



## 2012 PBEA MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

1. Applicant hereby applies for membership in the Pennsylvania Biomass Energy Association (PBEA) acknowledging that it has received and reviewed the Association Bylaws and agrees to comply with the provisions of the Bylaws.
2. By signing this agreement, Applicant warrants and represents that all information on the Member Application Form is complete, true and correct statement as of the date of signing.
3. Applicant will be notified by PBEA upon the approval of membership application.
4. The term for membership in PBEA shall be for the calendar year for which membership is paid, unless otherwise noted.

**Company Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Representative to PBEA:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Address:**

Street \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

**Email:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Membership Category**

- |                      |                          |               |
|----------------------|--------------------------|---------------|
| Founding Member      | <input type="checkbox"/> | Dues: \$5,000 |
| Full Member Classes  |                          |               |
| Sustaining Level     | <input type="checkbox"/> | Dues: \$1,000 |
| Supporting Level     | <input type="checkbox"/> | Dues: \$ 500  |
| Affiliate Membership | <input type="checkbox"/> | Dues: \$ 200  |
| Individual Sponsor   | <input type="checkbox"/> | Dues: \$ 35   |

**Authorized Signature for Applicant:** \_\_\_\_\_

**AMOUNT ENCLOSED:** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Make check payable to:** PA Biomass Energy Association

**Remit membership application form and check to:**

Ms. Melissa Britcher, PBEA  
c/o P.O. Box 1205  
Harrisburg, PA 17108  
Email: [info@supportpabiomass.org](mailto:info@supportpabiomass.org)

Applying for membership in the PA Biomass Energy Association is easy and affordable. The PBEA bylaws provide the organizational framework and governing principles of the association and should be reviewed prior to submitting your membership application.

### **FOUNDING MEMBER (\$5,000)**

This membership level is a limited time membership reserved for businesses, corporations, and organizations who wish to contribute to the development of PBEA. This limited-time membership level is being offered from November 1, 2011 until June 1, 2012 at which time this membership level will be retired. Founding membership benefits include:

- Payment fulfills full member (sustaining level) dues for two years (2012 and 2013)
- Voting privileges at PBEA meetings
- Special recognition in PBEA newsletter
- Special recognition profile on PBEA website
- Free registrations for four (4) people at PBEA 2012 events
- Free advertisement in the annual membership booklet (1-page)
- Free conference exhibit space at 2012 PBEA annual conference
- Free subscription to the PBEA newsletter
- Access to “members only” resources

### **FULL MEMBERS**

This membership level is reserved for businesses, corporations, and organizations who wish to receiving the benefits of the association. The membership levels:

#### **Sustaining Level (\$1,000)**

This membership level is reserved for established for-profit businesses, corporations, and organizations. Full member sustaining level benefits include:

- Voting privileges at PBEA meetings
- Recognition in PBEA newsletter
- Recognition profile and listing on PBEA website
- Free registrations for two (2) people at PBEA 2012 events
- 50% discounted advertisement in the annual membership booklet
- 50% discounted conference exhibit space at 2012 PBEA annual conference
- Free subscription to the PBEA newsletter
- Access to “members only” resources

#### **Supporting Level (\$500)**

This membership level is reserved for for-profit businesses, corporations, and organizations who would like to participate in PBEA; however, at a lower level of benefits. Full member supporting level benefits include:

- Voting privileges at PBEA meetings
- Recognition in PBEA newsletter and listing on PBEA website
- Free registration for one (1) person at PBEA 2012 events
- 25% discounted advertisement in the annual membership booklet
- 25% discounted conference exhibit space at 2012 PBEA annual conference
- Free subscription to the PBEA newsletter
- Access to “members only” resources

**AFFILIATE MEMBERSHIP (\$200)**

This PBEA affiliation membership is reserved for educational institutions, non-profit trade associations and professional societies, governmental agencies, and non-profit organizations that wish to be affiliated with PBEA mission and activities. For entities that have restricted budget funds and are unable to join PBEA because of this restriction, please call PBEA membership relations to request that membership fee is converted to an in-kind contribution. Affiliate membership benefits include:

- New member announcement in PBEA newsletter
- Listing on PBEA website
- 15% discounted registration for one (1) person at PBEA 2012 events
- 15% discounted advertisement in the annual membership booklet
- 15% discounted conference exhibit space at 2012 PBEA annual conference
- Free subscription to the PBEA newsletter

**INDIVIDUAL SPONSOR (\$35)**

This membership level is reserved for individuals who share PBEA's mission and who wishes to support the Association. Individual sponsor benefits include:

- New member announcement in PBEA newsletter (if requested)
- Listing on PBEA website (if requested)
- 15% discounted registration for one (1) person at PBEA 2012 events
- Free subscription to the PBEA newsletter