



# AMERICAN WOOD PROTECTION ASSOCIATION

Dated \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_

## TO THE AWPA:

I hereby make application for membership in the American Wood Protection Association.

Membership is open to any person that supports the objects and purposes of AWPA, and whose professional or business duties and activities in the technical or commercial fields of wood preservation, or in the manufacture, distribution or use of treated wood or of wood preservatives, or in the manufacture or distribution of equipment or supplies used in wood preserving operations, or any person having a general interest in wood preservation.

Name of Individual \* \_\_\_\_\_

Company or Organization \_\_\_\_\_

Title or Occupation \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_

City, State/Province, ZIP/PC, Country \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone \_\_\_\_\_ Facsimile \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail Address \_\_\_\_\_

Kind of Business \_\_\_\_\_

Outline of Present Duties \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Applicant \_\_\_\_\_

**\*ALL AWPA MEMBERSHIPS ARE CARRIED IN THE NAMES OF PERSONS (NOT COMPANIES OR ORGANIZATIONS)**  
AWPA Membership is based on a calendar year (January-December). If approved, your membership is effective through December 31.

Dues and other charges (membership includes complimentary online version of Proceedings when published)	Price	Total
Submitted January 1 to June 30: NEW Regular Membership Dues (includes \$10 Application Fee)	\$235.00	
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Printed paperback book version of the AWPA Proceedings (in addition to complimentary online version)	\$30.00	
Printed hardcover book version of the AWPA Proceedings (in addition to complimentary online version)	\$50.00	
<b>Total Amount Submitted (in USD):</b>		

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## *Benefits*

Professionals in the academic, building supply, construction, electrical, government, marine, and railroad industries all benefit from membership in AWP. Members have the opportunity to become actively involved in the development of treatment and inspection standards. The result is longer service life for your organization's wood products. Members also establish valuable peer contacts in the industry while sharing interests and problems in the wood preserving industry.

## *Meetings*

The AWP organizes annual meetings for the general membership each Spring, and semi-annual technical committee meetings in the Spring and Fall. AWP members are entitled to reduced registration fees for each AWP meeting.

## *Publications*

AWP publishes its Book of Standards as well as its annual Proceedings which cover the Annual Meeting. A complimentary copy of the Proceedings is available on request to Members. The Book of Standards and other AWP Publications are available to Members at a substantially reduced fee.

## *About AWP Dues*

Regular Membership dues are currently \$275 per year, but new membership applicants receive a discount of \$50 for their first year of membership. Contributions or gifts to the American Wood Protection Association are not tax deductible as charitable contributions. However, they may be tax deductible as ordinary and necessary business expenses. None of the dues received by AWP are used for lobbying or other political activities. The AWP is organized as a business league under section 501(c)(6) of the U.S. Internal Revenue Code. Please consult your tax advisor for more information.

*AWP standards and programs are developed through its Technical Committees as follows:*

### TREATMENTS TECHNICAL COMMITTEES

- T-1 Treatments General Administrative
- T-2 Lumber and Timbers
- T-3 Piles and Ties
- T-4 Poles and Posts
- T-7 Quality Control and Inspection
- T-8 Composites and Manufactured Products
- T-11 Nonpressure Applications

### PROTECTANTS/PRESERVATIVES TECHNICAL COMMITTEES:

- P-1 Protectant/Preservative General Coordination
- P-3 Oilborne and Creosote-based Preservative Systems
- P-4 Waterborne Preservative Systems
- P-5 Methods for Chemical Analysis of Preservatives
- P-6 Methods for the Evaluation of Wood Preservatives
- P-9 Non-Biocidal Wood Protection

### SPECIAL COMMITTEES:

- S-2 Wood Preservation Research
- S-3 Treated Wood Use, Handling, and Disposal/Recycle/Reuse
- S-8 Plant Operations

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## *Membership Application*

The American Wood Protection Association is an international, nonprofit, technical society founded in 1904 to provide a common forum for the exchange of information for all segments of the industry. The AWP promotes technical interchange between industry, research, and users of treated wood. This interchange is essential to the survival and prosperity of the wood preserving industry and deserves the support of all individuals with interest in this field.

AWP is the principal body responsible for writing the standards governing the wood preserving industry in the United States and abroad. These standards are important because they provide specifications and processes which improve the performance of treated wood products. AWP's standards are recognized and used by most, if not all, users of treated wood including the building, electrical, marine, railroad, and road construction industries as well as federal, state, and local governments.

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