

Membership is divided into 4 categories:

PARTNER: \$25.00/Year membership fee. Commitment to at least 8 hours per month of “field time” from March through October and attend regular Co-op meetings.

PARTNERS receive (1) produce box each week containing items selected by the Co-op manager for distribution on that given week. Harvesting will be performed by the **PARTNER** or their designee.

ASSOCIATE: \$50.00/Year membership fee. Commitment to at least 4 hours per month of “field time” from March through October. ASSOCIATES receive (1) produce box each week containing items selected by the Co-op manager for distribution on that given week. Harvesting will be performed by the **ASSOCIATE** or their designee.

FRIEND: \$250.00/Year membership fee. FRIENDS receive (1) produce box each week containing items selected by the Co-op manager for distribution on that given week. Harvesting will be performed by the Membership or their designee. **This membership level will be limited based on the percentage of members enrolled, due to the impact of additional workload.**

***NEIGHBOR:** No membership fee. Commitment to at least 8 hours per month of “field time” from March through October. Neighbors receive (1) produce box each week containing items selected by the Co-op manager for distribution on that given week. Harvesting will be performed by the **NEIGHBOR** or their designee. **Field Time hours required can be modified at the discretion of the Co-Op Board.**

**NEIGHBOR status is granted only for those in financial hardship. Individual terms may be modified at the discretion of the Co-op Board.*

“Field time” can be applied to any activity benefiting the entire Co-op or it’s charities whether actually occurring in the “field” or not. This would include, research, repair work, delivery and pick-up, etc.

Personal harvesting will be performed by each member within a given space of time established by the Manager. Time spent harvesting personal produce will NOT count against “field time”. Time spent harvesting for charity WILL count against “field time”.

Members will harvest where and in maximum quantities established by the Manager on any given week. Members will be notified via e-mail/web as to which items are available and in what quantities. Members need NOT take their full allotment of any item on any given week.

If the produce is not harvested within the established weekly time frame, the member’s share for that week is forfeit and that share will be harvested for charity. Prior arrangements may be made with the Co-op Manager for a substitute harvester.