



ARIN Fee & Membership Changes

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Fee Harmonization and New Membership Structure

- Implementation of a new single fee schedule (independent of End-user/ISP status)
- Provides equity of fees and services across all customers
- Opening participation in ARIN governance to more organizations
- Introduction of the new category: Service Members, effective 1 January 2022
- General Members are those who opt-in to gain voting rights
<https://www.arin.net/announcements/20211229/>



Transition to Service Members

- Transitioned all end-user customers and ASN-only customers to Service Members.
- Organizations applying to become General Members need to meet the following criteria:
 - Be an ARIN Service Member in good standing with IPv4 and/or IPv6 number resources receiving services under a valid ARIN registration services agreement.
 - Agree to participate in ARIN governance by participating in annual elections.
 - Agree to inclusion of their organization in ARIN's public membership lists and voter lists.
 - Agrees that their participation in the ARIN community will comply with ARIN's Standards of Behavior and ARIN Mailing List Appropriate Usage Policy.



End of Legacy Fee Cap for New LRSA Entrants

- For decades, ARIN has provided legacy resource holders who bring their resources under agreement with ARIN with a “cap” on total maintenance fees
- ARIN Board of Trustees’ decision on 4 August 2022 to end offering the legacy maintenance fee cap for new agreements starting 1 January 2024.
- Legacy resources under LRSA agreements entered before 1 January 2024 continue to have their annual fees capped



Reclassification of Inactive General Members

- Requirement for General Members to vote in ARIN Elections at least once every three years to maintain status
- As of 30 January 2024, reclassification of 5,179 General Members to Service Members due to voting inactivity
- Current Status: 1,903 General Members and 23,372 Service Members, including ASN-only organizations
- Organizations may contact ARIN and reapply to be General Members if they wish:

<https://www.arin.net/announcements/20240130-memberupdate/>

ANY QUESTIONS

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Thank You