



Creating Vibrant Communities, Inc.

COMMUNITY SUPPORTED AGRICULTURE (CSA) MEMBERSHIP AGREEMENT

CREATING VIBRANT COMMUNITIES, INC. URBAN FARM (CVC Urban Farm) will provide an assortment of produce based on seasonality, production and availability. CVC Urban Farm CSA members will receive approximately 1/2 bushel of food per week. A full-share membership is \$400 for 13 full baskets of food. A half-share membership is available for \$250 for 13 half baskets of food. Delivery service is available for an additional fee depending upon location. Payment is due in full upon submission of this form. This agreement is subject to the terms and conditions listed below.

Subscribers can pick up their produce at site #1 – 779 Atwood Street, Atlanta GA 30310. If weather or other adverse conditions preclude pickup or delivery, CVC will schedule another day and notify subscribers of the change as soon as possible.

Name _____

Address _____

Home Telephone Number _____ Cell Number _____

Email _____

Occupation _____

Employer _____

Full Share Subscription: _____ @ \$400 for 13 full baskets _____

Half Share Subscription: _____ @ \$250 for 13 half baskets _____

Delivery Service: Y ___ N ___ @ \$100 for 13 deliveries

Member Card Fee (\$5.00) _____ (**Please note that this is a one-time charge)

Total \$ Amount Paid _____

Member # _____ (for office use only)

Though not mandatory to be a CVC Urban Farm CSA Member, I will assist CVC in the following ways:

I will volunteer to work at the CVC Urban Farm (or OWEN) on the following days: (please indicate the hours you will volunteer. For example Monday, 6:00pm to 7:00 pm)

Mon.	Tue.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.	Sat.	Sun.

***** Members will be given discounts CVC Urban Farm CSA membership fees if they agree to volunteer to work for OWEN and CVC Urban Farms. The following discounts will apply 20% for 3hrs/wk and 40% for 6hrs/wk.**

Signature _____

Date _____

Forward application form with check made payable to:

**Creating Vibrant Communities, Inc.
P.O. Box 11176
Atlanta, Ga. 30310**

Thank you for becoming a CVC Urban Farm CSA member. CSA's are a means of connecting community consumers directly to their local food source. A viable CSA means a mutual commitment between the farmer and the community consumer, representing both the production and the consumption of food. In order for CVC Urban Farm to have continuity, it must know how much to plant, for how many, and when to change crops. This is dependent on a continuous relationship with our supporters. Your prepaid memberships help reduce the risk and defer the costs of farming. In order for such CVC Urban Farm to be economically viable, it must produce a quantity and diversity of produce and receive reasonable value for such items.

We hope you will enjoy and benefit from our efforts and continue to support us. Below are the terms, conditions and guidelines governing your membership:

TERMS, CONDITIONS AND GENERAL GUIDELINES

1. By making a financial commitment to the CVC Urban Farm, you have become a "member" of the CVC Urban Farm CSA. As such, you have agreed to share both the risks (low harvest) and rewards and the benefits and the burdens of the Farm.

2. Although we hope it will not be necessary, *a \$25.00 fee will be charged for all returned checks.*

3. CVC Urban Farm works to ensure that it provides the highest quality organic produce to its customers. However, there are certain elements beyond CVC's control that may affect our crop, e.g. insects, weather conditions. If you have any problems or concerns about any of the produce you receive from CVC, please let us know immediately and give us the opportunity to address the issue.

4. The types of fruits and vegetables grown at CVC Urban Farm are selected based on, among other things, soil condition, seasonality, diversity, nutritional value and popularity. We appreciate your understanding and flexibility. CVC Urban Farm welcomes your feedback about our crop choices and will give serious consideration to your suggestions.

5. This Agreement shall be governed by and construed and enforced in accordance with the laws of the State of Georgia applicable to agreements made and to be wholly performed therein.

6. If any provision of this Agreement shall for any reason be held invalid or unenforceable by a court of competent jurisdiction, all other provisions shall continue in full force and effect.

7. Each party hereto warrants and represents that such party has entered into this Agreement voluntarily, and that such party has carefully read the Agreement.

8. Your initial purchase of a CVC Urban Farm CSA membership share will ensure that you receive 13 baskets of food for the initial term which begins the first week of _____ and runs through _____ for a total of ___ weeks. Membership shares are renewable on an annual basis upon payment of the membership renewal fee. A schedule of fees will be provided to new and returning

members at the beginning of each growing season. CVC Urban Farm reserves the right to cancel any membership in the event of non-payment or non-compliance with the terms and conditions of membership.

9. Once a box of food is prepared for you, it is your responsibility to pick it up – unless you have arranged for delivery in advance. If, however, you notify us ahead of time, we may be able to give you the option of making up the missed box in another week. For example, you can take 2 boxes in one week or have a friend pick up your box while you are away. Our ability to make this accommodation will depend on the quantity of produce available during the season.

10. In the event that a member decides to cancel his or her CVC Urban Farm CSA membership within the first two weeks of payment of the membership fee, CVC Urban Farm will refund thirty (30) percent of the fees paid. CVC Urban Farm will not be able to refund membership fees beyond the two-week cancellation period. Requests to cancel CVC Urban Farm CSA memberships must be made in writing and sent to the address provided above.