



RHODE ISLAND REPUBLICAN ASSEMBLY

A Chartered Affiliate of the National Federation of Republican Assemblies
"The Republican Wing of the Republican Party" ©

2012 MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

PART I: CONTACT INFORMATION

NAME* _____

ADDRESS* _____

CITY / STATE / ZIP CODE* _____

TELEPHONE* _____ CELLULAR _____ BUSINESS _____

E-MAIL _____ FAX _____

OCCUPATION* _____ EMPLOYER* _____

ADDITIONAL APPLICANT(S) AT SAME ADDRESS: _____

PART II: ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP DUES

RIRA membership is on a "calendar-year" basis and commences upon approval. Annual standard individual membership dues are **\$25.00**. For each additional member residing at the same address, please add **\$15.00**.

If you are currently enrolled as a student (at least half-time) and are residing in the State of Rhode Island, annual membership dues are only **\$10.00**. Please indicate name of school where enrolled: _____

Please make your check payable to: "RIRA" or "RHODE ISLAND REPUBLICAN ASSEMBLY"

- Please find enclosed my personal check or money order in the amount of \$ _____ to cover the applicable annual membership dues for the above indicated applicant(s).
- Please find enclosed an additional contribution in the amount of \$ _____ to help further the good work of the *Rhode Island Republican Assembly*.

PLEASE NOTE: YOUR CONTRIBUTION TO THE RHODE ISLAND REPUBLICAN ASSEMBLY IS NOT DEDUCTIBLE FOR FEDERAL OR STATE INCOME TAX PURPOSES. THE ABOVE APPLICANT IS SOLELY RESPONSIBLE FOR ALL RETURNED CHECK OR OTHER BANK FEES. (*) REQUIRED.

For your convenience, the payment of annual dues for **RIRA membership renewals** may be made by Credit / Debit Card or Electronic Check securely through our website at: <http://www.ri-ra.org>

Please mail your completed membership application and payment to:

RHODE ISLAND REPUBLICAN ASSEMBLY
P.O. BOX 1521
PROVIDENCE, RI 02901-1521

Please Carefully Read and Sign on the Next Page →

BELIEFS OF THE RHODE ISLAND REPUBLICAN ASSEMBLY

That all political power and influence should flow from the grass roots upward – That all human rights are granted by God, not by government, and that government exists primarily to protect the God-given rights of its citizens – That the Constitution was written by wise men under the inspiration of God and that the original intent of the Founders is as valid and binding today as it was in their day – That the Constitution was written to govern a moral and religious people and it is being destroyed by those who are neither – That the unborn child has a fundamental individual right to life which cannot be infringed. That sacred right extends to all persons regardless of age or infirmity and also would not allow for euthanasia, assisted suicide, or public funding for any of these practices – That the traditional family is the foundation and cornerstone of our society and we will oppose any attempt to undermine or redefine the family unit – That the founders never intended to separate God from government, but did intend to prevent government from establishing a single state religion or inhibiting the citizen's right to the free exercise of religion in any setting, public or private – That free market capitalism is the only economic system that creates the opportunities and incentives that will allow maximum productivity and prosperity for its citizens. It is the necessary partner of political freedom – That in the necessity of national sovereignty, we consider it crucial to return to appropriate state sovereignty under the Tenth Amendment of the United States Constitution.

OBJECTIVES OF THE RHODE ISLAND REPUBLICAN ASSEMBLY

To recruit, educate, train, and motivate individuals to run for public office who are irrevocably committed to uphold and fight for Constitutional principles and the preservation of the Republic – To increase Republican voter registration – To promote Conservatism in the tradition of the Founding Fathers – To bring back to the Republican Party those individuals who have been disaffected by the perception that the Party has moved away from its core principles – To watchdog elected officials and to insure their adherence to Conservative Republican principles – To identify and oppose those individuals, groups, and agendas that would – knowingly or otherwise – bring about the loss of our freedoms and the destruction of our Republic through the violation of the Constitution and the erosion of the traditional family or of public morals – To inform the public regarding correct principles relative to issues and to the qualifications of candidates for public office – To maintain the integrity of the Republican Party platform based on correct moral and Constitutional principles; then to use that platform as a criteria of accountability for elected officials.

PART III: APPLICANT CERTIFICATION

By signing below, the above indicated RIRA membership applicant(s) attests, acknowledges, and agrees to support our stated **Beliefs, Objectives, and Principles**; to being a legal resident of the State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations; and to being a **registered Republican voter**.

SIGNATURE OF PRIMARY APPLICANT _____ **DATE** _____

SIGNATURE(S) OF ADDITIONAL APPLICANT(S) _____ **DATE** _____

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