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POLICY

Any Full Member who has rendered outstanding service to FMCA may be elected to the Life Member category by 65% of the Governing Board. A Life Member, unless noted otherwise in the Bylaws, has the rights of a Full Member without the requirement of ownership of a Qualifying Recreational Vehicle nor the payment of ordinary dues.

PROCEDURE

Each Past President of FMCA is admitted to Life Membership at the end of the term of service as President and is granted registration fees up to two conventions per year.

1. “Outstanding service” means extraordinary service beyond the ordinary duties and responsibilities of membership or office in FMCA. This is the premier award FMCA can bestow on any family member.
2. Nominations will be made in accordance with the criteria and submission requirements stated in FMCA Policies and Procedures #1020/A, Life Membership Award Nomination Guidelines and Criteria. Nomination and recommendation for conferring Life Membership may be made by any member of the Governing Board, or by petition of twenty-five or more members. Nominations shall be submitted to the Executive Board via the FMCA office. The receipt of each nomination submission will be acknowledged to the submitter.
3. Nominees shall be evaluated by the Executive Board in executive session. The Executive Board selection process will be as defined in FMCA Policies and Procedures #1020/A. The Executive Board’s recommended nominee(s) will be submitted to the Governing Board for consideration at their next meeting provided submission requirements have been met.
4. All nominations shall follow this process.
5. The Executive Board can forward up to two names per year to be considered for approval by the Governing Board.
6. Names of non-successful nominees will not be published.
7. It shall take a 65% vote of the Governing Board to elect any nominee to the status of Life Membership.
8. The submitter and nominees shall receive a letter informing them of the final results.