

Types of Membership

If you are under 18 years of age, you do not need to join: you may shop at member prices without being a member.

INDIVIDUAL MEMBERSHIPS – We do not offer household/family Memberships

REGULAR MEMBER:

- Pay a one-time \$5 membership fee (non-refundable).
- Pay \$24 in equity, either all at once, or at a minimum rate of \$6 per year. Equity is refundable upon request.
- First year equity payment (\$6) and member fee (\$5) are due the day you join.

SENIOR (OVER 62) OR MEMBER WITH A DISABILITY:

- Free membership, equity and joining fees are waived.
- If the member is unable to shop in person, another person may be designated to use the membership.
- We welcome any and all suggestions for increasing the accessibility of the Co-op to all.

COOPERATIVE ACCESS PROGRAM:

- Free membership, no equity, 10% discount, renewable one-year membership.
- This membership is available to anyone whose financial condition would prevent their access to shopping at the Co-op, based on any of the following criteria:
 - A. Income from employment, pensions, retirement, or elsewhere inadequate to support basic needs.
 - B. Unemployed and without familial support and/or other financial resources.
- If you're unsure whether you qualify, the Co-op suggests using the Self-Sufficiency Calculator for Washington State, a free online resource to help determine your financial self sufficiency. There are internet stations available in our stores if you need help accessing the calculator. **The calculator can be found at www.thecalculator.org.**

BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION MEMBERSHIPS

TRADE BUSINESS OR NON-PROFIT COMMUNITY ORGANIZATION MEMBER:

- A collectively managed business or an Olympia Food Co-op supplier, or a non-profit organization.
- Free membership, no equity, 10% discount.
- Any representative of the organization may use the membership to make business-related purchases only.

BUSINESS MEMBER:

- Pay a one-time non-refundable fee of \$30. There is no equity.
- Any representative of the business may use the membership to make business related purchases only.

EQUITY & FEE INFO

- Equity is kept in the Co-op's capital account, and is refundable to active members who request to relinquish their membership.
- The one-time \$5 membership fee is non-refundable.
- For conditions of active membership, see www.olympiafood.coop or contact us at one of our locations.

Olympia Food Co-op Membership Privacy Statement

Our bylaws specify that in order for your membership to remain active, you must maintain current contact information on file with the Co-op, and keep current in your equity payments. When you sign up for membership we ask for your mailing address and email address to comply with this bylaws requirement.

We respect your privacy. The Co-op will not share, sell, lease, or provide your personal information (i.e., your name, address, telephone number, or email address) to any outside entity without your express permission.

We will use your address to communicate with you periodically about Co-op business, and to offer you general promotional opportunities. The Co-op may at times track and use general information from our Point-of-Sale system to help us provide better services to our membership. Our organizational mission statement and values with be our guide in all marketing efforts, as well as the need to maintain confidentiality and respectful relationships in all that we do.

LOCATIONS

Eastside 3111 Pacific Avenue SE Olympia, WA 98501 (360) 956-3870

Westside 921 Rogers Street NW Olympia, WA 98502 (360) 754-7666

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