

Illinois Movers' and Warehousemen's Association

Membership Qualifications and Dues Investment Schedule

Moving and Storage Companies

The annual dues investment for active membership ("moving and storage members") is determined by:

- total intrastate HHG cab cards purchased from the Illinois Commerce Commission;
- personal property warehouse space

Membership also includes services of the Illinois Movers Tariff Bureau, Inc., for those members who wish to use Bureau tariffs. Members who choose tariff publication through other sources remain responsible for full dues to IMAWA.

IMAWA Membership Dues Schedule Adjusted annually per Consumer Price Index		
Intrastate Stamps (trucks)	No Warehouse	With Warehouse
1 stamp	\$395	\$415
2 stamps	\$435	\$450
3-5 stamps	\$525	\$555
6-10 stamps	\$665	\$720
11-15 stamps	\$765	\$830
16-25 stamps	\$870	\$935
26+ stamps	\$900	\$970

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS for "MOVER" MEMBERS

- Any individual, partnership, association, corporation, or other form of business of moving and/or storing <u>residential</u> <u>household goods for hire</u> in the State of Illinois who meets the legal requirements of the State of Illinois to engage in such moving or storage businesses.
- All active members are required to furnish annually proof of continuous Workers Compensation coverage.
- Before final approval of membership is granted, Applicant must complete IMAWA's open book test with 75% accuracy
 demonstrating knowledge of rules and regulations ("Compliance 101"). Successful completion of said test will meet the
 by-laws membership eligibility requirement concerning "Compliance 101" training.

Members whose tariffs and privileges are suspended for any reason will be required to pay reinstatement fees, as appropriate, before tariffs and privileges will be reinstated. No dues will be refunded.

Associate Membership

- Any individual, partnership, association, corporation, or other form of enterprise, engaged in both or either of the businesses of moving and of storing personal property for hire outside the State of Illinois, or any individual, partnership, association, corporation, or other form of enterprise not specified above who is directly interested in the affairs and activities of the Association and its members, is eligible to apply for associate membership in the Association.
- 2. No individual, partnership, corporation, or other form of enterprise that is eligible to apply for active (mover) membership shall be eligible for associate membership.

The annual dues investment for associate members (including suppliers to the industry) is:

\$445.00

Since the actions of one company can affect the reputation of an entire industry, as a condition of membership all members of the Illinois Movers' and Warehousemen's Association must agree to abide by IMAWA's Code of Ethics and Professional Conduct.

The Association's fiscal year is November 1 through October 31. All membership dues are payable in full in advance.

Branch office memberships (for any category of membership) are available for an additional \$75 branch per year. The branch membership includes a subscription to Association mailings and listing in the membership directory and IMAWA web site.

Membership committee review of applications will include research of complaint history with regulatory and consumer agencies and solicitation of comments from existing members.