

REGIONAL FORUM

Membership Application Form

2006/2007



PART ONE – Must be completed by ALL applicants

Organisation Details

Name of Organisation:			
Address & Postcode:			
General Telephone:		Fax:	
Website:			
General Email:			

Geographical Information – which best describes the area your organisation covers (please tick **ONE** box only)

- Area bigger than Yorkshire & the Humber (e.g. other region/national)
- Regional (**ALL** Yorkshire & the Humber)
- Sub Regional/County (you may tick more than one sub region)
 - West Yorkshire South Yorkshire
 - North Yorkshire The Humber, East Yorkshire, North or North East Lincolnshire
- District (smaller than a county but includes more than one town)
- A single City or Town area A locality (a specific area within a town or a neighbourhood)
- Other (please specify) _____

Organisations' Specific Interest – which best describes the organisation, its members or service users **MAIN** area(s) of interest (please tick a **maximum of 3** only)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Advice or counselling | <input type="checkbox"/> Faith | <input type="checkbox"/> Rural Issues |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Arts | <input type="checkbox"/> Funding/Sustainability | <input type="checkbox"/> Social Economic Development |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Black & Minority Ethnic | <input type="checkbox"/> Health/Social Care | <input type="checkbox"/> Sports |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Capacity Building | <input type="checkbox"/> Housing/Tenants | <input type="checkbox"/> Transport Groups |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Children/young people | <input type="checkbox"/> Learning/Training | <input type="checkbox"/> Volunteering |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Crime/Community Safety | <input type="checkbox"/> Lesbian Gay Bisexual | <input type="checkbox"/> Women |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Disabled People | <input type="checkbox"/> Older People | <input type="checkbox"/> Other (please specify) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Environmental issues | <input type="checkbox"/> Refugees/Asylum Seekers | |

Beneficiaries – in Yorkshire & the Humber only, please guesstimate how many of the following organisations your organisation directly provides services to or “represent” or who are on your regular mailing list.

Community _____ Voluntary sector _____ Smaller branches of your own organisation _____

Individuals (not included previously) _____ Other _____

Main Contact Details

Please complete details of the main contact at your organisation who will receive membership information and electronic information services as detailed below:

Name of Main Contact: <i>(additional contacts may be listed on separate sheet provided)</i>	
Job Title:	
Direct Telephone: <i>(if different from organisation details)</i>	
Direct Email: <i>(if different from organisation details)</i>	

Email Information Services – these will be sent to the email address above (please tick all that apply)

- General Information & News European Funding Information Learning & Skills Information
 Social Economy Information Regeneration / Engagement Information

Main Contacts' areas of specific interest (please tick all that apply)

- Advice or counselling Faith Rural Issues
 Arts Funding/Sustainability Social Economic Development
 Black & Minority Ethnic Health/Social Care Sports
 Capacity Building Housing/Tenants Transport Groups
 Children/young people Learning/Training Volunteering
 Crime/Community Safety Lesbian Gay Bisexual Women
 Disabled People Older People Other (please specify)
 Environmental issues Refugees/Asylum Seekers

Membership Fees – membership is annual November to November there is no reduction for joining partway through the year.

You have 5 membership options, please refer to the attached notes on membership classes BEFORE you decide which is most appropriate for your organisation. Please tick **ONE** box only.

	Annual Fee
Voluntary & Community Associate Membership (complete Part 1 only)	<input type="checkbox"/> £50
Voluntary & Community Full Membership (complete Parts 1 & Part 2)	<input type="checkbox"/> £50
Statutory Organisations working with or supporting voluntary/community organisations	<input type="checkbox"/> £100
Individuals, Consultants or businesses working with or supporting voluntary/community organisations	<input type="checkbox"/> £100
Bursary Scheme (voluntary & community organisations only)	<input type="checkbox"/> £10

Data Protection: The information on this form is stored on the Regional Forum database. The names and addresses form a mailing list, which is used only to further the aims & objectives of the Forum. It may be shared with other organisations when this is in our members' interests such as in "one-off" publicity for joint conferences. If you DO NOT want us to share your information in this way please tick here .

Please ensure you have completed all items in Part 1 and return this along with your payment to the Regional Forum: **FREEPOST RLXG-SJSG-SEUK**, Yorkshire & the Humber Regional Forum, Suite D10 Joseph's Well, Hanover Walk, LEEDS, LS3 1AB.

If you would like FULL MEMBERSHIP please also complete Part 2 on page 4 and return to the above address.

Please only complete and return this page if you require additional people from your organisation to receive our newsletters and information services.

Additional Contact Name(s):			
Job Title(s):			
Direct Telephone: <i>(if different)</i>			
Direct Email: <i>(to receive Information Services below)</i>			
<u>Email Information Services</u>	<i>(please tick)</i>	<i>(please tick)</i>	<i>(please tick)</i>
General	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
European	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Learning & Skills	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Social Economy	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Regeneration / Engagement	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<u>Areas of specific interest</u>	<i>(please tick)</i>	<i>(please tick)</i>	<i>(please tick)</i>
Advice or counselling	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Arts	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Black & Minority Ethnic	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Capacity Building	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Children/Young People	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Crime/Community Safety	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Disabled People	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Environmental Issues	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Faith	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Funding/Sustainability	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Health/Social Care	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Housing/Tenants	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Learning/Training	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Lesbian Gay Bisexual	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Older people	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Refugees/Asylum Seekers	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Rural Issues	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Social Economic Development	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Sports	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Transport Groups	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Volunteering	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Women	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other (please specify)	_____	_____	_____

Additional Information on Membership Classes

Membership runs November to November, no reductions are made for joining part way through a year.

Voluntary & Community FULL Membership (complete Parts One & Two) - Cost £50

Full Members receive the full information service subscription and also a vote at the Forum AGM. This membership class is open to voluntary and/or community organisations providing a service within Yorkshire & the Humber and must have a recognised constitution, with rules that elect a management committee from its membership and have management committee members/trustees who are not paid by that member organisation. These include:

- *Regional voluntary or community organisations.*
- *Voluntary or community agencies providing an umbrella or intermediary role and providing support to other voluntary or community organisations.*
- *Voluntary or community organisations providing services to other voluntary agencies over the region, county or district.*
- *Regional branches of national voluntary or community organisations*
- *Federations or groups of voluntary or community organisations*
- *Local voluntary organisations playing a key role in co-ordination between voluntary/community organisations.*

Full members are asked to complete Parts One & Two of the application form to help keep the Forum up to date on the details of their members. Finally Full-members of the Forum are asked to contribute to the work by circulating relevant information we send out to their members/sub-branches/service users.

Voluntary & Community Sector ASSOCIATE Membership (complete Part One only) – Cost £50

Open to ALL other voluntary and/or community groups. Members receive the same full information service subscription and are invited to the same events (including the AGM) but have no voting rights. Associate members are asked to complete only Part One of the membership form.

Other Associate Memberships (complete Part One only) - Cost £100

Members receive the same full information service subscription and are invited to the same events (including the AGM) but have no voting rights. This membership is open to non-voluntary/community sector organisations who are actively supporting voluntary/ community sector groups and activity, for example:

- Statutory Departments (County, District or Local) working with or supporting Community/Voluntary Organisations or Local Authority hosted partnerships;
- Consultants or Businesses working with or supporting Community/Voluntary Groups;
- Individual persons, societies, companies, associations, local authorities and other bodies which support the objects of the Forum.

Bursary Scheme – Cost £10

Voluntary & community organisations which are poorly funded (less than £20,000 per year) or have no paid staff may join in either an associate or full member capacity. Please contact our Administration Team on 0113 394 2300 who will be happy to mail out the relevant application form.