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OWNERSHIP APPLICATION

Please read the Co-op Ownership Agreement prior to filling out this application

Name of Owner _____

Name of Authorized Domestic Partner _____

Names of Dependents _____

Mailing Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Telephone _____ Email _____

Preferred method of contact: phone _____ email _____

1. Become a Co-op Owner!

**NOTE: A one time non-refundable \$10 processing fee must be included with first payment if choosing the installment plan. There is no processing fee for making the full investment.*

FULL OWNER INVESTMENT

_____ \$240 One-Time

MONTHLY INSTALLMENT PLAN*

_____ \$10 per Month (minimum) until paid-in-full

2. I want to help further The Co-op mission by making a donation in the amount of:

_____ \$25 _____ \$50 _____ \$100 _____ \$250 _____ \$500 _____ Other

3. I would like to volunteer for The Co-op. Please contact me! Yes _____ No _____

4. I have read and agree to all the language in the Co-op Ownership Agreement. Yes _____

5. I certify by my signature that I am at least 18 years of age and that all of the statements in this application are true, correct, and complete.

Signature _____ Date _____

**MAIL THIS
APPLICATION TO**

ORCAS FOOD COOPERATIVE **Community Grown. Community Owned.**
PO Box 913, Eastsound, WA 98245 • www.orcasfood.coop
(360)376-2009 • info@orcasfood.coop



OWNERSHIP AGREEMENT

While anyone can shop at the Orcas Food Co-op, owners receive special benefits.

Becoming a Co-op Owner

An Owner makes an investment in the Co-op by purchasing an owner equity share. The total Owner Investment is \$240. Owners, as well as Authorized Domestic Partners and Dependents, receive all owner benefits such as owner discounts on goods and services, and the ability to place special orders. Only the Owner has the opportunity to vote on Co-op policy decisions, run for office, and is eligible to receive patronage refunds.

By completing an Ownership Application and accepting ownership in the Orcas Food Cooperative (The Co-op), I hereby certify that I have read carefully and agree to the following terms and conditions:

1. I will abide by the Bylaws of The Co-op.
2. I will provide The Co-op with a current mailing address.
3. If my account is inactive as defined in the Bylaws, my ownership may be terminated.
4. Owner cards issued in association with my ownership are provided solely for my use, for the use of my authorized domestic partner, and for my dependents under the age of 19.
5. The price of ownership and other Co-op policies may be changed as the need arises through a protocol outlined in The Co-op Bylaws.
6. Patronage Refunds may be issued only to paid-in-full owners and will be issued at the discretion of the Board of Directors. I am liable for any taxes that may accrue for refunds I receive.
7. My Owner Investment is refundable at the discretion of The Co-op Board only if The Co-op has been operational for one year and if replacement capital is available at the time of request.
8. My ownership is not transferrable.
9. I may request a copy of this Ownership Agreement for my records.

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