

Policy No. 3

MEMBERSHIP

Refer Code of Practice Code 1.4

Membership is detailed in Clauses 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 of the Constitution of Coffs Coast Community Radio Inc.

The principle of financial membership is to make a commitment to Coffs Coast Community Radio Inc and to show support by making an annual contribution towards general workings of the radio station.

Membership of Coffs Coast Community Radio Inc. is open to all persons who make application on the appropriate form and are ratified as worthy of membership by the Committee of Management at their next meeting after application is made.

Once ratified, the person's name is entered into the Member Register and a member card (stating name, member number and date paid to) is created

If membership is rejected, the decision is conveyed in detail to the person and all monies paid are refunded.

The applicant has a right of appeal which will be considered by the COM at their next meeting and that decision will be final .

A Register Of Members is to be kept and made available (subject to Clause 8 (7)) to any members on request

There is only one form of membership within the framework of Coffs Coast Community Radio Inc.

Rights and responsibilities of Financial Members :

- to uphold the principles, aims and obligation of Coffs Coast Community Radio Inc at all times
- to pay any membership subscriptions in a timely manner each year when requested

Rights and responsibilities of the organisation to Financial Members :

- to keep the privacy of members records secure at all times (refer clause 8 (7) of the Constitution)
- to keep Members informed via Newsletters, letters and through Radio announcements etc and to encourage them to be involved in the workings of the Radio Station generally