

LCUUF BOARD POLICY ON CHARITABLE CONTRIBUTIONS

Adopted by the Board of Directors: April 17, 2023

In order to be considered for inclusion in charitable giving by LCUUF, the following conditions must be met:

1. Each charity must have been reviewed and recommended by the LCUUF Social Action Team to ensure the charity meets UU Principles and Goals for the fellowship.
2. Each charity must be a registered A.C. (Asociación Civil) in good (active) standing.
3. If a charity is not an A.C. or registered with the Foundation for Lake Chapala Charities (FLCC), it should be vetted per [FLCC guidelines for non-A.C. charities](#).
4. The Board prefers that each charity be registered with the FLCC because it:
 - a. provides good oversight
 - b. provides a variety of online and other modes of donation
 - c. can provide a US tax-deductible receipt to members.
5. Each charity must provide at least annual reports to the LCUUF Treasurer regarding how funds have been used.
6. Each charity funded by LCUUF will be reviewed on an annual basis by the Social Action Team and the Board of Directors.
7. The Board of Directors shall make the final determination of whether or not a charity is funded by LCUUF, either as a line item on the budget (labeled Community Outreach) or via regular or special collections.

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