

## NATIONAL COUNCIL OF STATE AGRICULTURAL FINANCE PROGRAMS

## WHO WE ARE:

The National Council of State Agricultural Finance Programs (NCOSAFP) is an association of public and private agricultural financing entities working passionately for the promotion and financing of agricultural development.

## **OUR MISSION IS:**

To facilitate communication and education for our members and represent the interests of agriculture in developing legislation, regulation, and other issues affecting public agricultural finance in cooperation with private industry.

## **OUR GOALS ARE:**

- To represent the interests of state agricultural finance programs in the development of legislation, regulation, and consideration of other issues that affect the ability of such programs to meet the intended public purpose.
- To facilitate continuing communication and educational programs among the membership.
- To explore and evaluate new ideas in agricultural finance.
- To offer assistance to states that may be interested in developing state agricultural finance programs.

### WE PROVIDE:

- Webinars
- Quarterly Newsletters
- Networking Events
- Annual Conference

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#### MEMBERSHIP AND SPONSORSHIP LEVELS

NCOSAFP offers different membership levels depending on the type of organization. Memberships are for an organization to join and are not based on individual representation.

## CORE MEMBERSHIP—\$300/YEAR

Core members shall consist of entities authorized as an instrumentality of the state to administer agricultural funding programs. Board determines eligibility.

### ASSOCIATE MEMBERSHIP—\$150/YEAR

Government, education, and not-for-profit entities or associations that contribute to the agricultural community.

## **BUSINESS ASSOCIATE SPONSOR—\$500/YEAR**

For profit friends of the agricultural industry that desire to sponsor NCOSAFP. These entities are not members of the organization, but rather have an interest in what we are doing and desire a voice for our organization to consider.

BENEFITS	CORE MEMBERSHIP \$300/YEAR	ASSOCIATE MEMBERSHIP \$150/YEAR	ASSOCIATE SPONSOR \$500/YEAR
A unified voice in congressional matters and Capitol Hill meetings	X		
Discounted annual conference rates and recognition	Х		
Opportunity to present and highlight your state's programs on webniars	х		
Involvement in roundtable discussions on various state programs	Х		
Voting rights for all business matters of NCOSAFP (one vote per member organization)	Х		
Opportunity for representative to serve on board, as an officer or on a committee	X		
Opportunity to provide content for quarterly newsletters	X		
Opportunity to advertise in quarterly newsletters			x
Additional sponsorship and advertising opportunities at annual conference and roundtable discussions			X
Agricultural finance newsletters with updates on ag finance issues, legislation, and state programs	х	х	X
Access to all educational opportunities and access to agricultural finance resources	Х	х	х
Invitation to annual conference geared specifically towards agricultural finance and agricultural issues	X	X	Х
Invitation to quarterly webinars featuring core member state's programs, agricultural finance topics and issues	X	Х	х
Invitation to roundtable discussions on various state programs	Х	Х	X
Opportunity for business development and marketing through sponsorship and/or networking	Х	х	х
No voting rights but will have a voice for Core Members to consider		X	X