



# VHA Policy 5.1

## Membership

**Authorization:** Bylaws of The Villages Homeowners Advocates, Inc. (The VHA)

**Policy Statement:** The strength of The VHA is its members and their support as volunteers for the organization. The VHA general membership have rights to attend members-only educational and social events and other benefits.

**Membership Qualification:** Any resident of The Villages may become (and remain) a member of The VHA by joining and paying the appropriate dues.

**Term of Membership:** Membership in the VHA shall be effective starting with the first day of the month in which dues are paid and shall expire on the anniversary of that effective date.

**Revocation of Membership:** Membership in The VHA can be revoked by action of the President for actions in violation of:

- the organization's Mission, Vision, and Values
- the Bylaws or Policies of the VHA
- the law, carried out in the name of the VHA

**Caution:** *Such revocation shall only be used for serious actions detrimental to The VHA, never for personal reasons.*