

Central Canadian District
The Christian and Missionary Alliance of Canada

BECOMING A CHURCH PLANT
(Unorganized Status)

NAME OF CHURCH PLANT: _____

MEETING LOCATION: _____

DOCTRINE: We believe in God, the Father, Son and Holy Spirit; in the verbal inspiration of the Holy Scriptures as originally given; in the vicarious atonement of the Lord Jesus Christ and the eternal salvation of all who believe in Him and the eternal punishment of all who reject Him. We accept the doctrine of the Lord Jesus Christ as Saviour, Sanctifier, Healer and Coming King.

PASTOR: The District Superintendent of the CCD, appoints _____ to serve as pastor of this church plant. This pastor shall complete the process to become an accredited Official Worker with the C&MA. The pastor and Advisory Committee shall function under the authority and supervision of the District Superintendent.

ADVISORY COMMITTEE

An Advisory Committee consisting of the pastor, secretary, financial secretary, treasurer and any other members-at-large deemed necessary shall be appointed by the District Superintendent of the CCD. This committee shall meet monthly to coordinate the ministry of the church plant. A copy of the minutes of its monthly meetings, along with a copy of a monthly financial statement, shall be mailed to the District Superintendent.

OFFICIERS	PHONE	EMAIL ADDRESS
Pastor: _____	_____	_____
Treasurer: _____	_____	_____
Recording Secretary: _____	_____	_____
Financial Secretary: _____	_____	_____
Member-at-Large: _____	_____	_____

MISSIONARY SUPPORT

This church plant shall give regularly to the Global Advance Fund of the C&MA in Canada (National Ministry Center, 30 Carrier Dr., Suite 100, Toronto, ON M9W 5T7) and schedule Alliance Missionaries to speak at a worship service annually. This congregation shall actively seek to spread the Gospel in Canada and around the world.

STRATEGIC PLAN

The Advisory Committee of this church plant shall develop a written strategic plan, outlining its goals and action plans for ministry. A copy of this plan will be sent to the District Superintendent to be reviewed at least once a year.

RESOURCES

The Central Canadian District will provide appropriate support for this church plant, which will include, ministry coaching, and possibly, short-term financial subsidy. The goal is that in 3 years the congregation will become self-support, self-governing and self-propagating.

The CCD will work with church planter and his Advisory Committee in becoming registered as a charitable organization and when ready, toward becoming an Organized Alliance Church.

Date: _____

Pastor of Church Plant: _____

District Superintendent: _____