

CENTER FOR THE WORKING POOR / BURNING BUSH COMMUNITY APPLICATION

Application date: _____ Received by: _____

NAME: _____ PHONE: _____

ADDRESS: _____ E-mail: _____

EMERGENCY CONTACT: _____

EMERGENCY PHONE # _____ RELATIONSHIP: _____

The Center for the Working Poor / Burning Bush Community is an inter-faith intentional community based off of the Catholic Worker movement and the new monasticism, which is committed to strategic non-violent social change. Our key principles are: A) Non-violence B) Voluntary Simplicity & Intentional Community C) Hospitality and Food Delivery for Fired Workers D) Burning Bush Newspaper and Website E) Community Building 6) Spirituality and Faith in Action. See our *Principles and Programs* document for more information.

1) How did you hear about the Burning Bush Community? _____

2) Please indicate the length of time you can commit to renting a room: _____

How much can you afford to pay for rent & utilities? _____

Are you currently employed? _____ Employer: _____

3) Why are you interested in living at the Burning Bush Community?

4) Please describe what “intentional community” means to you and list any previous experience living in intentional community:

5) Will you commit to attending monthly house meetings, doing weekly chores, cooking a house meal once a week, and participating in community events?

6) What particular skills or interests will you bring to our community? (ie cooking, computer skills, languages, gardening, music, social activities, etc.)

7) Describe your spiritual practice and/or activities you engage in for personal growth:

8) What concerns or fears do you have about living at the Burning Bush Community?

9) What are your expectations and/or what do you hope for from your experience living at The Burning Bush Community?

10) What does non-violence mean to you and how do you believe it can be force for social change?

11) What questions do you have about living at the Burning Bush Community?

Interviewed by: _____ Date: _____
Approved at house meeting? _____ Move-in date: _____