

## **4. MEMBERSHIP**

### **4.1. Application**

There shall be one membership register. A Member commences membership when the application for membership has been agreed by the Board and placed on the register.

There are three ways of becoming a member:

4.1.1 Payment - Payment of the membership fee and completion of a membership form as prescribed by the Board.

4.2.1 Participants - Persons who register with a program or service of Goodwood Community Services Inc. and who complete a membership form as prescribed by the Board.

4.2.2 Contributors - Persons who meet the definition of a contributor and are invited by the Board of Goodwood Community Services to become a member. Their name shall be added to the membership roll for the year of the invitation and shall lapse thereafter unless renewed by invitation.

4.3 **Membership** A person shall remain a member until the Board at its discretion agrees the cancellation on grounds of;

4.3.1 Failure to pay any fee prescribed by an AGM, or

4.3.2 They have ceased to be registered with a service or program of GCS for a period greater than one year or

4.3.3 They have resigned.

### **4.4 Register of User Members**

A register of all Members must be kept and contain the name and address of each member and the date on which each member was admitted to the association.

### **4.5 Refusal of Membership**

4.5.1 The Board may refuse to accept a membership application or accept its continuation on the grounds that the granting or maintaining the membership will be a detrimental to the interests of the Association. The applicant concerned may appeal the determination at the next general meeting of the Association.

### **4.6 Membership Fee**

4.6.1 The Annual General Meeting shall set the membership fee on advice from the Board. The initial fee shall be One Dollar (\$1) and shall remain so unless otherwise agreed by an AGM.

Please note all those on the present membership list of GCS (as of 30 June 2023) have been contacted and notified of the AGM by the email as provided by the member.