

<b>NORTHWOODS UNITARIAN UNIVERSALIST CHURCH</b>	TITLE: Northwoods Green Microlending Project	
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**1. POLICY:**

A microlending program will further the goals of the Northwoods Green committee in the following ways:

1. Microlending can promote sustainable projects around the world.
2. Microlending is considered to be a “Green Economic” process, and will enhance NUUC’s progress toward Green Sanctuary status.
3. Microlending for sustainable projects fulfills our Seventh Principle, to connect us to the interdependent web of existence.

**CRITERIA**

- the Project will not lend to any partners whose requests would violate UU principles
- the Project will not lend to any partners whose requests would violate Northwoods principles
- the Project will choose lending partners whose requests will promote a more sustainable future for the recipient.

**2. REFERENCED DOCUMENTS:**

- [www.Kiva.org](http://www.Kiva.org)
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**3. DEFINITIONS:**

**4. PROCEDURE STEPS:**

Step	Activity 1: Operation	Responsibility
A	Initial funding will be raised through Share the Plate (STP)	STP
B	NG will monitor the Kiva.org account and reinvest funds, as available, on a quarterly basis	Northwoods Administrator
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**5. OTHER INFORMATION - (Attachments, records, other comments as needed):**

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