

Member Transfer Process

Members wishing to Transfer Chapters require the Member to submit a <u>Chapter Transfer Request Form</u> via their Regional website > Member & LT Resources > Chapter Transfer Resources.

Once submitted, the form will be routed to the Area Director over the *outgoing* Chapter. It will then be the responsibility of the AD to:

- 1. Conduct due diligence on the transfer, including informing and discussing transfer with outgoing Chapter.
- 2. Approve the transfer by replying to the routed email from the Ops Team.
- 3. Communicate the decision to Member.

If transfer request is approved, the Regional Ops Team will drop the Member from their current Chapter and send them a link to apply to the new Chapter.

**IMPORTANT NOTE: Member should select Certificate of Credit as the payment option and use the same email address that was in their previous profile.

- 4. New Chapter Membership Committee processes the application and if approved, VP approves the application in BNI Connect.
- 5. Regional Ops Team reconciles the application which reestablishes the Membership. There is no longer a minimum requirement of months on a Certificate of Credit for Member to transfer to transfer. Additionally, no application fee is due when there is a COC used for a new Member.