

Make a Difference!



Volunteering benefits not only your Association, but also your business. You will be better informed on industry trends, expand your network and have a hand in shaping the Association's direction.

Do you want to serve on just ONE (1) ___ or TWO (2) Committees ___?
Committee appointments will be made in mid-December.

1st Committee Choice

Advertising Advisory
Affiliates
Community Service
Education
Governmental Affairs
Grievance
MLS Monitoring
MLS Policy
Professional Standards
Program & Special Events
Standard Forms
Technology

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2nd Committee Choice

Advertising Advisory
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3rd Committee Choice

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Name _____ Email _____

Company _____ Phone _____

Please return this form by Friday, December 5th.

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WHAT DO THE COMMITTEES DO?

BELOW IS A LISTING OF THE RVAR COMMITTEES, THEIR FUNCTION, FREQUENCY OF MEETINGS AND WHO IS ELIGIBLE FOR EACH. ALL COMMITTEE MEMBERS ARE VOLUNTEERS AND EACH COMMITTEE MEMBER MUST ALSO BE AN RVAR MEMBER. (REALTOR® OR AFFILIATE).

ADVERTISING ADVISORY COMMITTEE – Monitors REALTOR® advertising in all media, recommends changes to the Advertising Rules & Regulations as needed. *Only REALTORS® are eligible for this Committee.* Committee meets quarterly.

AFFILIATES COMMITTEE – Plans and implements all aspects of the annual Affiliate & REALTOR® Night, including selection of date, menu, theme and decorations. *Both REALTORS® and Affiliates are welcome on this Committee.* Meets as needed to plan the event.

COMMUNITY SERVICE COMMITTEE – Serves as RVAR's ambassadors to the community. Participates in events throughout the year such as Rebuilding Together, Pet Food Drive as well as plans fundraisers. Reviews and makes recommendations regarding new charities eligible for RVAR support. *Both REALTORS® and Affiliates are welcome on this Committee.* Committee meets most months.

EDUCATION COMMITTEE – Assists with implementation of all educational events including New Member Orientation and Fair Housing; and designation courses such as GRI and CRS as well as the Michael J. Aheron Legal Update, and any other education events at the Committee's discretion. *Both REALTORS® and Affiliates are welcome on this Committee.* Meets most months.

GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS COMMITTEE – Lobbies state legislators on REALTOR® issues; interviews local candidates for General Assembly, City Council and Board of Supervisors. *Both REALTORS® and Affiliates are welcome on this Committee.* Meets regularly.

GRIEVANCE COMMITTEE – Investigates all complaints against REALTORS® alleging unethical conduct; determines if complaints warrant a formal disciplinary hearing. *Only REALTORS® are eligible for this Committee.* Meets as needed.

MLS MONITORING COMMITTEE – Monitors all MLS listings to ensure that all data is complete, accurate and complies with the MLS rules. *Only REALTORS® are eligible for this Committee.* Meets quarterly.

MLS POLICY COMMITTEE – Makes recommendations for changes in RVAR's MLS System as well as the MLS Rules. *Only REALTORS® are eligible for this Committee.* Meets most months.

PROFESSIONAL STANDARDS COMMITTEE – Conducts all ethics hearings; also conducts arbitration hearings to settle commission and procuring cause disputes. (Service on the Grievance Committee is prerequisite). *Only REALTORS® are eligible for this Committee.* Hearings scheduled as needed.

PROGRAM & SPECIAL EVENTS COMMITTEE – Plans and presents all RVAR social functions such as the Installation of Officers and Directors, REALTOR® After Hours and Annual Golf Tournament. Also conducts registration for other RVAR events. *Both REALTORS® and Affiliates are welcome on this Committee.* Meets as needed to plan each event.

STANDARD FORMS COMMITTEE – Oversees the content of all RVAR standard forms. *Only REALTORS® are eligible for this Committee.* Meets most months.

TECHNOLOGY COMMITTEE – Explores new technology as it pertains to REALTORS® and the MLS. Plans the annual Technology Forum. *Both REALTORS® and Affiliates are welcome to serve on this Committee.* Meets quarterly.