

Join by mailing this form to
Monadnock Food Co-op, ATTN: MFA
34 Cypress Street, Keene, NH 03431

This application will be kept confidential.

I want to become a member-owner of the Monadnock Food Co-op and request the financial support of the Membership For All Fund.

Once accepted into the program, I will make **3 monthly payments** of **\$25** until **\$75** is paid in full. I understand that the Membership For All Fund will contribute \$125 toward the cost of my Member-Ownership.

I also understand that I am under no obligation to repay the \$125; but if in the future, I am able to pay the full amount of my membership, the co-op will use the \$125 that I pay to help others join the co-op.

If I choose to terminate my membership, I can request the \$75 I invested be returned to me and the balance, which was contributed by the co-op, be returned to the Membership For All Fund.

Voting Member-Owner's Name:

E-mail: _____

Mailing Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Phone: _____

Other Adults in Household:

(1) _____

(2) _____

Yes, please feel free to publish my first & last name plus the town where I live on the co-op's online Member-Owners list.

Member-Owner Benefits

- Member-only coupons and a percentage off purchases during Member Appreciation Days.
- A vote at the Annual Meeting giving you a say in how the co-op is governed.
- Yearly patronage refunds when the co-op achieves profitability and as authorized by the board.
- An opportunity to meet others and be a part of a thriving cooperative community.

Community Benefits

- Support for sustainable agriculture, local farmers & food producers.
- Education & information on nutrition & healthy living.
- Profits re-invested in our community.

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Membership For All Program



The Membership For All Program gives everyone, regardless of income, an opportunity to become a Member-Owner of the Monadnock Food Co-op.

How Does It Work?

Member-Ownership in the Monadnock Food Co-op costs \$200. Those in financial need who participate in the **Membership For All Program** pay 3 monthly installments of \$25 (for a total of \$75). The Membership For All Program pays the balance (\$125).

Repayment is optional, but if your future circumstances allow you to repay the \$125, that amount will be contributed back to this fund to help future Member-Owners.

Who is Eligible?



You are eligible if you value the rights and responsibilities of cooperative ownership and find that you have difficulty affording either the full \$200 membership or the \$25/month installment program.

You alone determine whether you need the support of this program. View the benefits of Member-Ownership on the backside of this brochure.

How Do I Apply?

If you are interested in enrolling in this program, please complete the application found on the next page and return it to the Co-op. Applications will be processed on a first-come, first-served basis and granted if funding is available. Please allow us two weeks to process your application.



Will My Spouse/Partner and Other Household Members Be Able to Use My Co-op Benefits?

Yes. As the Voting Member-Owner, you may extend some membership privileges to as many as two other adults living in the same household and sharing grocery shopping responsibilities. You can designate who is a household member on your application.

The Voting Member-Owner is the representative of membership and is responsible for all official cooperative transactions.

Members of your household may shop using your membership, with a household member card, and can attend Co-op events; but they may not vote or conduct other official Co-op business. If you have multiple adults in your household, you may each wish to apply for your own membership, allowing you all to participate fully in the co-op.

Please note that while member equity is potentially refundable, it is at the discretion of the Board of Directors. Member equity refunds cannot be made until the cooperative is operating at a stable level of profit.

