



## Become a member of Micah Projects

### Supporting a just, safe and sustainable community

#### What does membership mean?

Membership means supporting Micah Projects, a community-based not for profit organisation with a vision to create justice and respond to injustice at the personal, social and structural levels in church, government, business and society.

#### Why does membership matter?

As a member, you will support Micah Projects to work in our community to fulfill our vision and mission to break social isolation and build a stronger, safer and more inclusive community. You are also eligible to join the Nominations Committee to ensure suitable candidates are found for Director selection from year to year.

#### Why Micah Projects is unique?

Since its beginning in 1995, Micah Projects' mission has been to respond to people who experience exclusion, poverty, injustice, violence and social isolation so that they may experience inclusion, economic wellbeing, justice, safety and connection within their community of choice. We believe it is possible to prevent and end homelessness, eliminate poverty and injustice, and create equality and safety in relationships, families and community. We are a community-based organisation making a real difference.

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Micah Projects' membership is **free** (no fee payable) for anyone with a desire to improve the lives of others by creating a just, safe and sustainable community.

**To apply to become a member please complete the membership application form on the next page and return via post or email.**

#### Our Constitutional Objectives are to:

- » **Provide assistance**, financial and non-financial, to people experiencing poverty and financial hardship
- » **Provide quality ethical services** to people who are disadvantaged, experiencing poverty and financial hardship
- » Enable people to **create justice** and respond to injustice at the personal, social and structural levels in church and society
- » **Network** in the wider community and identify grassroots activities which can be supported and resourced by Micah Projects
- » **Advocate** with people with lived experience of poverty and inequality, violence and trauma to bring about a more just and equitable society
- » Initiate and lobby for **structural change** to bring about a more just and equitable society
- » Develop **community education** by reflecting with people who have lived experienced of poverty and inequality, violence and trauma, to highlight injustice and discrimination that is experienced in church and society.

# Membership Application Form

\*\* (This form is **interactive** and can be completed digitally or printed and written by hand.

Note: If completing digitally, please print to sign then scan and return by email or post to Micah Projects.)

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All applications will be considered by Micah Projects' Board and you will receive confirmation in a timely manner.

## Personal details

Given name \_\_\_\_\_

Family name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Postcode \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

## Preferred address for contact:

Email

Mail

Are you happy to receive occasional emails about services / events? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

## Please let us know why you would like to become a member of Micah Projects:

## **Declaration**

I hereby apply to become a member of Micah Projects Limited. In doing so, I declare my support for Micah Projects' mission and objectives: provide assistance and quality ethical services, create justice, network, advocate for structural change and develop community education. As a member, I agree that my liability is limited to \$1.00, should the organisation be wound up in accordance with the provisions of a company limited by guarantee.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_

**Please return signed and completed form by mail or email:**

Micah Projects Limited Membership, PO Box 3449, South Brisbane Q 4101

Email: [secretary@micahprojects.org.au](mailto:secretary@micahprojects.org.au)

Privacy discloser: The information you provided on this form is 'personal information' pursuant to the Privacy Act 1998 (Cth) and is being collected for processing your application. The intended recipient of this information will be Micah Projects Limited. You have a right of access to alter any personal information concerning yourself held by Micah Projects Limited in accordance with the Privacy Act.