

Bundaberg  
Fruit & Vegetable  
Growers



# **BFVG Affiliate Membership Application Form**

**Affiliate Membership Fees**

**Only \$385-00 per year (Inc GST)**





# Bundaberg Fruit and Vegetable Growers Cooperative Limited



## About Bundaberg Fruit and Vegetable Growers Cooperative Limited

Bundaberg Fruit and Vegetable Growers Co-operative Limited (BFVG) was established in 1948 and is a non-trading, not-for-profit, grower based cooperative. BFVG has a membership of over 400 individuals representing an industry worth more than \$400 million at the farm-gate, employing more than 5,000 people and injects over one billion dollars into the economy. BFVG represents growers in the greater Bundaberg, Gin Gin and Childers district, South to Gympie, North to Miriam Vale and West to the Gayndah/Mundubbera region.

BFVG represents growers' interest on agree-political topics at a regional level, and supports State and National Industry bodies providing up to date information to members through our office and monthly newsletter, *Fresh Pickings*. In recent years, BFVG has broadened the services offered to members through both externally funded projects and on a fee-for-service basis

BFVG currently employs 5 staff and the organization is governed by a Board of Directors, the majority of whom are local growers of horticultural produce. The ten Directors are elected by members and are supported by Independent Directors providing specialist advice.

### OUR VISION

***“Represent members and their interests as fruit, vegetable and nut growers, obtain and provide them with information, training and other services, and promote their industry in a way which results in overall expansion and success.*”**

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### Affiliate Membership Benefits

Affiliate members are able to reap the rewards of promoting their business to our extensive and growing membership database. Affiliate members are vigorously promoted to our members through our Internet Site, *Fresh Pickings*, Board Meetings, regional meetings, marketing and promotion at events and any other suitable avenues. Some of the benefits of being an Affiliate Member include:

- Listing on BFVG's website, including phone number and direct link to your website
- Linked with grower members where appropriate\*
- Acknowledgement in our Annual Report which is distributed to members
- Option to receive by post BFVG's monthly newsletter "*Fresh Pickings*"
- Advertising opportunity in "*Fresh Pickings*" at discounted rates with priority over non-member businesses
- The opportunity to sponsor shed meetings held throughout the year
- Invitation to relevant seminars and training sessions held throughout the year
- Opportunity to sponsor our prestigious biennial Gala Dinner
- Two consecutive years membership entitlement to member discounts for our Gala Dinner
- Priority given over non-members for our Gala Dinner tickets
- Tax deductibility of annual membership fees



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## Application for Affiliate Membership

Company Name: .....

ABN: .....

Please provide a brief description of your business: .....

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### ADDRESS DETAILS

Postal: ..... Street: .....

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Phone: ..... Fax: .....

Email: ..... Website: .....

### CONTACTS

Owner/Manager : ..... Position: .....

Mobile: ..... Email: .....

Primary Contact: ..... Position: .....

Mobile: ..... Email: .....

Other Contact: ..... Position: .....

Mobile: ..... Email: .....

Please complete details (above and below), cut where indicated and post (if paying by cheque or fax to (07) 41531322

Applications are subject to approval by the Board and must be accompanied with full payment. The Board meets monthly and applicants shall be contacted within one month of the Board meeting. Applications not accepted by the Board shall have their application fee reimbursed in full.

The BFGV financial year runs from 1st July to 30th June. Fees for Affiliate Members are invoiced annually in May each year. Membership applications received after the commencement of the financial year may be calculated on a pro-rata basis. **Invoices issued for fees will not be credited unless a written resignation is received before the term invoiced.** BFGV Membership falls due on 1 July each year and is payable in full upon being invoiced.

Please find enclosed cheque for \$..... being payment for the period .....

**Direct Deposit:** Suncorp (Bundaberg)

**Postal Address:** PO Box 45

BSB: 484-799 ACC: 034204689

BUNDABERG

Remittance Ref: .....

QLD 4670

*The information provided above will only be used for the purposes of management of the Cooperative and will not be passed on to any third party.*

I agree to the above conditions: .....

(Signature)

(Name)

(Date)

# **Bundaberg Fruit and Vegetable Growers Cooperative Limited**

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