

Code of Ethics

We, the members of the Santa Barbara Rental Property Association, recognize our duty to the public and to those individuals who choose to reside in rental housing. Being ever mindful of the increasing role of the rental housing industry in providing homes, we have united ourselves for the purpose of improving the services and conditions of the rental housing industry. Therefore, we adopt this Code of Ethics as our guide in dealing with all people.

- ▶ We conduct ourselves in an honest and ethical manner at all times to better the communities of which we are a part.
- ▶ We comply with all laws and regulations applicable to the rental housing industry.
- ▶ We respect the rights and responsibilities of our residents and diligently respond to their requests.
- ▶ We believe that every resident is entitled to the quiet enjoyment of a safe and habitable residence.
- ▶ We strive to conserve natural resources and to preserve the environment.
- ▶ We believe in the value of contracts and their enforcement.
- ▶ We believe in the importance of continuing education for rental housing owners, managers and residents.
- ▶ We maintain an equitable and cooperative relationship among the members of this association and with all others who may become a part of this industry in order to further the interest of all members of this association.

