## Unity of Central Florida Board Member - Code of Ethics

As a member of the Board of Trustees, I will:

- · Uphold the purpose of the Ministry
- · Uphold the highest interest of the Membership
- · Place the interests of the Ministry above my personal interests
- · Be mindful of my fiduciary responsibilities
- $\cdot$  Be respectful toward other Board Members, the Spiritual Leader, staff and guests  $\cdot$  Support majority decisions of the Board
- · Recognize that authority is vested in the full Board only when it meets in legal sessions
- $\cdot$  Keep well informed of developments relevant to issues before the Board  $\cdot$ -Bring to the attention of the Board any issues that may adversely affect the Ministry or those to whom we minister
- · Follow the proper chain of command
- · Ensure that the Ministry is well-managed
- · Strive to learn from my experience and to always do my best
- · Declare personal conflicts of interest and abstain from voting when appropriate

## As a Member of the Board of Trustees I will not:

- · Criticize the Spiritual Leader or fellow Board Members or their opinions outside of the "Board Room"
- · Use the ministry for my personal or professional advantage or for that of my friends or my relatives
- · Discuss the deliberations of the Board outside the "Board Room" unless authorized by the Board
- · Promise how I will vote on any issue before the meeting
- · Interfere with the duties of the Spiritual Leader or undermine the Spiritual Leader's authority with staff members

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