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## BUSINESS MEMBERSHIP AND ACCOUNT AGREEMENT

This Business Membership and Account Agreement ("Agreement") covers the rights and responsibilities concerning accounts held by a business or organization account owner ("Account Owner") and the credit union providing this agreement ("Credit Union"). In this Agreement, the words "you," "your" and "yours" mean the Account Owner as well as each person signing a Business Account Card or other account opening document ("Account Card") or for which membership and/or service requests are otherwise approved. The words "we," "us," and "our" mean the Credit Union. The word "account" means any one or more share or deposit accounts you have with the Credit Union.

#### THIS AGREEMENT CONTAINS AN ARBITRATION PROVISION – SEE SECTION 35 FOR MORE DETAILS.

**IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT PROCEDURES FOR OPENING A NEW ACCOUNT -** To help the government fight the funding of terrorism and money laundering activities, federal law requires all financial institutions to obtain, verify, and record information that identifies each person who opens an account.

What this means for you: When you open an account, we will ask for your name, address, date of birth, if applicable, and other information that will allow us to identify you. We may also ask to see your driver's license or other identifying documents.

1. **CONTRACT** - Your account with the Credit Union is held individually in the name of the Account Owner. By signing an Account Card or authenticating your request, or by adding, changing or continuing to use your accounts and services, you agree to the terms and conditions in this Agreement, the Account Card, any Funds Availability Policy Disclosure, rate sheet, fee schedule, Account Receipt or other disclosure we provide to you, the Credit Union Bylaws or Code of Regulations (Bylaws), Credit Union policies, and any amendments we make to these documents from time to time, all of which collectively govern your membership, accounts and services. You also agree that your accounts and services are governed by applicable present and future federal and state laws, local banking customs and clearinghouse rules.

2. MEMBERSHIP ELIGIBILITY - To join the Credit Union, the Account Owner must meet the membership requirements including as applicable, purchasing and maintaining a minimum share balance (hereinafter membership share) and/or paying a membership fee, as set forth in the Credit Union's Bylaws or established from time to time by the Credit Union's Board of Directors. You authorize us to check your account, credit and employment history, and obtain reports from third parties, including credit reporting agencies, to verify your eligibility for the accounts, products and services you request and for other accounts, products, or services we may offer you or for which you may qualify.

### 3. ACCOUNT ACCESS

**a**. **Authorized Persons.** The following are deemed Authorized Persons who may establish accounts at the Credit Union and act on behalf of the Account Owner with respect to such accounts:

- If the Account Owner is a sole proprietorship, the business owner and any person designated by the business owner;
- If the Account Owner is a partnership, each partner (or, for a limited partnership, the general partner or those partners as otherwise established by the partnership agreement) and any person designated by the partners; or
- If the Account Owner has any other form of organization or is an unincorporated organization or association, the individuals vested with the power to make decisions concerning the operation of the Account Owner must designate the persons authorized to establish accounts at the Credit Union and transact business on such accounts on behalf of the Account Owner.

**b.** Authority. Authorized Persons are vested with authority to open and close accounts on behalf of the Account Owner and transact business of any nature on such accounts, including but not limited to the following:

- Depositing, withdrawing and transferring funds into, out of and between one or more accounts;
- Signing checks, drafts and other orders for payment or withdrawal;
- Issuing instructions regarding orders for payment or withdrawal;
- Endorsing any check, draft, certificate, share certificate and any other instrument or order for payment owned or held by the Account Owner; and
- Receiving information of any nature about the account.

We have no obligation to inquire as to the use of any funds or the purpose of any transaction made on your account by an Authorized Person and are not responsible for any transaction by an Authorized Person.

We will not be liable for refusing to honor any item or instruction if we believe the signature is not genuine. It is your responsibility to provide us with specimen signatures of all Authorized Persons and to inform us immediately in writing of any changes. If you have authorized the use of a facsimile signature of any Authorized Person, we may honor any document that appears to bear the facsimile signature.

**c.** Access Options. You may access your account in any manner we permit including, for example, in person at one of our branch offices, at an ATM or point-of-sale device, or by mail, telephone, automatic transfer, internet access, or mobile application. Authorized Persons may execute additional agreements and documents we require to access, transact business on and otherwise exercise authority over your account. We may return as unpaid any check or draft drawn on a form we do not provide. Any losses, expenses or fees we incur as a result of handling such a check or draft will be charged to your account.

**d.** Credit Union Examination. We may disregard information on any check or draft, other than the signature of the drawer, the amount of the item and any magnetic encoding. You agree we do not fail to exercise ordinary care in paying an item solely because our procedures do not provide for sight examination of items.

4. DEPOSIT OF FUNDS REQUIREMENTS - Funds may be deposited to your accounts in any manner approved by the Credit Union and in accordance with any requirements set forth on our business account rate sheet and fee schedule. We have the right to refuse any deposit, limit the amount that may be offered for deposit, and return all or any part of a deposit. Deposits made by mail, at night depositories or other unstaffed facilities are not our responsibility until we receive them.

a. Endorsements. We may accept transfers, checks, drafts, and other items for deposit into any of your accounts if they are made payable to or to the order of the Account Owner, even if they are not endorsed. If an insurance, government, or other check or draft requires an endorsement, we may require that it be endorsed as set forth on the item. We may but are not required to accept, whether for cash or other value, checks, drafts, or items made payable to the Account Owner, provided such items are endorsed with an original or facsimile signature of an Authorized Person. Endorsements must be made on the back of the check or draft within 1<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> inches from the top edge, although we may accept endorsements outside this space. However, any loss we incur due to a delay or processing error resulting from an irregular endorsement or other markings by you or any prior endorser will be your responsibility. If we offer a remote deposit capture service and you have been approved to use the service to make deposits to your account, you agree that, prior to transmitting check or draft images, you will restrictively endorse each original check or draft in accordance with any other agreement with us that governs this service. For accounts held at credit unions located in New York: If a check, draft, or item that is payable to two (2) or more persons is ambiguous as to whether it is payable to either or both, we will process the check, draft, or item as though it is payable to all such persons. For accounts held at credit unions located in states other than New York: If a check, draft or other item that is payable to two or more persons is ambiguous as to whether it is payable to either or both, we may process the check, draft or item as though it is payable to either person.

**b.** Collection of Items. We act only as your agent, and we are not responsible for handling items for deposit or collection beyond the exercise of ordinary care. We are not liable for the loss of an item in transit or the negligence of any correspondent. Each correspondent will only be liable for its own negligence. We may send any item for collection. Items drawn on an institution located outside the United States are handled on a collection basis only. You waive any notice of nonpayment, dishonor, or protest regarding items we purchase or receive for credit or collection to your account. We reserve the right to pursue collection of previously dishonored items at any time, including giving a payor financial institution extra time beyond any midnight deadline limits.

**c. Restrictive Legends.** Some checks and drafts contain restrictive legends or similar limitations on the front of the item. Examples of restrictive legends include "two signatures required," "void after 60 days," and "not valid over \$500.00." We are not liable for payment of any check or draft contrary to a restrictive legend or other limitation contained in or on the item unless we have specifically agreed in writing to the restriction or limitation.

**d.** Final Payment. All items and Automated Clearinghouse (ACH) transfers credited to your account are provisional until we receive final payment. If final payment is not received, we may charge your account for the amount of such items and impose a return item fee on your account. Any collection fees we incur may also be charged to your account. We reserve the right to refuse or return any item or funds transfer.

e. Direct Deposits. We may offer direct deposit services, including preauthorized deposits (e.g. payroll checks, Social Security or retirement checks, or other government checks) or preauthorized transfers from other accounts. You must authorize direct deposits by completing a separate authorization document. You must notify us if you wish to cancel or change a direct deposit or preauthorized transfer. Any cancellation or change will become effective once we receive notice from you and have a reasonable period of time to act on your request. If we are required to reimburse a government agency for any benefit payment directly deposited into your account, we may deduct the amount returned from any of your accounts, unless prohibited by law. If your account is overdrawn, you authorize us

to deduct the amount your account is overdrawn from any deposit, including deposits of government payments or benefits.

f. Crediting of Deposits. Deposits will be credited to your account on the day we consider them received as stated in our Funds Availability Policy Disclosure.

**5. FUNDS TRANSFERS -** Funds transfers we permit that are subject to Article 4A of the Uniform Commercial Code, including Automated Clearinghouse (ACH) credit transactions and wire transfers, will be subject to such provisions of the Uniform Commercial Code as enacted by the state where the main office of the Credit Union is located, except as otherwise provided in this Agreement. ACH transfers are subject to rules of the National Automated Clearinghouse Association (Nacha). If we execute requests for funds transfers by Fedwire, such transfers are subject to the Federal Reserve Board's Regulation J.

**a.** Authorization for Transfers/Debiting of Accounts. Any Authorized Person is authorized to make or order funds transfers to or from your account. We will debit your account for the amount of a funds transfer and will charge your account for any fees related to the transfer.

**b.** Right to Refuse to Make Transfers/Limitation of Liability. Unless we agree otherwise in writing, we reserve the right to refuse to execute any payment order to transfer funds to or from your account. We are not obligated to execute any payment order to transfer funds out of your account if the amount of the requested transfer plus applicable fees exceeds the available funds in your account. We are not liable for errors, delays, interruptions or transmission failures caused by third parties or circumstances beyond our control, including mechanical, electronic or equipment failure. In addition, we will not be liable for consequential, special, punitive or indirect loss or damage you may incur in connection with funds transfers to or from your account.

**c.** No Notice Required. We will not provide you with notice when funds transfers are credited to your account. You will receive notice of such credits on your account statements. You may contact us to determine whether a payment has been received.

**d.** Interest Payments. If we fail to properly execute a payment order and such action results in a delay in payment to you, applicable law requires that we pay you interest for the period of delay. Based on your account type, we will pay you such interest in the form of dividend or interest payments, whichever applies. You agree that the dividend or interest rate paid to you will be based on the lowest nominal dividend or interest rate we were paying on any account during that period.

e. Provisional Credit for ACH Transactions. We may provisionally credit your account for an ACH transfer before we receive final settlement. If we do not receive final settlement, we may reverse the provisional credit or require you to refund us the amount provisionally credited to your account, and the party originating the transfer will not be considered to have paid you.

f. Payment Order Processing and Cut-off Times. Payment orders we accept will be executed within a reasonable time of receipt. Unless we have agreed otherwise in writing, a payment order may not necessarily be executed on the date it is received or on a particular date you specify. Cut-off times may apply to the receipt, execution and processing of funds transfers, payment orders, cancellations, and amendments. Funds transfers, payment orders, cancellations, and amendments. Funds transfers, payment orders, cancellations, and amendments received after a cut-off time may be treated as having been received on the next funds transfer business day. Information about any cut-off times is available upon request. From time to time, we may need to temporarily suspend processing of a transaction for greater scrutiny of verification in accordance with applicable law. This action may affect settlement or availability of the transaction.

**g.** Identifying Information. If your payment order identifies the recipient and any financial institution by name and account or other identifying number, the Credit Union and any other financial institutions facilitating the transfer may rely strictly on the account or other identifying number, even if the number identifies a different person or financial institution.

**h.** Amendments and Cancellations of Payment Orders. Any Authorized Person may amend or cancel a payment order regardless of whether that person initiated the order. We may refuse requests to amend or cancel a payment order that we believe will expose the Credit Union to liability or loss. Any request to amend or cancel a payment order that we accept will be processed within a reasonable time after it is received. You agree to hold us harmless from and indemnify us for all losses and expenses resulting from any actual or attempted amendment or cancellation of a payment order.

i. Security Procedures. We may require you to follow a security procedure to execute, amend or cancel a payment order so that we may verify the authenticity of the order, amendment or cancellation. You agree that the security procedure established by separate agreement between you and the Credit Union is commercially reasonable. If you refuse to follow a commercially reasonable security procedure that we offer, you agree to be bound by any payment order, whether authorized or not, that is issued in your name and accepted by us in good faith in accordance with the security procedure you choose.

**j.** Duty to Report Unauthorized or Erroneous Funds Transfers. You must exercise ordinary care to identify and report unauthorized or erroneous funds transfers on your account. You agree that you will review your account(s) and periodic statement(s). You further agree you will notify us of any unauthorized or erroneous transfers within the time frames described in the "Statements" section of this Agreement.

**k.** Recording Telephone Requests. You agree that we may record payment order, amendment and cancellation requests as permitted by applicable law.

6. ACCOUNT RATES AND FEES - We pay account earnings and assess fees against your account as set forth in our business account rate sheet and fee schedule. We may change our business account rate sheet and fee schedule at any time and will notify you as required by law.

7. TRANSACTION LIMITATIONS - We reserve the right to restrict withdrawals or transfers from your account and shall not be liable for any restrictive action we take regarding withdrawals, transfers, or the payment or non-payment of checks and drafts, except those damages which may arise solely as a result of the Credit Union's negligence.

**a.** Withdrawal Restrictions. We permit withdrawals if your account has a sufficient available balance to cover the full amount of the withdrawal, and may otherwise honor withdrawal requests in accordance with our overdraft policies or any overdraft protection service you have established with us. Checks and drafts or other transfers or payment orders which are drawn against insufficient available funds may be subject to a fee as set forth in our business account fee schedule. If there are sufficient available funds to cover some, but not all, of your withdrawal request, we may otherwise allow you to make a withdrawal in an amount for which there are sufficient available funds.

We may limit or refuse a withdrawal in some situations, and will advise you accordingly if, for example: (1) there is a dispute between Authorized Persons (unless a court has ordered the Credit Union to allow the withdrawal); (2) a legal garnishment or attachment is served; (3) the account secures any obligation to us; (4) required documentation has not been presented; (5) you fail to repay a Credit Union loan on time; (6) for non-corporate accounts, a depositor is deceased; or, for corporate accounts, the corporation is in bankruptcy proceedings or has been dissolved and the required disposition of the account has not been made; (7) someone with authority to do so requests us not to permit the withdrawal; or (8) there are other circumstances which do not permit us to make the withdrawal. We also reserve the right to refuse any withdrawal which is attempted by any method not specifically permitted by us. We may require you to give written notice of 7 to 60 days before any intended withdrawals.

**b.** Transfer Limitations. For accounts subject to transfer limitations, you may not make more than six withdrawals and transfers to another Credit Union account of yours or to a third party during any month by means of a preauthorized, automatic or internet transfer, by telephonic order or instruction, or by check, draft, debit card, if applicable, or similar order. A preauthorized transfer includes any arrangement with us to pay a third party from your account upon oral or written orders, including orders received via ACH. When a transfer exceeds these limitations, we may refuse or reverse it, assess fees against your account, suspend your account, or close your account and transfer the balance to an account without such transfer limitations. There is no limit on the number of transfers you may make to a Credit Union loan account or on the number of withdrawals you may make if the withdrawal is made in person, by mail, messenger or at an ATM. There is also no limit on the number of telephone requests for withdrawals in the form of a check or draft which is then mailed directly to you, although we may impose a fee for such services.

8. CERTIFICATE ACCOUNTS - Any term share, share certificate, time deposit or certificate of deposit account, whichever we offer as allowed by applicable federal or state law, is subject to the terms of this Agreement, our business account rate sheet and fee schedule, Account Receipt(s), if provided, and any other documents we provide for the account, the terms of which are incorporated herein by reference. For accounts held at state chartered credit unions located in Wisconsin: Credit Union liability for dividends declared by the board of directors on term share, share certificate and passbook savings accounts shall terminate without penalty to the Credit Union upon the Credit Union entering an involuntary dissolution procedure, or if the Director of Credit Unions shall take possession of the Credit Union under s.186.235(11) of the Wisconsin Statutes. Upon dissolution, the Director shall determine the priority of payout of the various classifications of savings (Wis. Admin. Code DFI-CU 60.06).

#### 9. OVERDRAFTS AND DISHONORED ITEMS

a. Understanding Current Balance, Available Balance, Overdraft Services, and Overdraft Coverage Options. The following is important information regarding your account balance, how items are posted to your account, and when an overdraft fee will be charged. PLEASE READ THIS PROVISION CAREFULLY. We are not obligated to pay any item presented against your account if the available balance in the account is insufficient or uncollected. In our sole discretion, we may pay an item even if the available balance in the account is insufficient or uncollected and if we do, you agree that we may charge the amount of the overdraft against any account from which any owner on the account is entitled to withdraw funds. Below is additional information concerning overdrafts and when overdraft fees will be assessed. "Overdraft" means there is not enough available balance in your account to pay for an item. Your account has two kinds of balances: the "current" balance and the "available" balance. Both can be checked when you review your account online, at an ATM, by phone, or at a branch. It is important to know how the two balances differ

so you understand when an overdraft fee will be assessed. Your "current" balance is the total amount of funds in your account, without considering any deposit holds or preauthorization holds. Your "available" balance is the amount of funds in your account that are available to you to use without incurring an overdraft fee. The available balance does not include deposits before they are fully credited to your account and pending items (such as pending debit card purchases) that have been authorized but that have not yet posted to your account. For example, if you purchase gas at a gas station using your debit card, a merchant may seek authorization of the transaction before you complete your purchase. In this case, a temporary authorization hold may be placed against the available funds in your account, but the actual purchase amount may not be posted to your account until one or more days after the temporary authorization hold was placed. This results in an available balance that is less than the current balance for the period of time between the authorization and the posting of the debit. For purposes of determining whether your account is overdrawn, we will determine your available balance at the time an item is presented for payment (see "Order of Payment" below). In addition, it is very important to understand that you may overdraw your account even though the available balance or current balance appears to show that there are sufficient funds to cover an item that you want to make. To accurately assess your available and current balance at any given time, it is very important that you keep an accurate running balance of all your transactions. In all cases where an item is presented against insufficient available funds, whether or not we pay it, you agree to pay an overdraft fee in the amount specified in our Fee Schedule, which is updated periodically. If an item is represented against insufficient available funds, you will incur an overdraft fee for each presentment. Because we may receive multiple deposit and withdrawal items in connection with your account in many different forms throughout each day, you may be charged more than one overdraft fee if we pay multiple items when your account is overdrawn. If your checking account does not have sufficient available balance to cover transactions, we can also transfer available funds from a linked savings account or a Preferred Line of Credit. The Preferred Line of Credit is a loan product requiring a credit application. Interest charges may apply. Refer to the Schedule of Fees and Charges for the current fee for linked savings overdraft transfer coverage.

**b.** Dishonored Items. We may redeposit an item taken for deposit, cash or other value, or we may return the item to you and charge your account. If your account does not contain a sufficient available balance to reimburse us for the amount of the item, you must repay us for the amount we are unable to collect from your account. If we choose to redeposit an item, we are not required to notify you that the item was returned unpaid. We may charge your account and/or seek recovery directly from you for any item that is returned due to your breach of warranty under the Uniform Commercial Code as adopted in the state where our main office is located.

**c.** How Transactions are Posted to Your Account. Basically, there are two types of transactions that affect your account: credits (deposits of money into your account) and debits (payments out of your account). It is important to understand how each is applied to your account so that you know how much money you have and how much is available to you at any given time. This section explains generally how and when we post transactions to your account.

**Credits.** Deposits are generally added to your account when we receive them. However, in some cases when you deposit a check, the full amount of the deposit may not be available to you at the time of deposit. Please refer to the Funds Availability Policy Disclosure for details regarding the timing and availability of funds from deposits.

**Debits.** There are several types of debit transactions. Common debit transactions are generally described below. Keep in mind that there are many ways transactions are presented for payment by merchants, and we are not necessarily in control of when transactions are received.

- **Checks.** When you write a check, it is processed through the Federal Reserve system. We receive data files of cashed checks from the Federal Reserve each day. The checks drawn on your account are compiled from these data files and paid each day. We process the payments contained in the data file at the end of the business day.
- ACH Payments. We receive data files every day from the Federal Reserve with Automated Clearing House (ACH) transactions. These include, for example, automatic bill payments you have authorized. ACH transactions for your account are posted throughout the day, as the files are received. Items in each file are posted: credits first, then debits..
- **PIN-Based Debit Card Purchase Transactions.** These are purchase transactions using your debit card for which a merchant may require you to enter your personal identification number (PIN) at the time of sale. They are processed through a PIN debit network. These transactions are similar to ATM withdrawal transactions because the money is usually deducted from your account immediately at the time of the transaction. However, depending on the merchant, a PIN-based transaction may not be immediately presented for payment.
- Signature-Based Debit Card Purchase Transactions. These are purchase transactions using your debit card that are processed through a signature-based network. Rather than entering a PIN, you typically sign for the purchase; however, merchants may not require your signature for certain transactions. Merchants may seek authorization for these types of transactions. The authorization request places a hold on funds in

your account when the authorization is completed. This is referred to as an "authorization hold". An Authorization hold will reduce your available balance by the amount authorized but will not affect your actual balance. The transaction is subsequently processed by the merchant and submitted to us for payment. This can happen hours or sometimes days after the transaction, depending on the merchant and its payment processor. These payment requests are received in real time throughout the day and are posted to your account when they are received.

The amount of an authorization hold may differ from the actual payment because the final transaction amount may not yet be known to the merchant when you present your card for payment. For example, if you use your debit card at a restaurant, a hold will be placed in an amount equal to the bill presented to you; but when the transaction posts, it will include any tip that you may have added to the bill. This may also be the case where you present your debit card for payment at gas stations, hotels and certain other retail establishments. We cannot control how much a merchant asks us to authorize, or when a merchant submits a transaction for payment.

This is a general description of certain types of transactions. These practices may change, and we reserve the right to pay items in any order we choose as permitted by law.

d. Understanding Your Account Balance. Your account account has two kinds of balances: the actual balance and the available balance. Your actual balance reflects the full amount of all deposits to your account as well as payment transactions that have been posted to your account. It does not reflect checks you have written and are still outstanding or transactions that have been authorized but are still pending. Your available balance is the amount of money in your account that is available for you to use. Your available balance is your actual balance less: (1) holds placed on deposits; (2) holds on debit card or other transactions that have been authorized but are not yet posted; and (3) any other holds, such as holds related to pledges of account funds and minimum balance requirements or to comply with court orders. We use your available balance to determine whether there are sufficient funds in your account to pay items, including checks and drafts, as well as ACH, debit card and other electronic transactions. Pending transactions and holds placed on your account may reduce your available balance and may cause your account to become overdrawn regardless of your actual balance. In such cases, subsequent posting of the pending transactions may further overdraw your account and be subject to additional fees. You should assume that any item which would overdraw your account based on your available balance may create an overdraft. You may check your available balance at an ATM or by visiting a credit union branch.

**10. CHECKS OR DRAFTS PRESENTED FOR PAYMENT IN PERSON -** We may refuse to accept any check or draft drawn on your account that is presented for payment in person. Such refusal shall not constitute a wrongful dishonor of the check or draft, and we shall have no liability for refusing payment. If we agree to cash a check or draft that is presented for payment in person, we may require the presenter to pay a fee. Any applicable fees for cashing checks or drafts are stated in our business account fee schedule.

**11. POSTDATED AND STALEDATED CHECKS OR DRAFTS** - You agree not to draw or issue any check or draft that is postdated. If you draw or issue a check or draft that is payable on a future date, we will have no liability if we pay the check or draft before its payment date. You agree not to deposit checks, drafts, or other items before they are properly payable. We are under no obligation to pay a check or draft drawn on your account that is presented more than six months after the date it was written; however, if the check or draft is paid against your account, we will have no liability for such payment.

**12. FOREIGN CURRENCY** - All checks or drafts drawn on your account shall be payable in currency of the United States. You agree not to draw a check or draft that is payable in any foreign currency. If you give us an order to pay a check or draft in a foreign currency, we have the right to return the check or draft unpaid. However, if we pay the check or draft, we will not be responsible for the currency conversion or any fees assessed for collection, and you will be bound by our determination of the currency conversion rate, the data used and the manner in which we make the conversion.

#### 13. STOP PAYMENT ORDERS

**a.** Stop Payment Order Request. Any Authorized Person may request a stop payment order on any check or draft drawn on your account. To be binding, the order must accurately describe the check or draft, including the exact account number, check or draft number, and amount of the check or draft. This exact information is necessary for the Credit Union to identify the check or draft. If we receive incorrect or incomplete information, we will not be responsible for failing to stop payment on the check or draft. In addition, we must receive sufficient advance notice of the stop payment order to allow us a reasonable opportunity to act on it. If we recredit your account after paying a check or draft over a valid and timely stop payment order, you agree to sign a statement describing the dispute with the payee, to transfer to us all of your rights against the payee or other holders of the check or draft, and to assist us in any legal action.

For accounts held at credit unions located in the state of New York: Payment on any certified check, cashier's check, teller's check, or any other check, draft, or payment guaranteed by us may be stopped only according to the

provisions of Section 4-403 of the Uniform Commercial Code as enacted by the state of New York. For accounts held at credit unions located in states other than New York: You may not stop payment on any certified check, cashier's check, teller's check or any other check, draft or payment guaranteed by us.

**b.** Duration of Order. You may make an oral stop payment order which will lapse within 14 calendar days unless you confirm it in writing, or in a record if allowed by applicable law, within that time. A written stop payment order is effective for six months and may be renewed from time to time in writing, or in a record if allowed by applicable law. We do not have to notify you when a stop payment order expires. For accounts held at credit unions located in the states of Florida and Texas: We have the right to refuse to accept oral stop payment orders and may require that all stop payment orders be made in writing or in a record as allowed by applicable law.

**c.** Liability. Fees for stop payment orders are set forth on our business account fee schedule. Although payment of an item may be stopped, you may remain liable to any item holder, including us. You have the burden of establishing the fact and amount of loss resulting from the payment of an item contrary to a binding stop payment order. You agree to indemnify and hold the Credit Union harmless from all costs, including attorney's fees and all damages or claims related to our refusal to pay an item, as well as claims of the Account Owner or of any payee or endorsee for failing to stop payment of an item as a result of incorrect information provided by you.

**14. CREDIT UNION LIABILITY -** If we do not properly complete a transaction according to this Agreement, we will be liable for your losses or damages not to exceed the amount of the transaction, except as otherwise provided by law or elsewhere in this Agreement. We will not be liable if, for example: (1) your account contains an insufficient available balance for the transaction; (2) circumstances beyond our control prevent the transaction; (3) your loss is caused by your or another financial institution's negligence; or (4) your account funds are subject to legal process or other claim. We are not liable if checks, drafts or other items were forged or altered so that the forgery or alteration could not be reasonably detected. We will not be liable for consequential damages, except liability for wrongful dishonor. We are not responsible for a check or draft that is paid by us if we acted in a commercially reasonable manner and exercised ordinary care. We exercise ordinary care if our actions or nonactions are consistent with applicable state law, federal reserve regulations and operating letters, clearinghouse rules, and general banking practices followed in the area we serve. You grant us the right, in making payments of deposited funds, to rely exclusively on the form of the account and the terms of this Agreement. Any conflict between what you or our employees may say or write will be resolved by reference to this Agreement.

**15. UNAUTHORIZED USE OF CHECK OR DRAFT WRITING AND FACSIMILE SIGNATURE EQUIPMENT -** You are responsible for maintaining the security of all facsimile signatures, check or draft writing equipment and supplies. You must promptly notify us in writing of the loss or theft of any checks or drafts or the unauthorized use of facsimile signature equipment, as well as the circumstances surrounding the loss, theft or unauthorized use. We are not liable for any unauthorized use of a facsimile signature.

**16.** PLEDGE, RIGHT OF OFFSET AND STATUTORY LIEN - Unless prohibited by law, you pledge and grant as security for all obligations you may have now or in the future, except obligations secured by your principal residence, all shares and dividends and all deposits and interest, if any, in all accounts you have with us now and in the future. If you pledge a specific dollar amount in your account(s) for a loan, we will freeze the funds in your account(s) to the extent of the outstanding balance of the loan or, if greater, the amount of the pledge if the loan is a revolving loan. Otherwise, funds in your pledged account(s) may be withdrawn unless you are in default. You agree we have the right to offset funds in any of your accounts against any obligation owed to us. Federal or state law, depending on whether we have a federal or state charter, gives us a lien on all shares and dividends and all deposits and interest, if any, in the account(s) you have with us now and in the future. Except as limited by state or federal law, the statutory lien gives us the right to apply the balance of all your accounts to any obligation on which you are in default. After you are in default, we may exercise our statutory lien rights without further notice to you.

Your pledge and our statutory lien rights will allow us to apply the funds in your account(s) to what you owe when you are in default, except as limited by state or federal law. If we do not apply or offset the funds in your account(s) to satisfy your obligation, we may place an administrative freeze on your account(s) in order to protect our statutory lien rights and may apply or offset the funds in your account(s) to the amount you owe us at a later time. The statutory lien and your pledge does not apply to any Individual Retirement Account or any other account that would lose special tax treatment under state or federal law if given as security. By not enforcing our right to apply or offset funds in your account(s) to your obligations that are in default, we do not waive our right to enforce these rights at a later time.

17. TRANSFER OF ACCOUNT - All accounts are nonassignable and nontransferable to third parties except by us.

**18. LEGAL PROCESS -** In the event of any dispute involving your account or any funds in your account, including any legal action that is brought or threatened in connection with your account, we may: (a) continue to act in accordance with the applicable signature card and the terms of this Agreement; (b) place a hold on the account or on a portion of the funds in the account until any dispute is resolved to our satisfaction; (c) pay out funds according to any court order; or (d) initiate an interpleader or similar court proceeding and pay any disputed funds into court for subsequent determination by such court. You agree that we may, without notice, deduct from any account you maintain any expenses related to any such

dispute/legal action, including any attorney's fees and/or court costs we incur, except to the extent prohibited by law. You agree that any legal process against your account is subject to our lien and security interest.

**19. ACCOUNT INFORMATION -** Upon request, we will give you the name and address of each agency from which we obtain a credit report regarding your account. We agree not to disclose account information to third parties except when: (1) it is necessary to complete a transaction; (2) the third party seeks to verify the existence or condition of your account in accordance with applicable law; (3) such disclosure is made to comply with the law or an order issued by a court or government agency; (4) you give us written permission; or (5) as otherwise permitted by applicable law. We may provide information to credit bureaus about an insolvency, delinquency, late payment or default on your account to include in your credit report.

#### 20. NOTICES

**a.** Name or Address Changes. You are responsible for promptly notifying us of any address or name change. The Credit Union is only required to attempt to communicate with you at the most recent address you have provided to us. If we attempt to locate you, we may impose a service fee as set forth on our business account fee schedule.

**b.** Notice of Amendments. Except as prohibited by applicable law, we may at any time change the terms of this Agreement. We will notify you, in a manner we deem appropriate under the circumstances, of any changes in terms, rates, or fees as required by law.

**c.** Effect of Notice. Any written notice you give us is effective when we receive it. Any written notice we give to you is effective when it is provided electronically or is deposited in the U.S. mail, postage prepaid and addressed to you at your statement mailing address, and will be effective whether or not received by you.

**d.** Electronic Notices. If you have agreed to receive notices electronically, we may send you notices electronically and discontinue mailing paper notices to you until you notify us that you wish to reinstate receiving paper notices.

**21. TAXPAYER IDENTIFICATION NUMBER AND BACKUP WITHHOLDING** - You agree that we may withhold taxes from any dividends or interest earned on your account as required by federal, state or local law or regulations. Your failure to furnish a correct Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN) or meet other requirements may result in backup withholding. If your account is subject to backup withholding, we must withhold and pay to the Internal Revenue Service a percentage of dividends, interest, and certain other payments. If you fail to provide your TIN within a reasonable time, we will close your account and return the balance to you, less any applicable service fees.

#### 22. STATEMENTS

**a. Contents.** If we provide a periodic statement for your account, you will receive a statement that shows the transactions and activity on your account during the statement period. For share draft or checking accounts, you understand and agree that your original check or draft, when paid, becomes property of the Credit Union and may not be returned to you, but copies may be retained by us or payable through financial institutions and made available upon your request. You understand and agree that statements are made available to you on the date they are mailed to you or, if you have requested, on the date they are made available to you electronically. You also understand and agree that checks, drafts or copies thereof are made available to you on the date the statement is mailed to you or is provided to you electronically, even if the checks or drafts do not accompany the statement.

**b.** Examination. You are responsible for promptly examining each statement upon receiving it and reporting any irregularities to us. If you fail to report to us, within a reasonable time after receiving your statement, any irregularities, such as forged, altered, unauthorized, unsigned, or otherwise fraudulent items drawn on your account, erroneous payments or transactions, or other discrepancies that are reflected on your statement we will not be responsible for your loss. In addition, we will not be responsible for any such items, payments, transactions, or other discrepancies reflected on your statement if you fail to notify us within 33 days of the date we sent or otherwise provided the statement to you. We also will not be liable for any items that are forged or altered in a manner not detectable by a reasonable person, including the unauthorized use of facsimile signature equipment.

**c.** Notice to the Credit Union. You agree that the Credit Union's retention of checks or drafts does not alter or waive your responsibility to examine your statements or the time limit for notifying us of any errors. The statement will be considered correct for all purposes, and we will not be liable for any payment made or charge to your account unless you notify us in writing within the above time limit for notifying us of any errors.

If timely notice is given, we reserve the right to make a final reasonable determination regarding whether and in what amount any adjustment shall be made. If you fail to receive a periodic statement, you agree to notify us within 14 days of the time you regularly receive a statement.

**d.** Address. If we mail you a statement, we will send it to the last known address shown in our records. If you have requested that we send your statement electronically, we will send it to the last e-mail address shown in our records.

23. INACTIVE ACCOUNTS - As allowed by applicable law, we may classify your account as inactive or dormant and assess a fee if you have not made any transactions in your account over a specified period of time. The period of

inactivity, the fee for servicing an inactive or dormant account, and the minimum balance required to avoid the service fee, if any, are set forth in our business account fee schedule. You authorize us to transfer funds from another account of yours to cover any service fees, if applicable. To the extent allowed by law, we reserve the right to transfer all funds in an inactive or dormant account to an account payable or reserve account and to suspend any further account statements. If a deposit or withdrawal has not been made on the account and we have had no other sufficient contact with you within the period specified by state law, the account will then be presumed to be abandoned. Funds in abandoned accounts will be reported and remitted in accordance with state law. Once funds have been turned over to the state, we have no further liability to you for such funds. If you choose to reclaim such funds, you must apply to the appropriate state agency.

24. TERMINATION OF ACCOUNT - We may terminate your account at any time without prior notice to you or may require you to close your account and apply for a new account. We are not responsible for payment of any check, draft, transfer or item after your account is terminated; however, if we pay a check, draft, transfer or other item after termination, you agree to reimburse us for the amount of our payment as well as any applicable fees.

You may terminate this Agreement by closing all of your accounts. If your account is a dividend or interest-bearing account, any deposit or part of a deposit that we have returned or attempted to return to you upon termination of your account will no longer bear dividends or interest, as applicable. When the account is closed, you will receive the balance remaining in the account after we have made all appropriate deductions and charges. The termination of this Agreement and the account does not release you from the obligation for payment of accrued fees or your liability for any checks or drafts in process.

**25. TERMINATION OF MEMBERSHIP; LIMITATION OF SERVICES -** You may terminate your membership by giving us written notice or by withdrawing your minimum required membership share, if any, and closing all of your accounts. You may be expelled from membership for any reason allowed by applicable law. We may restrict account access and services without notice to you when your account is being misused; you have demonstrated conduct which is abusive in nature; as outlined in any policy we have adopted regarding restricting services; or as otherwise permitted by law.

**26. DEATH OF ACCOUNT OWNER -** If an account is held in the name of an individual person or a business that is organized as a sole proprietorship, we may continue to honor all transfer orders, withdrawals, deposits and other transactions on the account until we are notified of the Account Owner's death. Once we are notified of an Account Owner's death, we may pay checks or drafts or honor other payments or transfer orders authorized by the Account Owner for a period of ten days after the Account Owner's death unless we receive instructions from any person claiming an interest in the account to stop payment on the checks, drafts or other items. We may require anyone claiming a deceased Account Owner's account funds to indemnify us for any losses resulting from our honoring that claim. This Agreement will be binding upon any heirs or legal representatives of any Account Owner that is an individual or business organized as a sole proprietorship.

27. UNLAWFUL INTERNET GAMBLING AND OTHER ILLEGAL ACTIVITIES - You agree that you are not engaged in unlawful internet gambling or any other illegal activity. You agree that you will not use any of your accounts, access devices or services for unlawful internet gambling or other illegal activities. We may terminate your account relationship if you engage in unlawful internet gambling or other illegal activities.

**28. WAIVER OF RIGHTS -** We reserve the right to waive or delay the enforcement of any provision of this Agreement with respect to any transaction or series of transactions. A waiver or delay of our rights at anytime shall not be deemed to be a waiver of any other rights or a waiver of the same rights at a future time.

**29. SEVERABILITY** - If a court holds any portion of this Agreement to be invalid or unenforceable, the remainder of this Agreement shall not be invalid or unenforceable and will continue in full force and effect. All headings are intended for reference only and are not to be construed as part of this Agreement.

**30. ENFORCEMENT -** You are liable to us for any loss, cost or expense we incur resulting from your failure to follow this Agreement. You authorize us to deduct any such losses, costs or expenses from your account without prior notice to you. If we bring a legal action to collect any amount due under or to enforce this Agreement, we shall be entitled, subject to applicable law, to payment of reasonable attorney's fees and costs, including fees on any appeal, bankruptcy proceedings, and any post-judgment collection actions.

**31. GOVERNING LAW -** This Agreement is governed by the following, as amended from time to time: the Credit Union's bylaws; local clearinghouse and other payment system rules; federal laws and regulations, including applicable principles of contract law; and the laws and regulations of the state of Maryland.

**32. WAIVER OF TRIAL BY JURY AND AGREEMENT AS TO LOCATION OF LEGAL PROCEEDINGS -** As permitted by applicable law, you agree that any legal action regarding this Agreement shall be brought in the county of the Credit Union office where you opened your account. You and we agree to waive any right to trial by jury in any legal proceeding or lawsuit involving the account.

33. NEGATIVE INFORMATION NOTICE - We may report information about your loan and deposit accounts to credit bureaus. Late payments, missed payments, or other defaults on your accounts may be reflected in your credit report.

34. MONITORING AND RECORDING COMMUNICATIONS - We may monitor and record communications between you and us, including telephone conversations, electronic messages, electronic records, or other data transmissions that affect your accounts or other products and services. Except as otherwise provided by applicable law, you agree we may monitor and record such communications without your approval or further notice to you.

#### 35. BINDING ARBITRATION OF CLAIMS AND DISPUTES

RESOLUTION OF DISPUTES BY ARBITRATION: THIS SECTION CONTAINS IMPORTANT INFORMATION REGARDING YOUR ACCOUNTS AND ALL RELATED SERVICES. IT PROVIDES THAT EITHER YOU OR WE CAN REQUIRE THAT ANY DISPUTES BE RESOLVED BY BINDING ARBITRATION. ARBITRATION REPLACES THE RIGHT TO GO TO COURT, INCLUDING THE RIGHT TO A JURY TRIAL AND THE RIGHT TO PARTICIPATE IN A CLASS ACTION OR SIMILAR PROCEEDING. IN ARBITRATION, THE DISPUTE IS SUBMITTED TO A NEUTRAL PARTY, AN ARBITRATOR, INSTEAD OF A JUDGE OR JURY. ARBITRATION PROCEDURES MAY BE MORE LIMITED THAN RULES APPLICABLE IN COURT.

#### Agreement to Arbitrate Disputes.

Either you or we may elect, without the other's consent, to require that any dispute between us concerning your accounts and the services related to your accounts be resolved by binding arbitration, except for those disputes specifically excluded below.

This arbitration provision is entered into pursuant to the Federal Arbitration Act, 9 U.S.C. §§ 1 - 16 (the "FAA"). This agreement to arbitrate applies to transactions involving interstate commerce.

#### Disputes Covered by Arbitration.

Claims or disputes between you and us arising out of or relating to your account(s), transactions involving your account(s), safe deposit box, and any related service with us are subject to arbitration. Any claims or disputes arising from or relating to this Agreement, any prior account agreement between us, or the advertising, the application for, or the approval or establishment of your account(s) are also included. Claims are subject to arbitration, regardless of what theory they are based on or whether they seek legal or equitable remedies. Arbitration applies to any and all such claims or disputes, whether they arose in the past, may currently exist or may arise in the future. Disputes also include claims or disputes relating to the enforceability, validity, scope or interpretation of this arbitration provision. Any questions about whether disputes are subject to arbitration shall be resolved by interpreting this arbitration provision in the broadest way the law will allow it to be enforced. All such disputes are referred to in this section as "Claims".

An exception to arbitration of Claims is that both you and we have the right to pursue a Claim in a small claims court instead of arbitration, if the Claim is in that court's jurisdiction and proceeds on an individual basis. Claims or disputes arising from your status as a borrower under any loan agreement with the Credit Union are also excluded from this arbitration provision.

#### No Class Action or Joinder of Parties.

YOU ACKNOWLEDGE THAT YOU AND WE AGREE THAT NO CLASS ACTION, CLASS-WIDE ARBITRATION, PRIVATE ATTORNEY GENERAL ACTION, OR OTHER PROCEEDING WHERE SOMEONE ACTS IN A REPRESENTATIVE CAPACITY, MAY BE PURSUED IN ANY ARBITRATION OR IN ANY COURT PROCEEDING, REGARDLESS OF WHEN THE CLAIM OR CAUSE OF ACTION AROSE OR ACCRUED, OR WHEN THE ALLEGATIONS OR FACTS UNDERLYING THE CLAIM OR CAUSE OF ACTION OCCURRED. Unless mutually agreed to by you and us, claims of two or more persons may not be joined, consolidated, or otherwise brought together in the same arbitration (unless those persons are joint account holders or beneficiaries on your account and/or related accounts, or parties to a single transaction or related transaction), whether or not the claim may have been assigned.

#### Right to Reject This Arbitration Provision.

You have the right to opt out of this arbitration provision if you tell us within 30 days of first being sent or offered a copy of our Agreement with this arbitration provision. To opt out, send us notice via U.S. mail or e-mail that you reject this arbitration provision, including your name as listed on your account and your account number to the following address or e-mail address:

#### MECU

P.O. Box 17509 Baltimore, Maryland 21202 optout@mecu.com

Otherwise, this arbitration provision will apply without limitation, regardless of whether 1) your account is closed; 2) you pay us in full any outstanding debt you owe; or 3) you file for bankruptcy.

#### 30 Days to Resolve Claims.

Before you start an arbitration, you agree to write to us at our address above (or any changed address that we have provided to you in writing) and give us a reasonable opportunity to resolve your Claim. Your letter must tell us your name and account number, describe your Claim, including the dollar amount of your Claim, and describe any other information you need from us. Before we start an arbitration, we must write to you at your address in our records (or any changed address that you have told us about in writing), describe our Claim, including the dollar amount of our Claim, and give you a reasonable opportunity to resolve the Claim. We each have 30 days from receipt of notice to resolve the Claim before starting an arbitration.

#### The Arbitration Proceeding.

The arbitration must be filed with one of the following neutral arbitration forums: American Arbitration Association ("AAA") or JAMS. For AAA, the arbitration will be conducted in accordance with the AAA Consumer Due Process Protocol in concert with the AAA Consumer Arbitration Rules. For JAMS, the arbitration will be conducted in accordance with the JAMS Comprehensive Arbitration Rules & Procedures. If there is a conflict between a particular provision of the AAA or JAMS Rules and this arbitration provision and/or the Agreement will control. If JAMS or the AAA is unable or unwilling to handle the claim for any reason, then the matter shall be arbitrated by a neutral arbitrator selected by agreement of the parties (or, if the parties cannot agree, selected by a court in accordance with the FAA). The neutral arbitrator selected by the parties or the court shall apply the Federal Rules of Evidence and the Federal Rules of Procedure concerning discovery, except that the above class action waiver is specifically enforceable notwithstanding any Federal Rule of Procedure to the contrary. The arbitration award must be a reasoned decision that is in writing. Any award must be kept confidential.

#### Costs.

The party initiating the arbitration shall pay the initial filing fee. If you file the arbitration and an award is rendered in your favor, we will reimburse you for your filing fee. If there is a hearing, we will pay the fees and costs of the arbitration for the first day of that hearing. All other fees and costs will be allocated in accordance with the rules of the arbitration forum. However, we will advance or reimburse filing and other fees if the arbitrator rules that you cannot afford to pay them or finds other good cause for requiring us to do so, or if you ask us in writing and we determine there is good reason for doing so. Each party shall bear the expense of their respective attorneys, experts, and witnesses and other expenses, regardless of who prevails, but a party may recover any or all costs and expenses from another party if the arbitrator, applying applicable law, so determines.

#### Right to Resort to Provisional Remedies Preserved.

Nothing herein shall be deemed to limit or constrain our right to resort to self-help remedies, such as the right of set-off or the right to restrain funds in an account, to interplead funds in the event of a dispute, to exercise any security interest or lien we may hold in property, or to comply with legal process, or to obtain provisional remedies such as injunctive relief, attachment, or garnishment by a court having appropriate jurisdiction; provided, however, that you or we may elect to arbitrate any dispute related to such provisional remedies.

#### Severability, Survival.

This arbitration provision shall survive (a) termination or changes to your accounts or any related services; (b) the bankruptcy of any party; and (c) the transfer or assignment of your accounts or any related services. If any portion of this arbitration provision is deemed invalid or unenforceable, the remainder of this arbitration provision shall remain in force. No portion of this arbitration provision may be amended, severed, or waived absent a written agreement between you and us.

#### Applicability

The requirement to arbitrate will not apply if you are considered a "Covered Borrower" under the Military Lending Act.

#### Additional Terms.

If any part of this arbitration provision is found by a court or arbitrator to be unenforceable, the remainder is enforceable, except that: (A) If the Class Action Waiver is limited, voided or found unenforceable in a proceeding between you and us, then this arbitration provision (except for this sentence) shall be null and void with respect to such proceeding, subject to the right to appeal the limitation or invalidation of the Class Action Waiver; and (B) if a Claim is brought seeking public injunctive relief and a court determines that the restrictions in the Class Action Waiver or elsewhere in this arbitration provision prohibiting the arbitrator from awarding relief on behalf of third parties are unenforceable with respect to such Claim (and that determination becomes final after all appeals have been exhausted), the Claim for public injunctive relief will be determined in court and any individual Claims seeking monetary relief will be arbitrated. In such a case the parties will request that the court stay the Claim for public injunctive relief until the arbitration award pertaining to individual relief has been entered in court. This arbitration provision will survive the termination of the Agreement, regardless of the reason for termination, the sale or assignment of your obligations by us to a third party, the repayment of some or all

amounts owed under the Agreement and any bankruptcy by you, to the extent consistent with applicable bankruptcy law. In the event of a conflict or inconsistency between this arbitration provision, on the one hand, and the applicable arbitration rules or the other provisions of the Agreement, on the other hand, this arbitration provision shall govern. Except as otherwise stated in this arbitration provision, either you or we can compel arbitration in any court proceeding, regardless of which party filed suit. Either you or we can enforce an arbitration award. This arbitration provision does not stop you from filing a complaint with a federal, state, or local regulator.



### FUNDS AVAILABILITY POLICY DISCLOSURE

This disclosure describes your ability to withdraw funds at MECU Credit Union. It only applies to the availability of funds in your transaction accounts (e.g., checking accounts). We reserve the right to delay the availability of funds deposited to accounts that are not transaction accounts for periods longer than those outlined in this disclosure. Please ask us if you have a question about which accounts are affected by our availability policy.

For purposes of this disclosure, the terms "you" or "your" mean the member, and the terms "our," "we," or "us" mean MECU Credit Union. The term "check" means check or share draft, as applicable.

**1.** YOUR ABILITY TO WITHDRAW FUNDS – Our policy is to delay the availability of funds from your cash and check deposits. During the delay, you may not withdraw the funds in cash, and we will not use the funds to pay checks that you have written.

The length of the delay varies depending on the type of deposit and is explained below.

2. DETERMINING THE AVAILABILITY OF A DEPOSIT – The length of the delay is counted in business days from the day of your deposit. Every day is a business day except Saturdays, Sundays, and federal holidays.

If you make a deposit before close of business at a staffed location or before 5:00 p.m. at an ATM that we own or operate on a business day that we are open, we will consider that day to be the day of your deposit. However, if you make a deposit after our cutoff hour or on a day we are not open, we will consider that the deposit was made on the next business day we are open. Our business hours are available at the Credit Union. Cutoff times are subject to change without advance notice.

**3. SAME-DAY AVAILABILITY** – Funds from electronic direct deposits to your account will be available on the same business day that we receive the deposit.

4. NEXT-DAY AVAILABILITY – Funds from the following deposits are available by the first business day after the day of your deposit:

- U.S. Treasury checks that are payable to you
- Wire transfers
- Checks drawn on MECU Credit Union

5. NEXT-DAY AVAILABILITY FOR CERTAIN DEPOSITS MADE IN PERSON – If you make the deposit in person to one of our employees, funds from the following deposits are available by the first business day after the day we receive your deposit:

- Cash
- State and local government checks that are payable to you
- Cashier's, certified, and teller's checks that are payable to you
- Federal Reserve Bank checks, Federal Home Loan Bank checks, and postal money orders, if these items are payable to you

If you do not make your deposit in person to one of our employees (for example, if you mail the deposit), funds from these deposits will be available by the second business day after the day we receive your deposit.

6. AVAILABILITY OF OTHER CHECK DEPOSITS – The first \$275.00 from a deposit of other checks will be available by the first business day after the day of your deposit. The remaining funds will be available by the second business day after the day of your deposit. For example, if you deposit a check of \$700.00 on a Monday, \$275.00 of the deposit will be available by Tuesday. The remaining \$425.00 will be available by Wednesday.

7. LONGER DELAYS MAY APPLY – Funds you deposit by check may be delayed for a longer period under the following circumstances:

- We believe a check you deposit will not be paid.
- You deposit checks totaling more than \$6,725.00 on any one day.
- You redeposit a check that has been returned unpaid.
- You have overdrawn your account repeatedly in the last six months.
- There is an emergency, such as failure of computer or communications equipment.

We will notify you if we delay your ability to withdraw funds for any of these reasons, and we will tell you when the funds will be available. They will generally be available no later than the seventh business day after the day of your deposit.

8. SPECIAL RULES FOR NEW ACCOUNTS – If you are a new member, the following special rules will apply during the first 30 days your account is open.

Funds from electronic direct deposits to your account will be available on the day we receive the deposit. Funds from deposits of cash, wire transfers, and the first \$6,725.00 of a day's total deposits of cashier's, certified, teller's, traveler's, and federal, state, and local government checks will be available on the first business day after the day of your deposit if the deposit meets certain conditions. For example, the checks must be payable to you. The excess over \$6,725.00 will be available on the ninth business day after the day of your deposit. If your deposit of these checks (other than a U.S. Treasury check) is not made in person to one of our employees, the first

\$6,725.00 will not be available until the second business day after the day of your deposit. Funds from all other check deposits will be available on the eleventh business day after the day of your deposit.

9. HOLDS ON OTHER FUNDS FOR CHECK CASHING – If we cash a check for you that is drawn on another financial institution, we may withhold the availability of a corresponding amount of funds that are already in your account. Those funds will be available at the time funds from the check we cashed would have been available if you had deposited it.

**10. HOLDS ON OTHER FUNDS IN ANOTHER ACCOUNT** – If we accept for deposit a check that is drawn on another financial institution, we may make funds from the deposit available for withdrawal immediately but delay your availability to withdraw a corresponding amount of funds that you have on deposit in another account with us. The funds in the other account would then not be available for withdrawal until the time periods that are described elsewhere in this disclosure for the type of check that you deposited.

11. DEPOSITS AT PROPRIETARY AUTOMATED TELLER MACHINES (ATMs) – Funds from cash deposits will be made available immediately. Funds from check deposits made at an ATM that we own or operate will be available by the second business day after the day of your deposit. However, the first \$275.00 of the deposit, funds from checks drawn on MECU Credit Union and deposited at an ATM located at one of our branch offices, and funds from U.S. Treasury checks that are payable to you will be available on the first business day following the day we receive your deposit. All ATMs that we own or operate are identified as our machines.

**12. FOREIGN CHECKS** – Checks drawn on financial institutions located outside the U.S. (foreign checks) cannot be processed the same as checks drawn on U.S. financial institutions. Foreign checks are exempt from the policies outlined in this disclosure. Generally, the availability of funds for deposits of foreign checks will be delayed for the time it takes us to collect the funds from the financial institution upon which it is drawn.



# **BUSINESS FEE SCHEDULE**

EFFECTIVE MARCH 31, 2025

Business Share Accounts				
Inactive account maintenance with no activity for 12 consecut		Balance < or equal to \$50: \$0.75 per month Balance > \$50 up to \$100: \$1.50 per month		
Business Premium and Money M	Aarket Accounts			
Average Daily Balance falls bel	ow \$500	\$5		
Every check paid over six (6) pe	er cycle or month	\$10 per item paid at our discretion		
Fees Applicable to All Business	Accounts			
NSF / ACH Returned Items / Ur	ncollected Funds	\$30 per presentment <sup>1</sup>		
Overdraft / ATM Overdrawn Ac	count	\$30 per presentment <sup>1</sup>		
Stop Payment		\$28 per presentment		
Invalid Electronic Deposit		\$100 per deposit		
Transfer Payment		\$5 per transaction <sup>2</sup>		
Account Research/Reconciliati	on	\$25 per hour <sup>3</sup>		
Account Verification		\$25 per verification		
Business Checking Account Fe	es			
Copy of Check		\$2 per check / free in Online Banking		
Official Check		\$3 per check		
	Simple Business Checking	Access Business Checking		
Monthly maintenance fee	\$12 unless a daily ledger balance of at least \$1,000 is maintained.	\$16 unless a daily ledger balance of at least \$2,500 is maintained.		
Monthly transactions	\$0.25 / each check paid over 50	\$0.25 / each check paid over 75		
Treasury Management Services	5			
Online Wire Origination				
Monthly Service fee	N/A	\$12		
Outgoing, Bank-Bank Domestic International	\$20 \$35	\$12 \$25		
Inbound Domestic	\$8	\$8		
International	\$10	\$10		
ACH Online Origination		<u> </u>		
Monthly Service fee	N/A	\$12		
ACH File Origination	N/A	\$10 / file		
ACH Debit / Credit Origination		\$0.25 / item		
Remote Deposit Capture: Mont	-	4.2		
Less than 50 items	N/A	\$25		
51 – 100 items	N/A	\$50		
101 and more items	N/A	\$75		
Other Fees				
Mailed Paper Statement		\$3 per statement		
Copy of statement / history		\$5 per statement		
ATM Foreign Transaction fee		\$2		
Business Debit Card Internation	nal Transaction fee	1% of transaction amount		
Business Debit Card replaceme	ent fee	\$10 / card		
Money Order		\$3 per money order		
Garnishments / Tax Levies / At	tachments / Liens	\$125		
Night Drop Bag		Price may vary		
Checks available through Harlo	and Clarke	Prices vary by style and quantity ordered		



# **BUSINESS ACCOUNT RATES**

EFFECTIVE MARCH 31, 2025

	Annual Percentage Yield (APY)	Minimum Balance Required to Open	Balance Method	Minimum Balance Required to Avoid a Monthly Service Fee	Dividend Rate Change Frequency	Dividend Crediting & Compounding
Business Share Savings	0.10%	\$5	Daily Balance	\$50	Monthly	Monthly
Simple Business Checking	0.03%	\$100	Daily Ledger Balance	\$1,000	Monthly	Monthly
Access Business Checking	N/A	\$100	Daily Ledger Balance	\$2,500	N/A	N/A
Business Money Market						
Less than \$500 \$500 - \$9,999,99 \$10,000 - \$24,999,99 \$25,000 - \$49,999,99 \$50,000 - \$74,999,99 \$75,000 - \$99,999,99 \$100,000 and greater	0.00% 0.30% 0.35% 0.40% 0.40% 0.45% 0.50%	\$500	Daily Balance	\$500	Monthly	Monthly
Business Premier Money Marke	t					
Less than \$500 \$500 - \$9,999.99 \$10,000 - \$49,999.99 \$50,000 - \$99,999.99 \$100,000 - \$149,999.99 \$150,000 - \$149,999.99 \$500,000 - \$2,499,999.99 \$2,500,000 and greater	0.00% 0.30% 0.40% 0.50% 0.75% 0.75% 3.44% 3.69%	\$50,000	Daily Balance	\$500	Monthly	Monthly

APY = Annual Percentage Yield; For all accounts, rates are variable and subject to change following account opening; Fees may reduce earnings on an account.

#### Share Savings accounts:

Dividends are calculated using the Daily Balance method, by applying a daily periodic rate to the principal in the account each day. A minimum Daily Balance is required to earn the current APY for the period. A fee will be assessed if a withdrawal performed at any teller window leaves the account balance below the stated minimum.

#### Money Market accounts:

To open these accounts, you must deposit the minimum opening deposit requirements. A minimum balance is required to avoid a fee for each interest period is outlined in the Business Fee Schedule. For all accounts, the interest rate and annual percentage yield may change at any time as determined by the Credit Union's Board of Directors.

All accounts are tiered rate accounts. The balance ranges and corresponding interest rates and annual percentage yields applicable to each tier are disclosed in the Business Rate Schedule. Interest is calculated using the Daily Balance method, by applying the daily periodic rate to the principal in the account each day. For tiered accounts, once a particular range is met, the interest rate and annual percentage yield for that balance range will apply to the full balance of your account. If you close your account before accrued interest is credited, you will not receive the accrued interest.

#### Access Business Checking:

A minimum balance is required to avoid a fee as outlined on the Business Fee Schedule.

#### Simple Business Checking:

A minimum balance is required to avoid a fee as outlined on the Business Fee Schedule. Interest is calculated using the Daily Ledger Balance method.

## Fees applicable to Credit Cards, Loans, and Mortgage-related items are detailed in separate disclosure and are provided at the time application is made.

<sup>1</sup> Maximum of five (5) ATM Overdrawn Account / NSF / ACH / Overdraft / Uncollected Funds Fees per day

<sup>2</sup> From all deposit accounts, except CDs

<sup>3</sup> \$25 Minimum

