



# Application for Membership

Train Collectors Association, National Business Office, PO Box 248, Strasburg PA 17579

### Instructions for the completion of form.

1. All Questions Must Be Answered and Form Signed by **TWO** Recommenders or Application Will Be Returned.
2. **A \$60 check must accompany this application; \$25 non-refundable application fee and \$35 dues for twelve months.\***
3. **This application if accepted by the Association, will be published to the entire membership** during a probationary period. At the end of the probationary period the National Business Office will issue an Annual Membership Card.
4. In the event that three written complaints have been filed against the probationer and sent to the National Secretary full membership is withheld until the National Membership Committee has considered the matter.

Applicant Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Please Print

Address \_\_\_\_\_ County \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
Nine Digit Zip Code

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Include Area Code

Operating Layout? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_ Are Visitors Welcome? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_ Primary Gauge of Interest \_\_\_\_\_

Secondary Gauge of Interest \_\_\_\_\_ Primary Manufacturer of Interest \_\_\_\_\_ Sex \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_  
MM/DD/YYYY

Have you ever been a member of the Train Collectors Association? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_  
If answer to above is "Yes" what was your membership number? \_\_\_\_\_

Do you want it back? (Additional cost for this is \$25 plus all dues in arrears) Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_  
How did you learn about our Association? \_\_\_\_\_

Why do you want to join the TCA? \_\_\_\_\_

Has your membership in any major train club been terminated for cause (except for nonpayment of dues)? \_\_\_\_\_

I hereby subscribe to the purposes, policies and duties of its members as described in the bylaws of the Train Collectors Association. I also understand and agree to the admission procedures. I agree to comply with all of the rules and regulations of the Train Collectors Association (TCA) and its Divisions and Chapters in effect from time to time, specifically including all the rules and regulations of all TCA committees and any actions and rulings of all TCA Committees. I also agree that all items sold by me to any TCA Member or at any TCA sponsored meet shall be sold on the basis that I represent that all such items are authentic and in the manufacturer's original condition unless I have caused any such item to be appropriately marked as a restoration or reproduction.

Applicants Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_  
Do Not Print

Applicants for membership must be recommended by two members, such recommendation being evidenced by signatures on the application. These signatures appearing below affirm to all other members the good character of the applicant.

Recommender's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ TCA # \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Please Print Name \_\_\_\_\_

Recommender's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ TCA # \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Please Print Name \_\_\_\_\_

### Send completed application with payment to:

Train Collectors Association  
Department A  
P.O. Box 248  
Strasburg, PA 17579-0248

Permanent Number \_\_\_\_\_

### Probationary to:

\*The annual dues includes a \$4.50 subscription fee for the National Headquarters News. October 2008