

Rock It All Innovation and Trade Preservations

EIN: 87-1238525

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Folk Alliance International Group Exemption Program

Thank you for your participation in the Folk Alliance International Group Exemption Umbrella Program. This letter is to verify that your organization remains in good standing as per both our and the Internal Revenue Service's guidelines for this program through March 31, 2022. Your organization has both its individual Employer Identification Number (EIN: 87-1238525), independent of Folk Alliance International, as well as a Group Exemption Number (GEN) 8047.

This letter may be used as proof to funding agencies to establish a defined relationship between Folk Alliance International and each of its Group Exemption participants. All organizations under this program are separately incorporated from Folk Alliance International. Members of this program are eligible to receive benefits by being recognized under our 501(c)3 status. However, they act as their own fiscal agents and are responsible for all of the required filings such as IRS, INS, Dept. of Labor, etc. They have requirements to individual state offices and to the Federal government, as they are a freestanding organization for all of these purposes.

Folk Alliance International began this program in 1996 in order to allow small not for profits to establish themselves without the major expense and time investment of seeking individual exemption. The organizational requirements are essentially the same as applying to the IRS directly, but are more cost and time effective. In order to maintain this status, participating charitable organizations are required to complete annual reporting. Folk Alliance International in return submits a list of its Group Exemption participants to the IRS. Failure to file accurate and timely renewal information will result in removal from the program and coverage.

Thank you for your participation in this program. We look forward to working with you and are happy to assist should you have any concerns or questions.

Kindest regards,

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Executive Director