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Kalamazoo Islamic Center (KIC)  
Application for Zakah 2021 (1442 H)  
(Filled out Applications must be returned to KIC by Thursday, April 29, 1:00 pm)  
*Applications received after the deadline may not be considered for Zakah*

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**Name of Applicant (s):** \_\_\_\_\_

**Legal Name of Applicant:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

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**Telephone No.** \_\_\_\_\_ **Are you a Muslim?** Yes / No **Gender:** Male / Female

**Which Masjid do you normally attend (Circle One):** Kalamazoo Islamic Ctr. / Bilal Islamic Ctr.

**Job Status:** Employed / Unemployed **Income:** \$ \_\_\_\_\_ / Week. **No of Family Members:** \_\_\_\_\_

**On the back of this page:** Please describe for the Zakah Committee why you think that you and/or your family qualify to receive Zakah.

**Do you wish to meet the Zakah Committee in person?** Yes / No

Allah is my witness; I certify that I have provided true information to the best of my knowledge.

**Applicant's Signature** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

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**REFERENCES:** (Please provide references from **two** KIC members who are not applying for Zakah).

**Allah is my witness; I know the applicant,** \_\_\_\_\_, **personally** and **I believe** to the best of my knowledge that he/she qualifies for Zakah.

Name (Member1): \_\_\_\_\_ Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Name (Member2): \_\_\_\_\_ Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

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**Who is Eligible for Zakah:** *AsSadaqat* (here it means Zakah) are only for the *Fuqara* (the poor who do not beg), and *Al-Masakin* (the poor who beg), and those employed to collect the (funds)\* and to attract the hearts of those who have been inclined (towards Islam); and to free the captives; and for those in debt; and for Allah's cause, and for the wayfarer (a traveler who is cut off from everything); a duty imposed by Allah. And Allah is All-Knower, All-Wise" (Surah 9, At-Tauba. Ayah 60)

Ubaidullah ibn Adiyy al-Khiyar reported: Two men told me that they went *to* the Prophet (p.b.u.h) during the farewell pilgrimage while he was distributing charity. They asked him for help. He gave them a look from the head down and then found them to be sturdy and strong. Then he said "If you desire, I shall give it to you. But, there is no Zakah for one who is rich, neither for the one who is strong and earning." (Abu Dawud and An- Nisai). **\*KIC does not incur any cost towards operation and maintenance of the Zakah/Charity funds.\***

**Note:** Only one (1) form to be submitted per family. Please fold and drop the form in the donation box at KIC. Your information will remain confidential. Do not sign in the box below.

Signature of a Zakah Committee Member: \_\_\_\_\_