

## Why join now?

- **Now is the crucial time to join!**
- Your one-time fee of \$150 makes you a member-owner of the MOON Co-op store to be opened in Oxford, Ohio.
- This member-owner equity is needed to fund professional staffing and outfit a full-service grocery store.
- Banks consider the number of member-owners an indicator of store viability. Join now to help strengthen our loan application.
- Installment plans are available and member fees are refundable in accordance with our bylaws and policies.

**Make a difference in YOUR community — add your name to our roster of member-owners who believe the future of food is LOCAL!**

MOON Co-operative Services Inc.  
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# MOON



*Connecting our Community  
and Local Growers*

Miami Oxford Organic Network

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A co-operative is a **member-owned** business using local resources to serve members and the broader community.

MOON's mission is to empower the members of our community to live a healthy, sustainable lifestyle. How?

- Open a *full-service grocery store* in Oxford selling earth-friendly food and products
- Utilize local and regional producers to strengthen the local economy
- Reduce adverse impacts of long-distance shipping and shopping
- Inform consumers of where their food comes from and how it is produced

## The Co-op Difference

Unlike most businesses that make decisions primarily to maximize profits, co-operatives make decisions to maximize service to their member-owners and the broader community.

- Provide a place to share diverse foods and cultures

We plan to sell organic and other high-quality local produce, meats, bulk items, vitamins, fair trade coffee, natural self-care products, biodegradable cleaners and more.

## Member-Owner Benefits

- Democratically controlled by members — vote and run for Board of Directors
- Preserve local farmland by helping to make local farms profitable
- Support organic and sustainable farm practices
- Buy fresh and local food every day all year
- Member-only specials
- As our profits increase, so will the benefits

More information and membership application forms are available on our web site:  
[www.mooncoop.com](http://www.mooncoop.com)

Graphic design donated by Co-op member Carole Katz

Claim your piece of the MOON — become a member-owner today. Makes a great gift, too!

One-time investment of \$150\*

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_  
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Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

## Now 3 easy ways to join!

- Pay **on-line** at [www.mooncoop.com](http://www.mooncoop.com)
- Make out a **check** to **MOON Co-operative Services, Inc.**
- Use your **credit card**

VISA    MC   \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
amount

\_\_\_\_\_ exp. date  
card number

\_\_\_\_\_ name as it appears on card

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\* *Installment plan available. Call 523-3990 for details.*