

# MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL

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### FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

#### Did the Renewal Amount increase?

No, the cost of annual membership has not increased for 2021.

#### What is included in my membership?

Annual membership includes access to 18 hours of Free CE, Fun & Charitable Networking Opportunities, 10 Free Education Seminars, REALTOR® Member Discounts, GAR's Free Legal Helpline, and GAR Contracts. Additional benefits and resources are available at: [atlantarealtors.com/benefits](http://atlantarealtors.com/benefits)

#### What is the annual cost for membership?

2021 Annual membership for primary REALTOR® members are \$450. Local membership dues are \$167, GAR is \$98, and NAR is \$185.

2021 Annual membership for primary Affiliate members are \$400. Local membership dues are \$302 and GAR is \$98.

#### What is an RPAC Investment?

RPAC is your best investment in real estate! The REALTORS® Political Action Committee (RPAC) is the nation's largest, most successful, and most bipartisan political action committee. Your voluntary investment is used to improve your bottom line in several ways: Through issues mobilization, political advocacy, and by directly supporting candidates at the local, state, and federal levels of government who champion the ideals and principles of REALTORS®. To learn more about the REALTOR® Political Action Committee and its initiatives, please visit [atlantarealtors.com/rpac](http://atlantarealtors.com/rpac) or [www.realtorparty.realtor](http://www.realtorparty.realtor).

#### Is an RPAC Investment included in my renewal?

A fair share RPAC Investment is included on each member's renewal to help reach the Association's annual REALTOR® Party fundraising goals, but your participation is voluntary. If renewing online, after you select 'pay dues' and before you enter your credit card information, you will see a [Blue Edit Link](#) next to the RPAC investment on the order summary. If you click on the edit button you'll be taken to a page that will allow you to adjust your investment to any amount you'd feel comfortable contributing or opt out from investing at this time.

#### What payment methods are accepted?

You may pay by check, Visa, MasterCard, Discover or American Express.

#### Is my credit card charged immediately?

Yes, the charge is completed during the renewal transaction. If you have incorrectly entered the credit card number or expiration date, or if there is another problem with the card, you will be unable to complete the transaction online.

#### What if I wish to pay by check?

Make check payable to the: Atlanta REALTORS® Association and include your real estate license # or order # on the check, if applicable.

Submit payment to the Association office at:  
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### TIME LINE

#### When is the Membership Year?

October 1st thru September 30th of each year.

#### When is the Membership Renewal deadline?

October 1, 2020

#### What if I miss the deadline?

For members who have not renewed in full by November 1st, the renewal amount will increase by \$50.

For members who have not renewed in full by December 1st, the renewal amount will increase by another \$50 and your membership benefits will be discontinued.

For members participating in a Payment Plan, the renewal amount will not increase if paid in full by December 15th. After December 15th, a \$100 increase will be applied and your membership benefits will be discontinued.

### PAYMENT PLAN OPTIONS

#### May I make a partial payments?

If you are a REALTOR® or Affiliate member and your primary membership is held with the Atlanta REALTORS® Association, you will have a Payment Plan option when making your payment online.

NOTE: This plan is only available online. Payments will be processed automatically to the credit card number you provide.

In addition to the annual renewal amount, an administration fee of \$40 will be added, if you choose to participate in the payment plan.

##### 4-Month Plan

Four equal installments will be applied to your credit card: **first, on the day you enroll**; followed by October 15th; November 15th; and, December 15th.

You must enroll online and pay your first installment by October 14th in order to participate in the payment plan.



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