Purpose:
To clearly define eligibility requirements for waiving membership fees for membership of OLLI at UNLV

Scope:
Membership fees will be waived for each semester where the eligible person actively participates in the appropriate role listed below

Definitions:
OLLI: Osher Lifelong Learning Institute
Steering Council: SC
Semester: OLLI at UNLV currently has three semesters, Spring, Summer, and Fall.

Eligibility:
1. **Lifetime member:**
   Lifetime memberships are awarded by the following;
   a. The Chairperson of the Steering Council accepts nominations from the OLLI membership, and, if necessary has the authority to convene an ad hoc committee to consider the nominations
   b. The Chairperson may present no more than one nomination to the SC at the April meeting to award a Lifetime Membership
   c. Candidates have to have been an active member of OLLI for at least three (3) years
   d. Candidates must have made significant contributions to the OLLI program

2. **Instructor and actively participating co-Instructor:**
   a. Instructors and one co-Instructor for each class will have membership fees waived while participating in the current semester.

3. **Steering Council members:**
   a. SC members elected to serve on the OLLI SC will have membership fees waived while actively serving on the SC during their elected term as defined in Article Four of the Statement of Policies of OLLI at UNLV.

4. **Committee chair and co-chair, Ad-hoc committee and co-chair:**
   a. Standing Committee, Ad-hoc committee chairs and co-chairs as appointed by the SC Chairperson and approved by the SC will have membership fees waived during their term of service. The Standing Committees are listed in Article Five of the Statement of Policies of OLLI at UNLV.
   b. A former Committee Chair/Co-Chair whose committee has been converted into a sub-committee by the SC may have their membership fees waived, at the discretion of the SC, for the following semester only (not counting the summer semester).

Revision history
A: 1.Outline format 2. revised eligibility for Lifetime Members B. 1. Updated to reflect current Statement of Polices references 2.Doc # changed to reflect issuing authority

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5. **Scholarships:**
   
a. Scholarships are awarded by the Membership Committee Chair or Co-chair.
   
b. Scholarships are granted on the basis that financial hardship would make OLLI membership otherwise un-affordable to the applicant.
   
i. This is determined by a confidential interview with the applicant.
      
      1. Proof of hardship is not required.
      2. The duration of the award is for one semester.
      3. Scholarship grantees will remain anonymous except to the OLLI UNLV Director.
      4. Scholarship applicants must have been a paid member during the previous full semester.