



Please send application to
CUUPS, Inc. via mail or email:

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2692 Madison Rd. | Ste. 216
Cincinnati OH 45208
info@cuups.org
CUUPS.org

Complete by filling out by hand
or typing in this PDF. Print to
send US postal service or
email with your payment to
the address above. The
Membership Liaison will
contact you with any questions.

The Covenant of Unitarian
Universalist Pagans is dedicated
to networking Pagan-identified
Unitarian Universalists (UU's),
educating people about
Paganism, promoting interfaith
dialogue, developing Pagan
liturgies and theologies, and
supporting Pagan-identified
UU religious professionals.

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How to Apply to be a CUUPS Chapter

1. Verify you have 3-5 members of the sponsoring congregation who are also paid members of CUUPS, Inc.
2. Fill out the chapter application by printing it or filling in the pdf form provided on your computer.
3. Meet with your congregation's governing body for approvals and develop a covenant with them.
4. Send the application, covenant, chapter dues (if applicable) and board minutes (or letter from the minister) to membership@cuups.org or organization's mailing address.

Our Membership and Chapter Coordinators will review the application, verify the memberships and submit the application to the board for approval at the next meeting. Your chapter will be listed on our website when approved.

Policies on Local CUUPS Chapters

To be recognized as a CUUPS chapter, a group must:

1. Be in alignment with the CUUPS mission and the UUA Principles and Purposes.
2. Obtain authorization from the minister and/or board of the hosting congregation to form a CUUPS chapter and operate as part of the congregation.
3. Include at least 3 individuals who are active voting members of CUUPS Continental and members of a UUA member congregation or the Church of the Larger Fellowship.
4. Provide a contact person for publication, who shall at all times be both an active member of CUUPS and a member of a UU congregation or CLF.
5. Submit an annual registration form and chapter fee of \$30. (The chapter fee is waived for chapters whose members include 5 or more current, dues-paying CUUPS, Inc. members. Chapter dues must be renewed yearly.)
6. Submit a Statement of Mission and/or Purpose, and Bylaws or Operating Procedures for your Chapter. (Bylaws or other organizational documents can be sent in at the first renewal.)
7. Submit a written copy of the Covenant between your chapter, congregation and congregational leadership. The covenant can (and preferably will) include your congregation as a party to the covenant.

CUUPS, Inc. Mission

CUUPS is a Unitarian Universalist covenant group dedicated to supporting UU Pagans, to promoting Paganism within Unitarian Universalism, and to promoting Unitarian Universalism within Paganism.

Belonging to the continental CUUPS organization gives chapters and members:

- Access to Right-Relations consulting, organizational best practices consulting, and advice
- A voice in the public square for UU Earth-Relating and Gods-Relating values, such as consent culture, respect for the sacred worth of every being, and care for the earth.
- Contribution to ministries for incarcerated UU Pagans.
- Liturgy and Curriculum resources as curated by the liturgy and curriculum committee
- Networking with other chapters and members throughout the world
- Participation in cultivating relationships with the larger UU and Pagan communities
- A lively online CUUPS community on Facebook
- And More!



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Chapter Information

Only the chapter information and contact name and e-mail will be published on the webpage unless we are notified otherwise. Please complete both pages.

New Registration Renewal Change of Core Information

For Chapters with Changes:

Chapter Name

Former Mailing Address

All renewal forms and communications will be sent to this address in the future.

New Mailing Address

City/State/Postal Code

Website

Email

Phone

Chapter Contact Information (For Former and New Chapters)

All Chapters must have a contact person, who is an active member of CUUPS with a confidentiality level of 3. The person must be a member of the sponsoring UU congregation and of CUUPS, Inc.

Contact Person Name

Mailing Address

City/State/Postal Code

Email

Phone

Affiliated Congregation Information

All Chapters must have a contact person who is their liaison between the chapter and the congregation.

Sponsoring Congregation Name

Congregational Contact (Minister or Board Member who is liaison between the congregation and your CUUPS group.)

Church Mailing Address

City/State/Postal Code

Church Website

Church Contact Email

Contact Phone



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Application Submitted By:

Date:

Date Reviewed By CUUPS, Inc.

Documentation to Send:

- A.) Chapter Registration Fee of \$30
 - Enclosed Sent via PayPal / Email: _____
 - Waived (At least five (5) active members in CUUPS, Inc. that are also members of your Sponsoring Congregation)

- B.) Chapter Mission Statement, and Bylaws
 - Enclosed Emailed or online link: _____
 - Will submit within 90 days (For New Registrations Only)

- C.) A Covenant between your chapter and congregation
 - Enclosed Emailed or online link: _____

Member List

Please attach a list of Active CUUPS, Inc. Members. To form or renew a Chapter, you need at least 3 members of CUUPS-Continental who are also members of your sponsoring congregation. Please list each Member with their CUUPS Member Number. If you have 5 or more members who are have active CUUPS-Continental membership, your chapter fee may be waived.

Member Name	CUUPS Member Number
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Meeting & Activity Information

For publication in our Chapter Directory on CUUPS.org. Please include how you wish to share your Regular Meeting Times and Activities. Your Chapter listing on the CUUPS.org website will be linked to your church or chapter website, address, and phone. Please write in the space below.