

## Membership Application

Membership in the Mississippi Beef Cattle Improvement Association is \$5 annually or \$100 for a lifetime membership.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Farm Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
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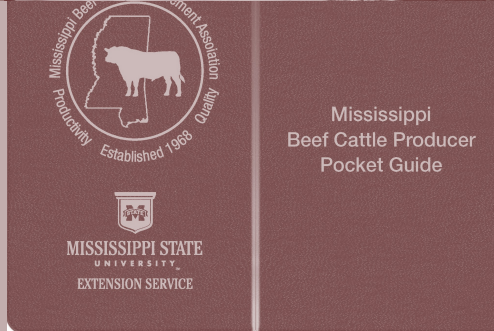
City: \_\_\_\_\_

State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

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## Mississippi BCIA

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The MBCIA focuses on genetic improvement of Mississippi beef herds.

The association encourages the production and identification of genetically superior animals by purebred breeders and promotes the use of these cattle by commercial producers through sale offerings.

The purposes of the MBCIA are to:

- promote the use of performance records as a tool for herd improvement
- emphasize economically important traits that can be improved through selection and culling based on performance records
- encourage good management practices



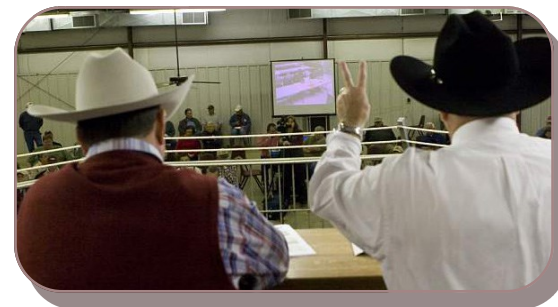
### Member Benefits

Member benefits include access to and information about:

- monthly MBCIA newsletter
- annual membership meeting
- bull marketing programs
- centralized bull testing programs
  - Hinds Community College Bull Test
  - Gain-on-Forage Bull Test
- ultrasound body composition scanning
- Miss Premium replacement heifers
- feeder calf marketing programs
- Mississippi Farm to Feedlot program
- Cattlemen's Exchange groups
- BIF producer awards
- MBCIA educational projects
- Leadership opportunities on the MBCIA board of directors

### Quality and Productivity

The MBCIA promotes the use of high-quality Mississippi-raised herd sires. These bulls can be readily compared with other bulls on a national basis using expected progeny differences. Breed-leading genetics are found in Mississippi



bulls of many breeds. Beyond bulls, Mississippi is home to well-managed feeder calves and heifers. These cattle are better adapted and ready to perform.

### Contact MBCIA

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