

MARYLAND PORK PRODUCERS ASSOCIATION

2024 Membership Form

Your membership matters!

Membership dollars allow the team to represent pork growers best interest in Annapolis while educating consumers on pork production and consumption.

Membership Levels

Active Membership: for those individuals engaged in the feeding and breeding of hogs. This fee provides non-checkoff revenue for MPPA and is necessary to fund activities, such as, **legislative action, where checkoff dollars cannot be used.** Membership is \$25.00 per year.

Associate Membership: for individuals and companies whose business makes them commercially interested in processing, feeding, and/or breeding more and better hogs in Maryland. Members are not eligible to vote on matters pertaining to functions of the Association. Membership is \$50.00 per year.

Youth Membership: for youth involved in 4-H and FFA programs. This non-voting membership is \$10.00 per year.



2023 Accomplishments

- Secured funding for virtual reality goggles to show real pig farming.
- Sponsored the Maryland State BBQ Battle and encouraged consumption.
- Attended the MD Department of Agriculture's Buy Local event and represented Maryland pig farmers.
- Hosted The Nature Conservancy's staff at a local pig farm covering diversifying, conservation, and nutrient management.
- Shared quarterly newsletters for our producers and our consumer listserv.
- Interacted with over 6,000 consumers with PA Pork at the Giant BBQ Battle in Washington, D.C.
- Reached 16,000 people on Facebook and Instagram sharing food safety tips, recipes, and more.
- Represent growers at the Farm Bureau convention as a Delegate.
- Obtained \$30,500 of check-off funds to add pork production into Agrownomics video game and reached over 1 million consumers through grocery store marketing.

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Please return this portion of the form with your payment.

Active Membership - \$25.00

Number of sow marketed yearly:

Number of feeder pigs sold yearly:

Number of market hogs sold yearly:

Gilts and boars sold as seed stock:

Associate Membership - \$50.00

Please indicate your interest in the swine industry:

Youth Membership - \$10.00

Please describe your related activities:

Contact Information:

Name:

Phone:

Email:

Address:

Mail a check and completed form to:
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