

VIRGINIA ASSOCIATION OF PROFESSIONAL SOIL SCIENTISTS

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Membership

Application *** Renewal ***** Information Change**

(Please circle one of the above)

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Please type or print clearly, and mail with payment to the address above. Please use the address where you would like to receive VAPSS mailings. All members are responsible for updating his/her contact information with the Executive Secretary.

Name: _____ Date: _____

Business: _____

Address: _____

Telephone numbers: (W) _____ (H) _____

FAX number(s): (W) _____ (H) _____

Cell phone number: _____

Email address: (W or H) _____ @ _____

Additional Email address: _____ @ _____

County(s) or areas where you work? _____

Membership information will not be available as a list to any person or groups other than to VAPSS members without email instructions to the Executive Secretary from the sitting VAPSS President.

VAPSS membership class and dues:

Dues are to be paid on an annual basis for each calendar year. VAPSS dues are not pro-rated.

- ___ **Regular** – 1. A person holding a baccalaureate degree with 30 semester hours or equivalent in biological, physical, and earth sciences with a minimum number of 15 semester hours in soil science and receiving approval by majority of the Board; or
2. A person holding a current certificate as a Virginia Certified Professional Soil Scientist from the Board of Professional Soil Scientists in good standing and receiving approval by majority of the Board; or
3. A person holding a baccalaureate degree in one of the natural sciences and have at least five years of experience in soil evaluation, and receiving approval by majority of the Board; or
4. A person having a record of at least eight years of experience in soil evaluation, and receiving approval by majority of the Board; or
5. A person having at least four years of experience in soil science research or as a teacher of soil science curriculum in an accredited institution of higher education which offers an approved four-year program in soils and at least two years of soil evaluation experience, and receiving approval by majority of the Board. May vote and hold office. \$50/yr.

___ **Affiliate** - A person interested in the purposes and objectives of VAPSS. May not vote or hold office. \$50/yr.

___ **Student** - A person pursuing a college degree in soil science or related field. May not vote or hold office. \$15/yr.

Qualifications:

___ Please check if you are a Virginia Certified Professional Soil Scientist (CPSS).

___ Please check if you are a Virginia certified Authorized On-Site Evaluator (AOSE).

___ Please check if you are ARCPACS certified.

For membership application:

In order to be considered for membership, you must provide a description of your education background, current occupation, and previous work experience. Include this information on a separate sheet of paper and mail it with your application form and annual dues payment to the address on page 1.

Make your checks payable to VAPSS. Mail to the address shown at the top of this form. Receipts are available upon request.