



**NEIGHBORS 4 NEIGHBORS**  
(FRIENDS OF THE DESERT VILLAGE INITIATIVE INC.)  
**MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION**

Return with check made out to *Desert Village Initiative, Inc.* for \$100.00 per household to Club Slot #2 (in alcove near For Sale Board), or mail to:  
38180 Del Webb Blvd-PMB #58, Palm Desert, CA 92211

**OCCUPANTS OF HOUSEHOLD (If more than two occupants, use an additional form.)**

Name:	Name:
Date of Birth:	Date of Birth:
I am a Veteran: Y ___ N ___	I am a Veteran: Y ___ N ___
If being given a ride, I will need help with a wheelchair, walker or oxygen cart: Y ___ N ___	If being given a ride, I will need help with a wheelchair, walker or oxygen cart: Y ___ N ___

**HOUSEHOLD INFORMATION**

SCPD Street Address:	Mailing Address (if different)	District	Fulltime Resident? Y ___ N ___
Home Phone:	Cell Phone:	E-Mail Address (one per household):	
Have pets? Y ___ N ___	Type and Number of Pet(s):		

**EMERGENCY CONTACT INFORMATION**

Friend's or Relative's name:	Home Phone:
	Cell Phone:
SCPD neighbor with a key:	Home Phone:
	Cell Phone:

**FOR RENTERS ONLY**

If Member is a renter, Owner's name:	Owner has liability insurance? Y ___ N ___
Owner's Daytime Phone: (    )	

**SIGNATURES**

I affirm the accuracy of the information provided on this form. I have received a copy of this application and have read and agree to the rules and matters listed on the reverse. I agree to hold Desert Village Initiative, Inc. (DVI) and Neighbors 4 Neighbors/Friends of the Desert Village Initiative (N4N) their insurers, employees, volunteers, officers and board members and the Sun City Palm Desert Community Association harmless from and against any cost, expense or damages (including attorney's fees) arising out of or in connection with any claims brought by me, on my behalf, or through me or my insurance carrier(s) relating to DVI, N4N and any services provided by either and with respect to any equipment provided by DVI or N4N.

I recognize the need for an annual renewal, updating of critical information and payment of the annual fee. I grant permission for N4N to communicate with the above specified Emergency Contact(s). Having read the above and reverse side carefully, I am pleased to become a member of the Desert Village Initiative, Inc. and Neighbors 4 Neighbors.

Signature of Applicant:	Date:
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**The Program and Its Services:** The Desert Village Initiative, Inc. (DVI) is a non-profit California Corporation established to provide assistance to Sun City Palm Desert residents through an SCPD Resident Group of volunteers called Neighbors 4 Neighbors, Friends of the Desert Village Initiative, Inc. For convenience, we refer to our program as Neighbors 4 Neighbors.

The annual fee of \$100.00 entitles your household to receive services as follows:

- Just Checking In (a daily phone call)
- Helping Hands (small household tasks, usually Mon-Fri, usually 9:00 – 5:00)
- Going My Way (rides and errands to local destinations)
- Pet Assistance (short-term pet care in emergencies)

All services are provided by volunteers, who are good-hearted, service-minded fellow SCPD residents who receive no monetary compensation for their time.

**Requests for service** are initiated by calling the Neighbors 4 Neighbors phone number you will receive with your membership materials. Our dispatcher will be available to answer your call Monday through Friday, between the hours of 9:00 am to 5:00 pm. An alternative is for you to go to our website, anytime, [www.desertvillage.us](http://www.desertvillage.us), and click on N4N Online Service Request, fill out the form and an email will be sent to our dispatcher. Our dispatcher will contact a volunteer and have him or her call to arrange for the appointment, usually within 48 hours of your call. Services for household tasks, rides, or emergency pet care are limited to six per month.

Neighbors 4 Neighbors will make every effort to provide such services as are within our procedural guidelines; requests that are not within our guidelines cannot be met. It may occur (rarely, we trust) that no volunteer will be available for the desired time; we will make every attempt to find someone willing to work on their day off. Requests for transportation should be made three days in advance if possible. We will attempt to accommodate every request but in cases of non-availability of a volunteer for the requested date/time, or a member's limited mobility, some requests cannot be met, and must be decided on a case-by-case basis in discussion with an N4N supervisor.

**Member Approval of E-Mail Distribution of DVI Documents:** Provide one e-mail address on the reverse of this form to receive documentation via electronic mail, instead of via U.S. mail or other methods of delivery. All e-mails from DVI will be PDF format documents; to download the free Adobe Reader software needed to view PDF documents, please go to [www.adobe.com](http://www.adobe.com). Please notify DVI if your e-mail address should change. To revoke this authorization, send notice by e-mail to [Secretary@desertvillage.us](mailto:Secretary@desertvillage.us), or by mail to N4N/DVI at 38180 Del Webb Blvd PMB #58, Palm Desert, CA 92211, or using Club Mail Slot #2 in the alcove opposite the Post Office in the MV Clubhouse.

Congratulations and thanks on your decision to join the Neighbors 4 Neighbors program!