

**The Woburn Fund
Massachusetts Bay District of Unitarian Universalist Congregations
Applicant Governing Board Certification**

We, the _____ (governing board) of the _____
_____ (congregation) is authorized to act on behalf
of our congregation. We endorse our congregation's application to the Woburn Fund
of the Massachusetts Bay District of Unitarian Universalist Congregations for
\$_____ (grant application amount), which would be used to _____
_____ (purpose of grant).

We hereby certify that the proposed activity is part of a larger congregation-wide effort, and that the project enjoys the full support of this congregation's lay and professional leadership. We believe that the impact and outcomes of the proposed activity will have long-term benefit for our congregation.

We attest that our congregation has appropriate financial management systems in place to receive, administer, and distribute a potential award from the Woburn Fund for approved purposes only. We understand that a Woburn Fund award cannot be used for expenses incurred prior to receipt of a funding award notice. We further attest that any unused Woburn Fund grant award will be returned to the Massachusetts Bay District.

We understand that priority will be given to Woburn Fund applicants who are Fair Share contributors to the Massachusetts Bay District and the Unitarian Universalist Association of Congregations. Our congregation is ____ / is not ____ a Fair Share contributor to the Massachusetts Bay District. Our congregation is ____ / is not ____ a Fair Share contributor to the Unitarian Universalist Association.

Signature of governing board Chair/President

Date