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## AMRG Prospective Member Pathway

This document's purpose is to outline how a member of the general public becomes a fully operational AMRG member. It is intended to help members understand how to move forward and to set expectations for how they will progress to an Operational Member.

The process is as follows:

1. Interested members of the public can submit an application July 1- Oct 1 to [applications@amrg.org](mailto:applications@amrg.org).
2. Applicants are encouraged to start coming to training meetings (Thurs only) starting in September.
3. The AMRG Board reviews submitted applications in October.
4. The names of applicants are sent out to all AMRG Members (Prospective and Operational) for any feedback or concerns about accepting person as a trainee (14 days).
5. AMRG Board approves applications at the first Board meeting in November and notifies applicants whether they are accepted by Nov 10.
6. Applicants who are accepted are moved to AMRG Trainee status and provided with the AMRG Trainee Packet that describes the Basic Training Program and requirements to advance to Prospective Status.
7. Trainees are required to complete the full Basic Training Program, currently scheduled for January-February. If a Trainee does not complete the program, they do not advance to Prospective Member.
8. Once the Trainee has completed the Basic Training Program, Board approves Trainee to be moved to AMRG Prospective Member, added to D4H, and can begin attending all AMRG training events and can respond to missions.
9. Prospective Members must meet the AMRG Tier 1 Operational Member Participation requirements while working to complete the Operational Member Checklist.
10. Once a Prospective Member has met all Operational Checklist requirements, the Prospective Member can submit their Operational Checklist to the Board for approval as an Operational Member.
11. If a Prospective Member does not complete the Operational Checklist within 18 months of becoming a Prospective Member, the Board will review the member's status and decide if the member should remain within the organization.