

TRUCKERS ASSOCIATION OF NOVA SCOTIA – POLICIES and PROCEDURES			
BOARD OF DIRECTORS POLICIES		APPROVED:	December 5, 2015
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MEMBERSHIP DUES AND FEES POLICY

NOTE: Unless otherwise defined in this document, each of the capitalized terms contained herein shall have the meaning ascribed to them in the By-laws of the Association.

The Association's By-laws provide that,

- (1) annual membership dues and fees for membership in the Association are comprised of an amount prescribed by the Association plus an amount prescribed by the respective Local County Branch in which an applicant is Resident, and
- (2) the Board of Directors shall determine the amount and payment of the Association's portion of annual membership dues and fees payable by an applicant.

This Membership Dues and Fees Policy provides information regarding the Association's portion of annual membership dues and fees payable by each applicant at the time of submission of their annual application for membership. These dues and fees are non-refundable unless an application is not approved in accordance with the Association's By-Laws or Rules and Regulations or as otherwise determined by the Executive Committee in its sole discretion. The following are the currently approved dues and fees payable:

Type of Dues / Fees	Dues / Fees Payable
Base Dues – Active Member	\$350.00 (includes one truck) + HST **
Base Dues – Non-Dispatched Member (Member with a Truck)	\$240.00 + HST
Honorary Member (by Board appointment)	\$0.00
Associate Trade Member Dues	\$150.00 + HST
Extra Trucks Fee	\$50.00/extra truck to a maximum of \$200.00 for registration of 4 or more extra trucks + HST
Benevolent Plan Member Fee (mandatory; Active and Non-Dispatched Members)	\$100.00
Benevolent Plan Spousal Fee (optional; Active and Non-Dispatched Members)	\$50.00
LATE Membership Fees (New members only – One time Only)	See below – Due by Deadlines in TANS office
** Please Note. TANS Extra Truck Fees will increase \$10.00 per year after next years increase of \$50.00 per truck to max of 4 or more extra trucks + HST for the next 4 years for the 2nd, 3rd and 4th trucks starting in 2025 after next years \$50.00 increase for 2nd, 3rd and 4th trucks. 2024 is reflected in the dues above.	EXTRA Trucks Fee Increases: 2025 – \$60.00/ extra truck to a maximum of \$240.00 + HST 2026 - \$70.00/ extra truck to a maximum of \$280.00 + HST 2027 - \$80.00/ extra trucks to a maximum of \$320.00 + HST 2028 - \$90.00/ extra trucks to a maximum of \$360.00 + HST

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March 1 – 31, 100% of existing County Dues + 50% of existing County Dues + 100% of TANS fees + 50% of TANS fees – **Due in the TANS office by March 31,2024**

April 1 – 30, 100% of existing County Dues + 75% of existing County Dues + 100% of TANS fees + 75% of TANS fees – **Due in the TANS office by April 30,2024**

May 1 – 31, Double existing County + Double TANS fees

Example: 100% of existing County Dues + 100% of existing County Dues + 100% of TANS fees + 100% of TANS fees – **Due in the TANS office by May 31,2024**

This policy changes to come into effect for the 2019 season. Any member using this method of membership will sign acknowledging that it is FOR ONE TIME ONLY. A new member gets a new number and an agreement to sign showing them that this is a one-time application from here forward they join February 15 to their county, so TANS gets their application on or before February 28 of that Year. ** See appendix 1

Policy Revisions:

This policy may be amended by the Board of Directors of the Association as deemed necessary from time to time.