CO-OP POWER MEMBER-OWNER APPLICATION

First Name:	Last Name:	
Other adults who live at the same address who can use this Member Account (up to 4):		
Address:		
City:	State:	Zip:
Day Phone:	Evening Phone:	Fax:
Cell Phone:	Email (please include):	

Choose one of the following.
____ Standard Member: I agree to pay $975 for my member equity.
____ Farmer Member: I certify that I receive more than $2,000 a year in earnings from farming, horticulture, forestry, or fishing. I agree to pay $750 for my member equity share.
____ Limited Resource Member: I certify that I have an income of less than $30,000/year and assets worth less than $25,000 excluding my home. I agree to pay $500 for my member equity.
___ Buying Group Member: I agree to pay $250 for my member equity for access to buying group benefits.

Choose one of the following five payment options.
____ It's enclosed: I have enclosed $_____.
____ Charge it: Bill my credit card (below) for $_____. (Only one-time charges can be accepted. Checks are preferred!)
____ Work Exchange: I would like to work in exchange for a membership. (Attach info on what you would like to do.)
____ My Own Payment Plan: I have enclosed $_____. I agree to send in $_____ every [__month, __quarter, or __year] until I have finished paying for my member equity share,
Automatic Withdrawal Payment Plan: Please sign me up for the Automatic Bank Account Withdrawal Program for the bank account listed below. Please withdraw the 1st payment within 30 days and then withdraw the monthly payment for the # of months shown. (The monthly payment includes a service charge of $2.50/month.)

Type of Membership	*1st Payment*	*# of Months*	*Monthly Payment*
Standard Member	$365	24	$30
Farmer Member	$260	24	$25
Limited Resource Member	$55	60	$12
Buying Group Member	$85	11	$15

Payment Information if you have chosen to bill your credit card:

Credit Card Type: ____ MC ___Visa	Credit Card #:	3 Digit Code:	Exp Date:
Name on Card:	Telephone:		
Billing Address:			
City:	State:	Zip Code:	

Monthly Payment Information: If you have chosen the automatic withdrawal payment plan, tell us which account to use:

Financial Institution:	Branch:	_____Checking _____Savings
City:	State:	Zip Code:
Bank Routing #:	Account #:	

I am signing up to be a member owner of Co-op Power using the payment option indicated above. I am joining with other members to create a sustainable and just energy future in our region by pooling our capital, purchasing power, and voting power. I will make an effort to purchase energy through the Co-op when the price, quality, and service work for me. I will let Co-op Power know when it is meeting or exceeding my expectations and when I have suggestions. I will participate in membership meetings to build consensus on how to move our cooperative forward. I understand my equity share is not an investment that provides a return or dividend and that it will not appreciate in value. I understand that I cannot sell my equity share and that I can only transfer it as a gift to a member of my immediate family. I agree to abide by the Co-op Power articles of incorporation, by-laws and membership rules found on www.cooppower.coop. I understand that if I don't provide Co-op Power with my current address for more than three consecutive years, my membership will be terminated and my equity donated to Co-op Power. I understand my equity share is equal to 50% of my member share and that it is refundable if I cancel my membership. I understand my equity can only be returned when the Co-op has the funds to do so. I understand my equity share entitles me to the benefits of membership in Co-op Power.

Signed:	Date:

Mail your Application along with your Payment to: Co-op Power, Inc. PO Box 688, Greenfield, MA 01302 (877) 266-7543 Revised 06/11

Co-op Power Membership

Member Benefits	Standard	Farmer	Limited Resource	Buying Group
One-time Member Equity Payment	$975	$750	$500	$250
Solar Hot Water System Installation ($200-500 off)	✔	✔	✔	-
Renewable Energy System Installation ($700-1,000 off)	✔	✔	✔	-
MassSave Energy Efficiency Residential Energy assessments, air sealing, and insulation	✔ (additional services provided)	✔ (additional services provided)	✔ (additional services provided)	✔
Solar Hot Water Neighbor to Neighbor Installation ($1,000-2,500 off)	✔	✔	✔	-
Energy Efficiency Neighbor to Neighbor Installation ($500-700 off)	✔	✔	✔	-
Energy Efficiency Products (10% Discount)	✔	✔	✔	-
Green Electricity	1st Priority	1st Priority	1st Priority	2nd Priority
Fuel Buying Groups (Heating oil, biodiesel, propane, & pellets organized by local organizing councils) (save $100/year)	✔	✔	✔	✔
Member Voting	✔	✔	✔	✔
Sustainability Summit (Sept, 24, 2011 Greenfield Comm. College)	Free	Free	Free	50% off
Member Loans (You can lend to Co-op Power to support new product and business development returning up to 7% interest)	✔	✔	✔	✔

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