

California Christmas Tree Association

THE TREE PROFESSIONALS

New Member Application

Dues Schedule: Dues are per calendar year. Dues are based on the number of trees sold in California during the previous Christmas season. If qualified in more than one dues category, pay dues for all applicable categories but not more than \$282. A \$25 Initiation Fee applies to all new active members or to former members whose membership has lapsed for more than one year.

ACTIVE MEMBERS

(Initiation Fee required; voting privileges)

GROWERS AND RETAILERS: Choose & Cut Grower, Container Tree Grower, Retail Lot Operator, Pre-harvest Grower or Wholesale Grower (wholesalers divide trees by 4 before applying schedule).

- 0 – 500 Trees Sold \$126
- 501 – 2,000 Trees Sold\$172
- 2,001 – 4,000 Trees Sold\$230
- 4,001 – 6,000 Trees Sold\$287
- Over 6,000 Trees Sold\$316

SUPPLIERS AND TREE BROKERS: Suppliers of products and Equipment to the Christmas Tree industry or wholesale brokers of trees – no trees grown or sold at retail\$201

ASSOCIATE MEMBERS

(No Initiation Fee; no voting privileges)

EDUCATORS: University or Extension personnel, foresters, educators – no income from Christmas trees, now or in the future\$92

RETIRED: CCTA members in previous years who retired from the Christmas Tree business and derive no income from Christmas Trees..... \$92

NON-CALIFORNIA SELLERS: Choose & Cut Growers and/ or Retailers marketing all trees outside of California.....\$92

FIRST YEAR GROWER: Choose & Cut and/or Wholesale Growers with no trees for sale this year.....\$92

If you live in Southern Calif., Northern Calif., or the Central San Joaquin Valley-Mother Lode, you are eligible to join our local chapters in those areas and participate in their activities. Please enclose appropriate amount, check box below, and we will send your name to the chapter secretary. Southern Section – dues \$15/yr. Northern Section – dues \$15/yr. Central Section – dues \$10/yr.

INITIATION FEE: Required for active

Membership categories\$25

TOTAL ENCLOSED \$ _____

Name(s) _____ **Farm/Company Name** _____

Address _____ **E-mail** _____

City _____ **State** _____ **Zip** _____

Daytime Phone _____ **Evening Phone** _____ **Fax** _____

County where Farm/Business is Located _____ **Acres planted in Trees** _____

Species Grown/Intend to Grow or Sell _____

Please check all categories that apply to your or your operation so we can provide appropriate service.

____ Owner (s) ____ Grower ____ Retailer ____ Wholesaler ____ Supplier ____ Container Tree Grower

____ Choose & Cut ____ Pre-harvest ____ Educator/Extension/Forester ____ No trees marketed in Calif.

From January 1 – June 30, pay full year dues, plus Initiation Fee. From July 1 – September 30, pay one-half of dues above, plus Initiation Fee. From October 1 – December 31, pay full year dues plus Initiation Fee, includes the following year.

Enclosed is \$ _____ for 20 _____ dues and Initiation Fee. Date _____

Signed _____ Referred by: _____

Mail to: CCTA Attention: Sam Minturn PO Box 401 Hilmar, CA 95324