# Owner Application and Agreement

| **OWNER NO.** | **STAFF INITIALS**: |
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**STAFF USE ONLY:** ☐ NEW OWNER APPLICATION ☐ MAKE CHANGE TO EXISTING ACCOUNT
☐ CHECK IF CURRENTLY AGE 65 ☐ VERIFIED CA. RESIDENCY

Legal Name_____
First Middle Last

Mailing Address_____

City_____ State_____ Zip_____

Email_____ Phone_____

☐ I would like receipts to be e-mailed to me.

**ADDITIONAL CARDHOLDER INFORMATION**

**I UNDERSTAND I AM THE SOLE OWNER OF THIS ACCOUNT AND I AM THE ONLY PERSON PERMITTED TO MAKE CHANGES TO MY ACCOUNT. I MAY ADD A HOUSEHOLD SHOPPER (CARDHOLDER) TO MY ACCOUNT. I CERTIFY THIS PERSON IS LIVING IN MY HOUSEHOLD AND I UNDERSTAND HE/SHE IS ENTITLED TO SOME OF MY MEMBER BENEFITS AS LONG AS HE/SHE IS RESIDING IN MY HOUSEHOLD. I AM RESPONSIBLE FOR INFORMING THE CO-OP WHEN MY CARDHOLDER IS NO LONGER RESIDING IN MY HOUSEHOLD. THE COOPERATIVE RESERVES THE RIGHT TO LIMIT THE NUMBER OF CARDHOLDERS ON ONE ACCOUNT. OWNER INITIALS_____**

☐ **ADD OR** ☐ **REMOVE THE CARDHOLDER BELOW**

**CARDHOLDER NAME:**

**BY JOINING UKIAH NATURAL FOODS COOPERATIVE I UNDERSTAND AND AGREE TO THE FOLLOWING:**

1. Ukiah Natural Foods is a member-owned Consumer Cooperative Corporation.
2. Each owner is entitled to one vote in the affairs of the Cooperative, regardless of the number of shares owned.
3. The Cooperative provides opportunities for and benefits from the active participation of its owners.
4. I am a resident of California as required by California Cooperative Law.
5. Ownership is effective upon receipt of this application and payment of one $10.00 “A” share, and is thereafter subject to approval by the Board of Directors.
6. The total investment for FAIR SHARE ownership is $200. To remain a current owner, you must pay at least $10 every 180 days until you have reached your full FAIR SHARE investment of $200. Only current owners are eligible for owner benefits.
7. I understand I must present my owner card or number when I shop to have my patronage tracked and to receive any applicable discounts.
8. Shares of this Cooperative may not be assigned or transferred.
9. Shares are refundable upon request for withdrawal and approval by the Board of Directors. My shares will be refunded to me within 30 days of closing my account, unless the Cooperative is unable to meet its liabilities by doing so. No share refunds are made in cash.
10. If my account remains inactive for three years, it will expire and my shares will be transferred to the Co-op unless I request a refund in writing.

***I HEREBY MAKE APPLICATION FOR OWNERSHIP IN UKIAH NATURAL FOODS COOPERATIVE. I HAVE RECEIVED THE ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION, BYLAWS, AND DISCLOSURE DOCUMENT OF THE COOPERATIVE.***

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**OWNER SIGNATURE** **DATE**