



Excerpts from the Island County Fair Association By-Laws:

**ARTICLE II. NON-PROFIT PURPOSES**

Section 1. IRC SECTION 501(c)3 PURPOSES

This corporation is organized exclusively for one or more of the purposes specified in Section 501(c)3 of the Internal Revenue Code.

Section 2. SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES AND PURPOSES

- (a) To organize, promote, conduct and carry on an educational, agricultural, commercial and industrial fair, and any business associated with said Fair, in Island County for the purpose of informing and entertaining the general public;
- (b) To promote education and awareness in agriculture and provide an opportunity for the general public to be exposed to the agricultural industry with "hands on" experience;
- (c) To provide a place for 4-H, other youth and adults to exhibit their livestock, horticulture, floriculture, products, home arts, fine arts, crafts, educational projects and demonstrations, with the desired outcome of promoting the welfare of the local communities and rural living.

**ARTICLE III. MEMBERSHIP**

Section 1. **Eligibility.** Membership shall be open to individuals fifteen (15) years or older interested in promoting the objectives stated in Article II.

Section 2. **Application.** Application for membership shall be made to the Fair Association Secretary at a regularly scheduled meeting.

Section 3. **Dues.** The annual dues shall be at an amount set from time to time by the Association membership, payable upon initial application and renewable in January each year. Membership not renewed by the April meeting shall be dropped from the membership roster.

Section 4. **Duties.** Members are expected to support the activities of the Association by regular attendance at meetings and active participation on committees and during the fair.

Section 5. **Voting.** Members are eligible to vote at any voting meeting: **A.** If they have attended at least 3 meetings during the membership year AND **B.** Volunteer on a committee, for a Fair Association event/activity OR at the fair during the membership year.

*By my signature below, I pledge my willingness to abide by the Island County Fair Association By-Laws indicated above.*

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SIGNATURE

\*\*\*\*\*PLEASE LIST COMMITTEE, EVENT/ACTIVITY OR FAIR DEPARTMENT YOU VOLUNTEER FOR\*\*\*\*\*