

## QUALIFICATIONS OF CONSULTING ROSARIANS

To become a Consulting Rosarian, a member of the American Rose Society:

1. Must be either a regular, joint or associate member of the American Rose Society for three consecutive years.
2. Must be an active member of a local rose society.
3. Must have grown roses of various types for at least five years and should be knowledgeable in all equipment and materials related to rose culture.
4. Must provide three letters of recommendation by any three Consulting Rosarians on the form provided by the District Consulting Rosarian Chairman.
5. Must attend an ARS school/workshop for Consulting Rosarians and complete an open book examination based on the material contained in this manual.
6. Must know and be willing to live up to the Consulting Rosarian Guide.
7. Must be willing to attend a Consulting Rosarian school or obtain four approved Consulting Rosarian continuing education credits every four years.
8. Must submit a completed individual annual report form to the District Chairman of Consulting Rosarians by February 1 of the following year.
9. Must exhibit a continuing willingness to share knowledge and an enthusiasm for the rose and the American Rose Society.

In order to maintain active status, a Consulting Rosarian:

1. Must attend a CR school or obtain 4 approved CR continuing education credits every four years.
2. Must remain a member of a local society.
3. Must not refuse to have name or method of contact listed in any reference.

## CONSULTING ROSARIAN CODE

Every Consulting Rosarian, on accepting the appointment, should be fully cognizant of the Consulting Rosarian Code and should wholeheartedly be willing to live up to the code:

“I \_\_\_\_\_ accept the honor of the official appointment as a Consulting Rosarian of the American Rose Society for the \_\_\_\_\_ District. I pledge my earnest efforts toward the increase and stimulation of membership in the American Rose Society, in cooperation with the District Director. I shall uphold the highest standards of our American Rose Society in inspiring a love and appreciation of roses and their culture. The aims and purposes of the American Rose Society shall be foremost in my mind in promoting and forming new rose societies, securing new members and serving present members and anyone interested in roses. I recognize and accept the responsibilities of this post, as well as the privilege of service.”