

UNITED SQUARE DANCERS OF AMERICA

RESOLUTION

USDA Nonprofit Group Exemption Program

- Whereas; The United Square Dancers of America is widely recognized as one of the preeminent service organizations within the Square Dance community;*
- Whereas; The United Square Dancers of America is constantly seeking better means to serve Square Dancing;*
- Whereas; There are many benefits to Square Dance organizations that obtain nonprofit status – among the most valuable of these are –*
- ❖ Exemption from paying taxes;*
 - ❖ Eligible to receive grants;*
 - ❖ Qualified to receive tax deductible bequests, devises, transfers, or gifts;*
 - ❖ Potential to be eligible to rent dance facilities at below-market rates;*
- Whereas; With the Federal Internal Revenue Service's designation of USDA as a National Nonprofit Group Exemption Administrator Organization, USDA is now able to extend IRS 501(c)(3) Nonprofit Status to those USDA Affiliate and Associate members that qualify;*
- Whereas; The United Square Dancers of America has established the USDA Nonprofit Group Exemption Program Committee to administer this program and make it available to eligible groups;*
- Therefore: Be it resolved that the United Square Dancers of America, and its member organizations, promote the benefits of this program and encourage groups to participate in this valuable program.*

*Adopted by Unanimous Vote of
UNITED SQUARE DANCERS OF AMERICA
Board of Directors during their
Annual Meeting Twenty-Third (23rd)
day of June 2021 at Jackson, Mississippi.*

