# Spring Valley Freedom Lodge Private Membership Association (PMA)

The Spring Valley Freedom Lodge Private Membership Association (PMA) is the economic and social framework through which our community operates, trades, and interacts under the protection of our 508(c)(1)(a) Faith-Based Organization (FBO) Community Trust.

This structure provides a **legally protected private domain** where members can **conduct business**, **exchange services**, **and engage in commerce without the regulatory constraints** imposed on public entities. It allows us to establish **an independent economic ecosystem**, free from unnecessary government oversight, taxation, and statutory interference.

# How the Freedom Lodge PMA is Structured

- 1. Foundation in the 508(c)(1)(a) Community Trust
  - The Spring Valley Freedom Lodge FBO Trust serves as the legal foundation for the PMA.
  - As a faith-based organization, the Lodge is inherently tax-exempt and operates independently from public jurisdiction.
  - This allows us to form a PMA under private contract law, maintaining internal sovereignty over our trade and services.
- 2. Membership-Based Structure
  - The Freedom Lodge PMA is not a public business or corporation; it is a private association of individuals who voluntarily contract as members.
  - Membership is by invitation and agreement, meaning all members operate under the bylaws and values of the Lodge.
  - This structure ensures legal protections, privacy, and freedom in our internal commerce and community affairs.
- 3. Internal Governance & Self-Regulation
  - The Freedom Lodge Council oversees PMA governance, contracts, and internal policies.
  - Members exchange goods and services freely, without external interference.
  - All disputes and agreements are handled internally, with arbitration and mediation based on common law and private contract law.
- 4. Membership Benefits & Economic Participation
  - All Lodge initiatives, trade, and services are conducted within the PMA, ensuring that wealth and opportunity stay within the community.
  - Members access exclusive business, trade, education, and investment opportunities.

 The PMA functions as a self-sufficient economic hub, allowing members to build businesses, collaborate, and prosper under a mutual aid framework.

# Advantages & Opportunities of the Freedom Lodge PMA

The **Freedom Lodge PMA** provides **unparalleled advantages** for its members, granting **economic**, **legal**, **and personal freedoms** that are not available under standard business or nonprofit structures.

## 1. Legal Protection from Government Overreach

- The PMA operates under private law, meaning it is not subject to government licensing, regulation, or taxation in the same way public businesses are.
- Transactions, contracts, and trade agreements within the PMA are protected under private contract law, ensuring autonomy from external interference.
- Example: A **Freedom Lodge herbalist** can sell **homemade natural remedies** to PMA members **without FDA or regulatory oversight**, as the transaction takes place **within** a **private association**, **not the public domain**.

## 2. Tax-Free Economic Exchange

- All commerce conducted within the PMA is tax-exempt, as it is not considered public business activity.
- Example: A **PMA member sells livestock or grass-fed beef** to another member—this transaction is private and not subject to sales tax.

#### 3. Private Business & Service Networks

- Members can establish private businesses and services within the PMA without burdensome regulations, licensing, or red tape.
- Example: A Freedom Lodge trainer offers combat training & self-defense classes exclusively to PMA members—no state certification, insurance, or licensing is required.

#### 4. Exclusive Trade & Investment Opportunities

- The PMA allows us to establish a self-sustaining trade network, keeping wealth and commerce within our community.
- We can launch **private investment initiatives**, such as real estate development, member-owned businesses, and Lodge projects.
- Example: A PMA investment syndicate could fund a Freedom Lodge Tiny House Community, where members own shares in the development without government restrictions.

#### 5. Sovereign Banking & Financial Security

- Members can engage in private lending, microfinance, and mutual aid, bypassing central banking control.
- We can develop alternative financial systems such as local currency, barter networks, and decentralized trade tokens.
- Example: The Lodge can create a Prosperity Token System, allowing members to trade goods, services, and investments internally without dependency on traditional banking.

#### 6. Homeschooling & Alternative Education Without State Oversight

- The **PMA** can run its own private education initiatives without government-imposed curriculum requirements.
- Example: The Freedom Lodge Academy can teach homesteading, tactical training, entrepreneurship, and self-sufficiency to members without state interference.

## 7. Sovereign Land Management & Homesteading

- Land developed within the PMA is protected under private trust, meaning members can build, farm, and live freely.
- Example: A member wants to **set up an off-grid homestead**—as a PMA participant, they **develop within the Lodge's private trust without zoning or permitting issues.**

## 8. Private Healthcare & Holistic Healing Practices

- The Freedom Lodge PMA can provide alternative health services, free from corporate healthcare mandates, insurance requirements, and pharmaceutical control.
- Example: A Lodge healer provides herbal medicine, physical therapy, and wellness coaching exclusively to PMA members, without the need for medical licensing or government compliance.

#### 9. Private Security & Tactical Training Without Regulation

- We can provide firearms training, tactical defense courses, and security operations within the PMA, without restrictive laws limiting our rights.
- Example: A Freedom Lodge firearms instructor can train members in combat tactics, weapons handling, and security operations without interference.

# A Fortress for Freedom & Prosperity

The Spring Valley Freedom Lodge PMA is not just an organization—it is an autonomous, self-sustaining economic and social system. By operating under private law, we bypass

unnecessary restrictions, keep resources within our community, and create real, lasting prosperity for members.

This is our sanctuary for sovereignty.

This is our fortress for economic independence.

This is our gateway to limitless opportunity.

Welcome to the Freedom Lodge PMA. Welcome to true freedom.