

## **MISSION STATEMENT**

## WE PROVIDE FOOD AND GOODS PROMOTE SUSTAINABLE PRACTICES AND FOLLOW CO-OP PRINCIPLES

## STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

The Community Food Co-op is a member-owned business, committed to Cooperative Values. We bring together a community of consumers with local farmers, producers, businesses, non-profits, and other cooperatives. We provide access to high quality food at affordable prices while remaining a sustainable and profitable business.

> Bylaws excerpt: Article IV Sec. 4

To qualify as eligible for the office of Director a person:

- a) shall be a member in good standing of the CFC;
- b) shall be cognizant to CFC history, Statement of Purpose, Bylaws, and methods of operation, BOD duties and responsibilities as stated in the BOD manual;
- c) shall be committed to serving a thirty-six month term;
- d) shall not be the General Manager of the CFC; and
- e) with the exception of any one (1) Director that may be a member of the CFC staff, a Director shall not be employed by the CFC.