



2011 NALTA MEMBERSHIP DRIVE

Dear NALTA Members:

It is time once again for NALTA to begin our Annual Membership Drive for 2011.

New applicants as well as current NALTA members are again able to register for membership with NALTA online through our website www.nalta.org. Membership continues to have easy access to timely information, online renewal of membership and change of address updates, electronic on-line member directory and much more.

We have again made the tutorial available on how to complete the renewal process. We have also provided answers to those frequently asked questions, but should you have other membership questions, please feel free to contact our Membership Chairman, Linda Howerton or myself and we will be happy to assist you.

The process this year has a couple of slight changes of which you need to be aware:

- 1) The NALTA Board voted to rescind a previously instituted increase in the membership dues. Membership dues will be \$50.00 for the 2011 membership year.
- 2) We also reinstated the procedure which will allow members to join both NALTA and your local association by submitting one check. There will not be any discount for joining both NALTA and a local, therefore no increase in dues.
 - a. **IF YOU ARE A MEMBER OF THE OCAPLTA (OKLAHOMA CITY CHAPTER) OR PALTA (MIDLAND CHAPTER) YOU WILL NEED TO SEND YOUR NALTA DUES DIRECTLY TO NALTA, P.O. BOX 2605, HOUSTON, TX 77252 ATTN: MEMBERSHIP AND YOUR LOCAL OCAPLTA CHAPTER OR PALTA CHAPTER DUES DIRECTLY TO THE OCAPLTA OR PALTA MEMBERSHIP CHAIRMAN**
 - b. **AT LARGE MEMBERS SEND YOUR INVOICE AND DUES TO THE NALTA ADDRESS ON THE INVOICE**
 - c. **ALL OTHER NALTA/CHAPTER MEMBERS SEND THEIR NALTA INVOICE AND DUES INTO THEIR LOCAL CHAPTER ALONG WITH THEIR CHAPTERS DUES**
- 3) When you join NALTA or renew your membership online you do not need to complete a paper application. After completing the registration process you will receive an email Invoice that must be printed and accompany your payment, which will be the \$50.00 NALTA fee, PLUS your local chapter dues if joining both NALTA and your local chapter.

March 31st, 2011 is the deadline for membership registration to be completed in order to be included in the printable directory. However, our ONLINE registration provides members with access to an ONLINE directory which can be immediately updated by members ensuring it is always up to date.

Your NALTA membership continues to offer the following benefits:

- First class quarterly News Magazine which contains pertinent lease/land educational articles, information on upcoming educational seminars, and organizational news.
- Membership Directory that provides valuable contact information needed for associates of other oil and gas companies across the nation.
- Certification opportunities to further enhance your credentials. The CPLTA distinctive status results in portraying a strong indicator of expertise, commitment and professionalism; all marketable traits sought by prospective industry employers.
- Networking opportunities.
- Reduced registration fees for the annual NALTA Conference which provides a forum for presentations of multi-faceted educational topics delivered by highly qualified speakers, covering basic to advanced levels.

You will enjoy being a part of an organization that has advanced the Lease and Title Analyst profession and gained professional recognition in the oil and gas industry. NALTA provides the opportunity to promote our profession and take advantage of an outstanding educational event with far reaching networking opportunities.

Respectively Submitted,

Jo Downing Hale, CPLTA, CDOA

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