

Why Join TASBO?

Membership provides you with everything you need to become more skilled and effective in school business and operations. Network with colleagues, serve on committees, attend conferences and access the members-only directory. Advance your career with educational events and professional certification. Stay current with magazines, RSS feeds and email alerts. 85% of all school districts in Texas employ TASBO members – because they get a return on investment with better educated and connected school officials. Find more online at tasbo.org.



TASBO®

Texas Association of School Business Officials

What is TASBO?

We are an independent, not-for-profit professional association. The Texas Association of School Business Officials (TASBO) is dedicated to serving as the recognized source of accurate, objective school business and operations information, educating its diverse membership and constituency in professional best practices, and promoting high standards of conduct and professional ethics in the industry. Currently, we have more than 5,400 members and 30 regional affiliates, representing more than 900 school districts and charter schools in Texas.

THE trusted resource for school business and operations

TASBO Organizational Structure

The Association operates under the leadership of an executive director and the guidance of a 13 member Board of Directors, including four officers. Currently, there are 17 employees at the Austin headquarters.

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TASBO Committees

- Accounting and Finance
- Distribution & Inventory
- Governmental Relations
- Information Technology
- Internal Audit
- Maintenance & Operations
- Payroll
- PEIMS
- Personnel
- Professional Certification
- Purchasing & Supply Management
- Risk Management
- Safe Schools
- School Nutrition
- Textbooks
- Transportation



Whether you are just beginning your career or are a seasoned professional, TASBO membership provides you with everything you need to become more skilled, effective, and knowledgeable in the administration and operation of public schools.

Member benefits include:

- Networking
- Online Registration and Transcript Retrieval
- Subscription to the TASBO Report Magazine
- Best Practices Database
- Discounts on workshops and conferences
- Awards and Recognition
- Scholarships
- Online Membership Directory
- Educators Professional Liability Insurance Option
- Member Pin
- Job Listings
- Interim Business Officers Listing
- Online Legislative Updates
- TASBO Update - eNewsletter
- myTASBO - Online Community and Knowledge Management Tool



Membership Levels

TASBO's membership dues are for a 12-month period; benefits begin on the first day of the month following receipt of full payment.

- **Institutional Member** employer designates the individual and retains the right to transfer the membership.
- **Individual Member** membership held solely by the individual and is nontransferable.

Associate Member Individuals employed by a management services company or any for-profit entity. These members may participate in TASBO activities and have a voice in discussions, but they have no voting privileges and are not eligible to hold office in TASBO.

Retired Member available to TASBO members who have retired from school business management, but do not have the required years of service and/or membership to be considered for Life Memberships. Retired members may vote.

Student Member non-voting members currently enrolled in a college or university and currently pursuing an undergraduate or graduate degree in the field of business and/or education.

Life Members awarded by the Board of Directors to qualified individuals. Life members have the same privileges as active members.

“As a Technology Director, TASBO provides many opportunities to share best practices, information, and knowledge. Having access to professional development, online resources, and human networks is essential – it’s the only way we can survive in our complex environment.”

Frankie Jackson,
Director of Technology Management Systems, Goose Creek CISD

Certification

Certification offers TASBO members and non-members an opportunity to expand their professional credibility and knowledge base. It also provides school business officials with a level of respect and recognition among their peers along with a more competitive edge in the job market. Through year-round certification courses across Texas, TASBO offers three categories of certification:

- **Registered Texas School Business Administrator (RTSBA),**
- **Certified Texas School Business Official (CTSBO), and**
- **Certified Texas School Business Specialist (CTSBS).**

Research Committees & Affiliates TASBO is organized on the volunteer committee principle with 14 research committees and two standing committees serving as the basic, fundamental force within the Association. There are also 30 regional TASBO affiliates in Texas. Affiliates are local organizations or specialty groups (such as Maintenance and Operations) which subscribe to the same mission and purpose as TASBO, i.e. to advance the profession through education, communication, recognition, information, and innovation.

Consulting & Data Services

TASBO offers experienced and innovative consulting & data services, which include:

- Management Consulting Services
- Research Services
- Legislative Information Pipeline
- State Funding Consultation
- eFACTS+ Online Management Tool

“TASBO has definitely enhanced my personal growth as a school business professional. I’ve taken what I have learned and translated it to real-world solutions for my district. It adds up.”

Clay Goehring,
Business Director, La Grange ISD



Member Information PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT

FULL NAME _____

NICKNAME/INFORMAL _____

TITLE _____ DISTRICT/ORGANIZATION Please do not abbreviate name _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

PHONE _____ FAX _____ ESC REGION _____

EMAIL _____ As a member of TASBO, you will receive communications by email to keep you updated on current topics, training and other benefits

Membership Levels & Types SELECT A OR B. DUES ARE FOR A 12-MONTH PERIOD. BENEFITS BEGIN ON THE FIRST DAY OF THE MONTH FOLLOWING RECEIPT OF FULL PAYMENT.

A. Active Membership (based on salary)
TASBO Active Memberships are individual which stays with the member if he/she changes employers; or institutional which can be transferred to another employee at the request of the employer.

- 1. Type:** **Individual** (Stays with Member) **Institutional** (Stays with Employer)
- 2. Salary/Dues:** to \$29,999/**\$85** \$30,000 - \$39,999/**\$105** \$40,000 +/**\$125**

B. Other Memberships
 Student, \$85 **Retired, \$45** **Associate** (business, vendor, etc.) **\$125**

An individual employed by a management services company or any for-profit entity must join as an associate member.

Professional Liability Insurance MUST BE PURCHASED AT THE TIME YOU JOIN OR RENEW YOUR MEMBERSHIP. RUNS CONCURRENT WITH MEMBERSHIP YEAR. YOU MUST BE AN ACTIVE, VOTING MEMBER TO BE ELIGIBLE FOR COVERAGE.

Yes, I want to purchase optional professional liability coverage. I accept the extra charge of **\$45**. Of the \$45.00 total fee for professional liability insurance, the insurance premium is \$36.00, state taxes and fees of 4.91% are \$1.77, and \$7.23 is retained as a TASBO administrative fee.

Payment Method MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO TASBO AND MAIL TO 2538 S. CONGRESS AVE, AUSTIN, TX 78704. IF USING CREDIT CARD FAX TO (512) 462-1782. PURCHASE ORDERS ARE NOT ACCEPTED FOR DUES PAYMENTS.

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Demographic Information PLEASE MARK THE PRIMARY FUNCTION OF YOUR POSITION. SELECT ONLY ONE:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> AUD Auditor | <input type="checkbox"/> PAY Payroll | <input type="checkbox"/> STU Student |
| <input type="checkbox"/> AST Assoc./Asst. Superintendent | <input type="checkbox"/> PEI PEIMS | <input type="checkbox"/> SUP Superintendent |
| <input type="checkbox"/> DIS Distribution/Inventory | <input type="checkbox"/> PER Personnel | <input type="checkbox"/> TRN Transportation |
| <input type="checkbox"/> FIN Finance | <input type="checkbox"/> PUR Purchasing | <input type="checkbox"/> TXB Textbooks |
| <input type="checkbox"/> GCM Graphics Communications Mgt. | <input type="checkbox"/> RMG Risk Management | <input type="checkbox"/> OTR Other |
| <input type="checkbox"/> MAO Mainten./Operations/Facilities | <input type="checkbox"/> SAF Safety | |