Social
Enterprise
Rural
Alliance

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Membership Application Form

SERA Vision *Transforming needs into opportunities to build vibrant and sustainable rural communities' economy.*

SERA Mission *Our mission is to promote and support social enterprises by assisting entrepreneurs through knowledge sharing, access to resources and venture development while we establish a collaborative rural alliance for the purpose of encouraging social innovation.*

SERA Principles
Seek economic solutions to create progressive social change → *Social Justice!*
Seek innovative responses that enhance rural community life → *Innovation!*
Seek community based approaches to deal with rural needs → *Empowerment!*

What is SERA?
Social Enterprise
Rural Alliance

A social enterprise is a business that operates to fulfill a social and/or environmental mission, while generating revenue to sustain its operations. The Alliance is aimed to build a movement composed of organizations and individuals who are committed to advancing social enterprise in a direction that creates genuine and positive change.

Applicant Information ☐ Individual ($10 year) ☐ Organization ($20 year)

_____ _____
Individual Name (Organization) Organization Name (if applicable)

_____ _____
Mailing Address Postal Code

_____ _____
Home Phone Number Cell-Work Phone Number

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Email Address

☐ I am 18 years of age or older

☐ I understand and support above vision, mission, and principles, as well to follow statement of goodwill and would like to become a member of SERA Community Ventures Ltd.

☐ I would like to waive the $10-20 fee in exchange for 8 hours of volunteer time with SERA over 1 year.

Preferred method of contact: Mail ☐ Email ☐

SERA CV Member Benefits:

- Full voting rights at SERA CV Annual General and Members Meetings
- Eligible for nomination and participation in the SERA CV Board of Directors and committees
- Eligible to be a SERA CV client to receive social enterprise support
- Free or discounted access to webinars, workshops, publications and SERA events.
- Being able to be part of a movement and network with other alliance members.

Thank you for your interest in becoming a member of SERA Community Ventures Ltd.

Application approved by: _____ _____
SERA CV Board (Secretary/Chair) Approval Date

Membership: ☐ paid by cash ☐ paid by cheque ☐ payment pending