



Getting Involved

If you would like to get involved in the work of Melville and have your say on things like our services and policies, you can join our group of tenant representatives. Contact Dan Hughes on 0131 561 6466 for more information.

Becoming a member of Melville

Becoming a member of Melville Housing is not the same as becoming a tenant of Melville. Anyone over the age of 16 can become a member whether or not they are a tenant. Joining is easy. You can either:

- [Phone to ask for the short application form](#)
- [Email us \(info@melville.org.uk\)](mailto:info@melville.org.uk)
- [Pick up the form from our office in Dalkeith, or](#)
- [Download the form from our website \(www.melville.org.uk\)](http://www.melville.org.uk)

The cost is just £1 for lifetime membership and allows you to stand for election to Melville's Board and vote at general meetings.

The Board makes key decisions on how we are run. It is made up of a maximum of 15 unpaid volunteers from a variety of backgrounds and meets regularly throughout the year. Our Annual General Meeting is held each September.

We are delighted to get applications from anyone; however we are keen to make sure that our members represent the whole community. We particularly welcome disabled applicants or those with indirect experience of disability and members of ethnic minority groups.

Keeping you informed

We issue Voice, our tenant newsletter, three times a year. If you have any thoughts on Voice, or stories you'd like us to cover, please contact us.

Your contact details

Please let us know if your contact details change so that we can get in touch when necessary.

MELVILLE STAFF AND CONTRACTORS ARE HERE TO HELP YOU, SO PLEASE TREAT OUR OFFICERS AND WORKERS WITH COURTESY AND RESPECT.

Safety First

All our staff and contractors carry identification. You should always check who you let into your home. Do not let strangers into your house. If you are unsure about the identity of a caller who claims to be working for us, please phone us to make sure.