

Please refer to [www.ocrealtors.org](http://www.ocrealtors.org) for instructions on joining. We require a legible copy of your government-issued ID and a Letter of Good Standing from your primary association.

## APPLICANT INFORMATION

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

I am applying for the following Secondary Membership type (check one):

Broker of Record  Salesperson or Broker Associate

Please select a 4 digit pin code:  (For access to MyAccount at [www.ocrealtors.org](http://www.ocrealtors.org))

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Nickname: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Street City State Zip Code

Preferred Contact Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ This is a:  Cell Phone  Landline  
Listed on the MLS under your contact info.

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ This is a:  Cell Phone  Landline  
This number will not be listed.

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Website: \_\_\_\_\_  
Listed on the MLS under your contact info. Listed on the MLS under your contact info.

Preferred Mailing Address:  Home (Recommended)  Office

Preferred Method for Receiving Your Renewal Invoice:  Email (Recommended)  U.S. Mail

Languages Spoken Fluently (besides English): \_\_\_\_\_

Veteran?  Yes  No Please List Branch and Service Dates: \_\_\_\_\_

Are You (or Your Spouse) Active Duty U.S. Military?  Yes  No \_\_\_\_\_  
(Name of Active Duty Service Member)

## BROKERAGE INFORMATION

Office Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Broker/Off Mgr Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Office Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Street City State Zip Code

Main Office Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Office Fax: \_\_\_\_\_

Office Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Website: \_\_\_\_\_

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OC REALTORS® USE ONLY

USERNAME: \_\_\_\_\_ PASSWORD: \_\_\_\_\_

NRDS ID: \_\_\_\_\_ ORIENTATION:  YES  NO DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

MEMBER #: \_\_\_\_\_

## LICENSE/ASSOCIATION INFORMATION

DRE License #: \_\_\_\_\_ Exp. Date:   /   /

Applications must include a copy of license.

License Type:  Salesperson  Broker  Officer  Corporation

Date of Birth:   /   /   Last 4 digits of SSN #:     (i.e. used to verify your information in case you forget your password)

Government-Issued ID: \_\_\_\_\_ Exp. Date:   /   /

(Driver's License, ID Card, Passport)

Please list ALL current and past REALTOR® Associations (including OC REALTORS®) of which you've been

affiliated: \_\_\_\_\_

We'll need a Letter of Good Standing from your current Association of REALTORS®—it's typically sent directly from your Association to OC REALTORS®.

## REQUIRED ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

OC REALTORS® dues are non-refundable and not deductible as charitable contributions for Federal Income Tax purposes. However, payments may be deducted as ordinary and necessary business expenses. Please consult with a qualified professional for tax preparation advice. Your subscription to the Orange County REALTOR® Magazine, the Association's monthly publication, is paid for with your dues at a rate of \$3.13 for 6 issues and is non-deductible therefrom.

### Terms and Conditions of Service

- I agree not to reproduce any portion of the active listings except as provided in the MLS rules.
- I agree not to download MLS data except as provided in the MLS rules.
- I agree not to allow anyone other than authorized participants, their subscribers and the clerical users, as defined in the MLS rules, to access any computer receiving MLS information. I agree not to transmit the information to any participants, subscribers or clerical users not authorized to access the system by the rules. I agree not to use the MLS to create another product except as may be used by the participant who downloaded the data in compliance with the MLS rules.
- I agree I will not give or sell my password to any person or make it available to any person. I further understand that the California Penal Code and the United States Code prohibits unauthorized access to computer databases. I agree not to allow such unauthorized access through use of my equipment or pass codes.
- I understand that unlicensed assistants may be authorized to have limited access to the MLS for clerical support only. I understand that clerical users are not allowed to use the information in any way other than to provide such information to me. Persons performing any activities that require a real estate license are not eligible for this clerical users classification. I further understand that any violation by a clerical user employed by me, under contract with me, or used by me is my responsibility and can result in discipline and/or ultimate termination of MLS services.
- The security of many homeowners in the area depends on the security of the lockbox system. I will not lend or make available my lockbox key to any person, even if an authorized MLS user. I further understand that the Association can incur costs in securing the system if I fail to take adequate measures to protect my key and lockbox and that I may be held responsible for these costs.
- I understand and agree that the above statements are in addition to the MLS rules, to which I also have agreed. Violation of any MLS rule may result in discipline, fine, and ultimate termination of my MLS service. In addition to that, if my actions cause damage to the Association, which owns the MLS, the Association may pursue legal remedies against me to recover such damages.

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**MLS Participation Agreement/Rules Acknowledgment**

- I agree as a condition of participation in the MLS to abide by all relevant bylaws, rules, and other obligations of participation, including payment of fees.
- I confirm that I currently, and will on a continual and ongoing basis in the operation of my real estate business activities, actively endeavor to list real property of the type filed with the MLS and/or accept offers of cooperation and compensation made by other Participants through the MLS. I agree that I must continue to engage in such activities during my participation in the MLS.
- I acknowledge that failure to abide by these conditions of participation on an ongoing basis may result in suspension or termination of MLS participatory rights after a hearing in accordance with the MLS’s established procedures.
- As a CRMLS Participant / Subscriber, I agree to abide by the MLS Rules and Regulations, as violating them may lead to fines. The purpose of the Data Integrity Standards Citation Policy is to ensure the integrity of the MLS, including the timeliness and accuracy of its information. Additionally, the Citation Policy discusses fines for violating applicable lockbox and key rules.
- I acknowledge it’s my responsibility to review the MLS Rules and Regulations and the Data Integrity Standards at [www.ocrealtors.org](http://www.ocrealtors.org).

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**Mandatory Broker Compliance—Variable Dues Formula (Brokers of Record Only)**

The California Association of REALTORS® (C.A.R.), in accordance with the National Association of REALTORS® Bylaws, mandates that all associations, including OC REALTORS®, comply with the “Variable Dues Formula” for Designated REALTOR® brokers. If you are the Broker of Record and have questions about this requirement, please consult your Primary Association of REALTORS®.

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**Arbitration Agreement**

A condition of membership in the Association as a REALTOR® or REALTOR® - Associate and participation in the MLS is that you agree to binding arbitration of disputes. As a REALTOR® (including Designated REALTOR®), you agree for yourself and the corporation or firm for which you act as a partner, officer, principal, or branch office manager to binding arbitration of disputes with: (i) other REALTOR® members of this Association; (ii) MLS Participants of this Association; (iii) with any member of the California or National Association of REALTORS®; and (iv) any client provided the client agrees to binding arbitration at the Association.

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**NAR Code of Ethics and New REALTOR® Orientation**

Applicants for REALTOR® membership shall complete an orientation program on the Code of Ethics. We’ll require proof of Code of Ethics completion from your Primary Association (Letter of Good Standing).

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**Contact Acknowledgement**

By joining the Orange County REALTORS® (the “Association”), you agree and authorize OC REALTORS® and its affiliated REALTOR® organizations, representatives, and/or affinity partners to contact you to advertise the availability of, or quality of, any property, goods or services offered, endorsed or promoted by the Association, via the contact information you have provided on this application. OC REALTORS® uses email as the best means of communicating with our members for issues regarding membership (including renewals and delinquent payments), Supra key service, and the MLS. Your privacy is very important to us. OC REALTORS® does NOT sell, lease, share or disclose your contact information for any purpose other than set forth in this Acknowledgment.

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**REQUIRED SIGNATURES**

My signature below certifies that I have read and agree to the terms and conditions and that all information provided on my application is true and correct.

Agent Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Broker Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_