VBA FINANCIAL SERVICES MEMBERSHIP

For certain members, there is an option to become a financial services associate member, which offers significant benefits above and beyond a regular associate membership. All financial services associate memberships must be approved by VBA.

Organizations That May Qualify as Financial Services Members:

- Banks and thrifts without a physical presence in Virginia
- Insurance companies
- Securities firms
- Law firms with banking practices
- Accounting firms with banking practices
- Investment banking firms

<u>Value-Added Resources for Financial Services Members:</u>

- Legislative & Regulatory Bulletins, including a biweekly Legislative Bulletin while the Virginia General Assembly is in Session
- Copies of VBA comment letters on pending regulations
- Invitation to select, *bankers only* legislative events
- VBA Executive Brief every other week, distributed to 1,000 bankers
- VBA Counsel Report in June of each year, summarizing all new state laws that affect the banking industry
- VBA lobbying team availability to answer questions on state legislative issues
- First opportunities to suggest subject matter/sponsor at the VBA CEO Forum, an annual fall event with 30-40 bank CEOs attending, with sponsors and presenters being the only non-bankers in attendance.
- First opportunities to make subject matter presentations to VBA committees
- Dual listing as a VBA Financial Services Member and Associate Member on the VBA website and directory. Both listings will include your company logo and description.

Benefits of Membership:	Associate Membership:	Financial Services Membership:
Receive all conference and seminar notices and first notice of available exhibitor and sponsorship opportunities including the VBA Annual Convention	abla	
A free subscription to and opportunity to advertise in <i>Virginia Banking</i> magazine		V
Networking opportunities at VBA conferences		√
Possible eligibility for Employee Benefit programs		V
Company description and contact information on our website		V
Legislative & Regulatory Bulletins		▽
Copies of VBA comment letters		✓
Invitation to select, bankers only, legislative events		V
Bankers-Only Edition of the <i>VBA Executive Brief</i>		V
VBA lobbying team availability to answer questions on state legislative issues		√
First opportunities to suggest subject matter/sponsor at the VBA CEO Forum, the VBA's only event exclusively for Virginia bank CEOs. The event is only open to the sponsoring presenters and bankers.		☑
First opportunities to make subject matter presentations to VBA committees		V
Dual listing as a VBA Financial Services Member and Associate Member on the VBA online directory		✓

Financial Services Membership Dues: \$2,500

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