in land surveying and not eligible for membership under other classifications.

SUSTAINING MEMBERS: Any individual, partnership, or corporation engaged in the manufacture or distribution of surveying instruments and/or equipment, or in the compilation and/or reproduction of maps, or in the performance of services for land surveyors.

STUDENT MEMBERS: Are those Members with an interest in land surveying who are enrolled part time or full time in a surveying or related degree program.

HONORARY MEMBERS: Those members who have attained unusual professional recognition by their contribution to the profession of land surveying.

LIFE MEMBERS: Are those Members who were a LICENSED MEMBER, and who have attained 62 years of age and have retired from active practice as land surveyors, and who have paid their dues as a LICENSED MEMBER for the year in which they attained age 62, or retired, whichever is later, and for each of the nine (9) years preceding. Life Members shall have the right to vote.

RETIRED MEMBERS: Are those Members who were either a TRAINING MEMBER or a TECHNICAL MEMBER, and who have attained 62 years of age and have retired from the surveying practice, and who have paid their dues for the year which they attained age 62, or retired, whichever is later, and for each of the preceding nine (9) years.

FIRM MEMBERS: Any firm who has Licensed Members who are actively engaged as consultants in the field of land surveying in Minnesota. The number of personnel is the total average of all personnel, including principals, licensed surveyors, designers, drafters, technicians, clerical and other employees (excluding part-time or second employees) on the firm's payroll for the past calendar year. In the case of Land Surveying-Engineering firms, the prorated portion of personnel concerned with, or in general support of the surveying function should be counted. The dues are calculated as follows:

Personnel	Amount
1	\$160
2-4	\$260
5-9	\$365
10-16	\$470
17-25	\$575
26-36	\$675
37 & over	\$780

No member shall be classified in more than one of the foregoing classes. Each member who is eligible for classification in more than one class shall be classified in such class as the Board of Directors may determine in each such case.

Note: Dues include an education supplement of \$20 per LS and \$30 per Firm and Sustaining members.