

By your side



Membership Application

Australian Services Union Western Australian Branch

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Referred to join by:

APPLICATION AND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

I, First Name Middle Name Last Name

I apply for membership of the Australian Municipal, Administrative, Clerical and Services Union ("ASU") and the Western Australian Municipal, Administrative, Clerical and Services Union of Employees ("WASU") and agree to comply with the Rules of the Unions.

- I have read the information relating to the financial obligations of membership and the circumstances and manner in which I may resign my membership by giving two weeks notice in writing.
- I authorise and request that this Payment Method Authority remain in force until cancelled or amended.
- I authorise the ASU / WASU to be my representative in any negotiations about conditions of my employment and to act as bargaining representative on my behalf with my employer in all matters affecting my employment.

Signature Date

YOUR DETAILS

Title Gender Pronouns Known Name

Street Address Suburb State Postcode

Postal Address Suburb State Postcode

Home Phone Personal Mobile

Personal Email

Date of Birth

I am: of Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander origin part of the LGBTIQ+ community
(optional - tick as appropriate) culturally and linguistically diverse an OSH representative in my workplace

YOUR WORK DETAILS

Tick if you have a workplace issue (our team will call and discuss your issue and our Joining In Dispute policy before processing your membership)

Employer Location

Job Title Location

Work Mobile Work Phone

Work Email

FT/PT/Casual Date Started Hours Per Week

PAYMENT DETAILS (however you pay, your membership is fully tax deductible!)

- Direct Debits:** 1. Choose a payment method (bank or credit card) then move across that line to select an available frequency and tick.
 2. Complete either your bank or credit card details below (not required if you select the **Invoice** method)

	Fortnightly	Monthly	Quarterly	Annually
Bank Account				
Credit Card				
Invoice				

Direct debits are scheduled:
Fortnightly - Thursdays
Monthly - the last business day of the month
Quarterly - the last business day of the quarter
Annual - the first business day of July

<p>I/We authorise and request the Australian Services Union (Western Australian Branch) (User ID number 025909) to arrange for funds to be debited from my/our nominated account through BECS (Bulk Electronic Clearing System) at the financial institution shown below according to the schedule specified below. Where I have joined before the next scheduled run, I acknowledge that a pro rata amount will be deducted. Where I am signing solely for a joint account, I confirm that I am authorised to operate the account.</p> <p>Account Name</p> <p>BSB</p> <p>Account Number</p> <p>Account Signature</p>	<p>Cardholder Name</p> <p>I/we authorise and request the Australian Services Union WA Branch (Merchant ID 5353 1093 9452 1498) to arrange for funds to be debited from my/our nominated credit card shown below. Where I have joined before the next scheduled run, I acknowledge that a pro rata amount will be deducted.</p> <p>Visa Mastercard</p> <p>Card#</p> <p>Expiry Date /</p> <p>Cardholder Signature</p>
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Branch Secretary Date Div

IMPORTANT INFORMATION FOR NEW ASU WA BRANCH MEMBERS



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SUBSCRIPTION SCHEDULE 2023/24

HOURS WORKED PER WEEK	WEEKLY	ANNUAL
Standard Subscription Rates (Over 31 Years)		
30+ (30 hrs or more)	\$13.25	\$689.00
20-30 (20 hrs or more but less than 30 hrs)	\$12.25	\$637.00
10-20 (10 hrs or more but less than 20 hrs)	\$10.25	\$533.00
<10 (Less than 10 hrs)	\$ 8.25	\$429.00
Next Generation Rates (Under 31 Years)		
Members will automatically move to the Standard Subscription Rate		
30+ (30 hrs or more)	\$12.25	\$637.00
20-30 (20 hrs or more but less than 30 hrs)	\$11.25	\$585.00
10-20 (10 hrs or more but less than 20 hrs)	\$10.25	\$533.00
<10 (Less than 10 hrs)	\$ 8.25	\$429.00

(RATES QUOTED ARE GST INCLUSIVE)

REMEMBER: UNION FEES ARE FULLY TAX DEDUCTIBLE

Statements are sent to members after the end of the financial year.

Where members choose to pay their subscription on an annual basis and by the due date, a 10% discount will apply.

Ways to pay your Union Fees

1. Bank Account - Direct debit from a bank account or credit union account. This facility is not available on Passbook Accounts.

Direct debiting is the simplest, most secure and preferred method of payment. The advantage of direct debiting is that the employer will not have the power to control your financial membership of your union. This ensures that the ASU is a strong and progressive union able to meet the challenge. Some financial institutions may charge a fee for this service. Please check this with your financial institution.

Your union does not have direct access to your account. Your financial institution can only debit the standard subscription amount from your account. Members who have queries about how direct debits operate should call our Member Services Centre on (08) 9427 7777.

2. Credit Card - Payment of union subscriptions may be made by direct debit from your Visa Card or MasterCard.

3. Invoice - Subscriptions may also be paid in advance by direct deposit, cheque or credit card on a quarterly or annual basis on receipt of an account. The account must be settled promptly.

Resignation from the union

- A member may resign from membership by written notice addressed and delivered to the Branch Secretary, in accordance with requirements of the rules and the Act.
- A notice of resignation takes effect when a member ceases to be eligible for membership of the union or two weeks after the notice has been received at the union office.
- Any member resigning shall be liable for the payment of all subscriptions, fines and levies owing to the union under the rules at the date of resigning.

Financial obligations arising from membership

Members shall pay subscriptions fixed in the Branch rules in accordance with National Rules 18 (Subscriptions). Members shall pay any levies imposed in accordance with National Rule 22 (Levies) and the Branch rules, and any fines imposed in accordance with national Rule 36 (Member Misconduct) and the Branch Rules.

Our Union has coverage of workers in six divisions:

Administrative, Clerical and Customer Services
Energy and IT
Local Government
Municipal Employees
Social and Community Services
Transport

If you work in an industry under our coverage, **it is your right to join the ASU.**

Joining our Union means real benefits.

Advice and Assistance:

Our Member Services Centre is there for you to call when you have questions about your work. It could be to question if your payroll department is correctly calculating your pay or to ask about conditions you might be entitled to such as when you are due to take long service leave or how much annual leave you should be entitled to. It could also be to talk through how to deal with an issue in your workplace or to get assistance when your employer is being difficult, such as returning to work from maternity leave. Sometimes the query needs a little research or advice from an Industrial Officer but, more often than not, a ten minute phone call will help you.

Protection for your journey to and from work (or out to get lunch):

Many years ago, employers in Western Australia were required to include workers' journeys to and from work. When that was abolished by the State Government, ASU (and other WA Unions) decided to provide protection that covers your absence from work should you have an accident on your journey to or from work, whether you walk, ride, catch public transport or drive. For more information, see the reverse of this sheet.

It pays to be an ASU member!

With access to Union Shopper's discount buying service, discounted shopping and travel discounts and special member-only rates with ME Bank, the savings will easily outweigh the cost of your membership each year.

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Statements are sent to members in July each year.

Questions?

For any further information, you can visit our website at www.asuwa.org

If you have questions about joining, member benefits or whether the ASU is the correct union for you, please call our Member Services Centre on 9427 7777.

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