

PREMIER AG CO-OP, INC

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION AND AGREEMENT

The undersigned hereby applies for membership in Premier Ag Co-op, Inc. (The "Association").

Member's Name (Print): _____ Title (if Applicable): _____

Address: Street _____ City/State/Zip _____

Phone Number: (____) _____ e-mail Address _____ Date of Birth ____ _

Lived at Present Address ____ years Occupation other than farming, _____

Member Entity: Individual _____ Partnership _____ Corporation _____ Other _____

In making this application, the Member agrees, and consents as follows upon acceptance of this application by the Association's Board of Directors:

1. That Member is an agricultural producer, or otherwise has an interest in the production of agricultural products or is an association of such producers, and hereby represents that Member meets the eligibility requirements as stated in the Association's bylaws.
2. That Member understands that retention of Member's voting common stock in the Association is dependent upon Member meeting minimum annual marketing and product or service purchase levels and other requirements as stated in the Association's bylaws. Such annual minimum marketing and purchase requirements are subject to adjustment from time to time by the Association's Board of Directors/members.
3. That Member has had the opportunity to review the bylaws of the Association and agrees to abide by the provisions contained therein and as amended in the future.
4. That Member, by accepting this membership, consents that the amount of any distributions with respect to the member's patronage which are made in written notices of allocation (as defined in 26 U.S.C. 1388), and which are received by the Member from the Association, will be taken into account by the Member at their stated dollar amounts in the manner provided in 26 U.S.C. 1385 (a) in the tax year in which such written notices of allocation are received.
5. That Member has completed and signed IRS Form W-9, Payer's Request for Taxpayer Identification Number. This form is attached to this application.
6. That Member specifically agrees to the provisions of Article XI, Section 6 of the Association's bylaws regarding unclaimed patronage refunds and credits (whether in the form of accounts or securities issued in redemption of such credits) and other member accounts and investments that may be owed to Member by the Association at some future date when Member's whereabouts may not be ascertainable to the Association.
7. That this agreement is not transferable unless such transfer is approved by the Association's Board of Directors.
8. That, if Member is an entity other than an individual, the entity will, upon request, keep on file with the Association's corporate secretary a written record of the person currently designated to vote on behalf of the Member entity. Member understands that the designated person is the only person who will be able to cast the entity's vote until the Association is notified of a new designated representative.
9. That Member agrees to cooperate with the Association, if so requested, in signing and/or filing the necessary documents to secure the Association's lien interest in Member's equity instruments and accounts as established in Article X of the Association's bylaws.

Upon acceptance of this application by the Association's Board of Directors, the Association will use one share of voting common stock with a par value of five dollars (\$5.00) to the Member.

The membership established by this agreement shall remain in effect until the Association's Board of Directors finds that the Member is no longer eligible for membership under the Association's bylaw provisions, or until the Member notifies the Association in writing of the intention to terminate this membership. Redemption of the Member's voting common stock share will be at the discretion of the Board of Directors under bylaw provisions of the Association.

Member's Signature: _____ Date _____

FARM LOCATION (S): _____

FARM DATA: Acreage owned _____ Acreage rented _____ No of years farming experience ____
Landlord's name and address, _____

TYPE OF FARMING: Grain _____ Livestock _____
No. of Acres Type No. of Head

Are you currently patronizing Premier Ag Co-op, Inc.? ___ Yes ___ Other

If Yes - Check all areas that apply. ___ Agronomy ___ Energy ___ Grai ___ Other

The above application for membership in Premier Ag Co-op. INC. is accepted this _____ day of

A payment of \$5.00 for one share of voting common stock was received _____. A completed Form W9 is attached.

By _____
Officer's Signature Title

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SUMMARY OF BYLAW PROVISIONS

Qualifications for Membership. (a) The members of the Association shall be the holders of its voting common stock who are qualified to hold same in accordance with the provisions of the Articles of Incorporation and of these Bylaws, and who patronize and cooperate with the Association.

(b.) Any person, partnership, corporation or association who or which is a producer of agricultural products, or who or which by virtue of being a landlord or tenant, shares or has an interest in the production of agricultural products, and any association of such producers may become a member by patronizing this Association and acquiring at least one (1) share of its voting common stock, and may remain a member of this Association so long as he or it is a producer, has an interest in the production of agricultural products or is an association of such producers and continues to patronize this Association.

(c.) No person, partnership, corporation or association shall be deemed to be a patron of this Association if they have not patronized or done business with this Association at the minimum required levels during the immediately preceding three fiscal years. The minimum patronage amount shall be reviewed and adjusted from time to time to establish a reasonable minimum patronage level to be eligible to be a voting member of the Association.

(d.) The Board of Directors shall have the right to permit or deny the acquisition or retention of voting common stock of this Association by any patron otherwise eligible for such ownership, if the Board of Directors determines that allowing the acquisition or retention of such status would be contrary to the interests of the Association and its members.

(e.) Any member terminated under (c) or (d) shall have the right to appeal such decision through a hearing before the Board of Directors at the next board meeting following such termination.

Request for Taxpayer Identification Number and Certification

Go to www.irs.gov/FormW9 for instructions and the latest information.

**Give form to the
requester. Do not
send to the IRS.**

Before you begin. For guidance related to the purpose of Form W-9, see *Purpose of Form*, below.

Print or type. See Specific Instructions on page 3.	1	Name of entity/individual. An entry is required. (For a sole proprietor or disregarded entity, enter the owner's name on line 1, and enter the business/disregarded entity's name on line 2.)		
	2	Business name/disregarded entity name, if different from above.		
	3a	Check the appropriate box for federal tax classification of the entity/individual whose name is entered on line 1. Check only one of the following seven boxes. <input type="checkbox"/> Individual/sole proprietor <input type="checkbox"/> C corporation <input type="checkbox"/> S corporation <input type="checkbox"/> Partnership <input type="checkbox"/> Trust/estate <input type="checkbox"/> LLC. Enter the tax classification (C = C corporation, S = S corporation, P = Partnership) _____ Note: Check the "LLC" box above and, in the entry space, enter the appropriate code (C, S, or P) for the tax classification of the LLC, unless it is a disregarded entity. A disregarded entity should instead check the appropriate box for the tax classification of its owner. <input type="checkbox"/> Other (see instructions) _____	4 Exemptions (codes apply only to certain entities, not individuals; see instructions on page 3): Exempt payee code (if any) _____ Exemption from Foreign Account Tax Compliance Act (FATCA) reporting code (if any) _____ <i>(Applies to accounts maintained outside the United States.)</i>	
	3b	If on line 3a you checked "Partnership" or "Trust/estate," or checked "LLC" and entered "P" as its tax classification, and you are providing this form to a partnership, trust, or estate in which you have an ownership interest, check this box if you have any foreign partners, owners, or beneficiaries. See instructions <input type="checkbox"/>		
	5	Address (number, street, and apt. or suite no.). See instructions.	Requester's name and address (optional)	
	6	City, state, and ZIP code		
	7	List account number(s) here (optional)		

Part I Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN)

Enter your TIN in the appropriate box. The TIN provided must match the name given on line 1 to avoid backup withholding. For individuals, this is generally your social security number (SSN). However, for a resident alien, sole proprietor, or disregarded entity, see the instructions for Part I, later. For other entities, it is your employer identification number (EIN). If you do not have a number, see *How to get a TIN*, later.

Social security number									
				-					
or									
Employer identification number									

Note: If the account is in more than one name, see the instructions for line 1. See also *What Name and Number To Give the Requester* for guidelines on whose number to enter.

Part II Certification

Under penalties of perjury, I certify that:

1. The number shown on this form is my correct taxpayer identification number (or I am waiting for a number to be issued to me); and
2. I am not subject to backup withholding because (a) I am exempt from backup withholding, or (b) I have not been notified by the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) that I am subject to backup withholding as a result of a failure to report all interest or dividends, or (c) the IRS has notified me that I am no longer subject to backup withholding; and
3. I am a U.S. citizen or other U.S. person (defined below); and
4. The FATCA code(s) entered on this form (if any) indicating that I am exempt from FATCA reporting is correct.

Certification instructions. You must cross out item 2 above if you have been notified by the IRS that you are currently subject to backup withholding because you have failed to report all interest and dividends on your tax return. For real estate transactions, item 2 does not apply. For mortgage interest paid, acquisition or abandonment of secured property, cancellation of debt, contributions to an individual retirement arrangement (IRA), and, generally, payments other than interest and dividends, you are not required to sign the certification, but you must provide your correct TIN. See the instructions for Part II, later.

Sign Here	Signature of U.S. person	Date
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General Instructions

Section references are to the Internal Revenue Code unless otherwise noted.

Future developments. For the latest information about developments related to Form W-9 and its instructions, such as legislation enacted after they were published, go to www.irs.gov/FormW9.

What's New

Line 3a has been modified to clarify how a disregarded entity completes this line. An LLC that is a disregarded entity should check the appropriate box for the tax classification of its owner. Otherwise, it should check the "LLC" box and enter its appropriate tax classification.

New line 3b has been added to this form. A flow-through entity is required to complete this line to indicate that it has direct or indirect foreign partners, owners, or beneficiaries when it provides the Form W-9 to another flow-through entity in which it has an ownership interest. This change is intended to provide a flow-through entity with information regarding the status of its indirect foreign partners, owners, or beneficiaries, so that it can satisfy any applicable reporting requirements. For example, a partnership that has any indirect foreign partners may be required to complete Schedules K-2 and K-3. See the Partnership Instructions for Schedules K-2 and K-3 (Form 1065).

Purpose of Form

An individual or entity (Form W-9 requester) who is required to file an information return with the IRS is giving you this form because they