



# OUR Community Dollar

Code of Conduct

Program Participation Agreement — All Members & Participants

This Code of Conduct ensures that the OUR Community Dollar program remains a fair, inclusive, and respectful tool for local economic empowerment. All participants—consumers, businesses, and administrators—agree to the following:

## 1 Integrity and Fair Use

**Legal Compliance:** Participants must follow all local, provincial, and federal laws, including tax reporting on transactions made using the local currency.

**Honest Representation:** Businesses must clearly state their acceptance levels (e.g., 10% or particular payment) and not use the program to mislead customers.

## 2 Community First

**Local Support:** Use the currency to prioritize local independent businesses over multinational corporations whenever possible.

**Mutual Benefit:** Transactions should be conducted in a spirit of cooperation that strengthens the local "multiplier effect."

## 3 Inclusion and Respect

**Zero Tolerance for Discrimination:** The program is open to everyone. Discrimination based on race, gender, religion, age, disability, or orientation is strictly prohibited.

**Respectful Interaction:** All disputes should be handled professionally and through the designated program mediation channels if necessary. To uphold the integrity of the program the OUR Community Dollar Admin Team will hold final decision on any unresolved issues.

## 4 Transparency

**Open Feedback:** Participants are encouraged to provide constructive feedback to program administrators to improve the system.

**Membership Growth:** Participants are encouraged to support fellow Members by referring consumers to enrolled Business Members and introducing like-minded local businesses to join our movement.

## 5 Accountability

**Program Rights:** The administrators reserve the right to suspend any account that undermines the trust, stability, or reputation of the OUR Community Dollar ecosystem.



