

## Municipal Membership at the MFOA

### Frequently Asked Questions

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#### How does municipal membership work?

Municipalities pay an annual membership fee based on their population size.

Municipalities are entitled to a specified number of voting members based on their population size.

Municipalities can have an unlimited number of non-voting members.

#### How many voting members per municipality?

Population	Voting Members
< 5,000	2
5,000 to 24,999	3
25,000 to 49,999	4
50,000 to 74,999	5
75,000 to 199,999	7
200,000 to 499,999	10
500,000 to 749,999	14
> 750,000	18

#### What is a voting member?

A voting member is an employee of a member municipality entitled to vote in the annual election for the Board of Directors. Municipalities designate employees as voting members, not MFOA.

#### What is a non-voting member?

A non-voting member is an employee of a member municipality who is entitled to all membership privileges except for electing the Board of Directors and voting at the Annual Meeting. Membership privileges include access to the members' only portion of the website, including the Virtual Library, member pricing for events, and regular updates.

#### How do I find out if I am a voting member?

Two ways: consult the key contact in your municipality or by contacting Julie Turcsanyi at [Julie@mfoa.on.ca](mailto:Julie@mfoa.on.ca).

#### Who is a Key Contact? What is their role?

The MFOA's key contact is often the most senior finance officer at a member municipality.

It is the key contact's duty to designate voting members and to keep MFOA up to date regarding current voting and non-voting members.