### American Beefalo Association

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Check below type of membership requested:

Lifetime: \$125\_\_\_\_ Annual: \$50\_\_\_\_ Associate: \$25\_\_\_ Junior: \$25\_\_\_

The initial dues for all new members will pay their dues for the remainder of the year in which they join. then <u>Annual renewal is due at the 1st of each year</u> <u>thereafter.</u> A remittance of \$\_\_\_\_\_is enclosed as payment of the initial membership to the American

Beefalo Association.

I/we\_\_\_\_\_agree to pay the annual renewal due: January 1 each year to be considered an active member. Being an active member also requires registering or transferring TWO(2) animals in either the Herd Book or the Meat book over the course of TWO(2) years.

Date of Birth(Jr Members Only):\_\_\_\_\_

Name of Voting Representative:\_\_\_\_\_

Name of Farm/Ranch:\_\_\_\_\_

all registration certificates will be issued in this name Address:

City:	St:Zip:	
Phone:	_Email:	
Signature:	Date:	
Name of Member/Farm that referred		
you:		

MEMBER NUMBER(office use only):\_\_\_

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New Member Application

#### **Member Information**

Lifetime, Annual, and Junior Members are entitled to register Beefalo cattle at the current member fees. Lifetime and Annual Members are entitled to vote and hold any elected office. Junior Members are NOT entitled to vote and CANNOT hold an elected office. Associate Membership is for people who are interested in the breed and wish to received all official correspondence from the American Beefalo Association office. Associate members may register cattle but will be charged the non-member fee, which is double the regular member fee. Associate members do NOT have voting privileges and cannot hold elected office. Active Members, through their Board of Directors and participation, control the Association and its operation. All Board Members are elected by the ACTIVE General Membership. Active membership is defined by: registering(Meat Book or Herd Book) and or transferring TWO(2) Beefalo cattle within a two(2) year period. Failure to meet this requirement will remove member from the mailing(emailing) list and right to vote will be withheld, placing said member on Inactive status. However, upon registering or transferring the required two cattle, the member's status will become Active again. Applicant acknowledges that the Board of Directors may refuse application for membership for any reason deemed sufficient by them. When a firm applies for membership, the firm name should be given on the face of the application and each member of the partnership or corporation should be write their individual signature and address on the application. See below:

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The By-Laws require partnerships, firms, corporations, or farms to designate some individual partner, officer, director, or member of the firm who shall exercise the rights and privileges of such membership. This person shall be referred to as the "designee" and shall have the power to sign registration applications, transfers, and cast the vote on behalf of the membership.

Name of Designee:			
Address:			
City:	ST	:Zip:_	

Lifetime Member: A lifetime member is one who elects to pay: -A one-time lifetime membership fee of \$100 -An Annual service/renewal fee of \$25 A corporation, partnership, firm, or trust may become a member the same as an individual. The annual service/renewal fee shall be due on the 1st of January each year. As a Lifetime member you are entitled to: -A copy of the association newsletter at no additional charge. -Member rates for registration. -An ACTIVE member is eligible to vote and to hold office. Annual Member: One who elects to pay: -An annual membership fee of \$25 -An annual service/renewal fee of \$25. A corporation, partnership, firm, or trust may become a member same as individuals. The annual membership fee shall be due on the 1st of January each year. The annual service/renewal fee shall be due on the 1st of January each year.

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Annual Member cont. As an Annual member you are entitled to: -A copy if the association newsletter at no additional charge. -Member rates for registration. -An annual member is eligible to vote and hold office. Associate Member-one who elects to pay. -No membership fee. -An annual service/renewal fee of \$25. A corporation, partnership, firm, or trust may become a member same as individuals. The annual service fee shall be due on the 1st of January each year. As an Associate member you are entitled to: -A copy of the association newsletter at no additional charge. Junior Member: Junior membership is for those individuals that are under the age of 18 with an active interest in breeding and/or showing Beefalo cattle. Junior members pay a one-time fee of \$25 which entitles them to remain an active member until they turn 18. Junior members are not entitled to vote or hold an elected office. There are NO annual service fees for junior members.