

GREENVILLE AVENUE CHURCH OF CHRIST
POLICY STATEMENT ON PRIVATE BUSINESS TRANSACTIONS

As of June 01, 2015

This policy is intended to set forth the Greenville Avenue Church of Christ's ("GACOC") formal position on private business transactions occurring between members of GACOC or otherwise with other members of the Church of Christ ("Members"). For purposes herein, "Private Business Transactions" shall mean any such proposed or actual non-GACOC sanctioned business transactions or business activities, including any related discussions and/or negotiations, whether such Private Business Transaction is concluded or not, between Members. For clarification purposes, Private Business Transactions shall NOT be inclusive of GACOC approved organizations and activities, including but not limited to, GACOC fund-raising activities.

GACOC hereby sets forth that as an organization, GACOC does not encourage, endorse or otherwise support any Private Business Transactions between Members, including but not limited to, Members who are in leadership positions in GACOC. Consequently, any Member who chooses to solicit, consider or otherwise enter into a Private Business Transaction shall do so on a buyer beware basis and at their own risk and also be responsible for fully vetting any such transaction and any consequences, intended or unintended. Further, In the event Members consider or otherwise enter into a Private Business Transaction, and a dispute arises, such dispute shall be addressed by the involved Members in accordance with the admonition given in Matthew 18:15 – 17:

15 "Moreover if thy brother shall trespass against thee, go and tell him his fault between thee and him alone: if he shall hear thee, thou hast gained thy brother. 16 But if he will not hear thee, then take with thee one or two more, that in the mouth of two or three witnesses every word may be established." 17 And if he shall neglect to hear them, tell it unto the church: but if he neglect to hear the church, let him be unto thee as an heathen man and a publican."

The above has been approved by leadership of GACOC and is effective immediately as of the date first set forth above until further amended, modified or revised.