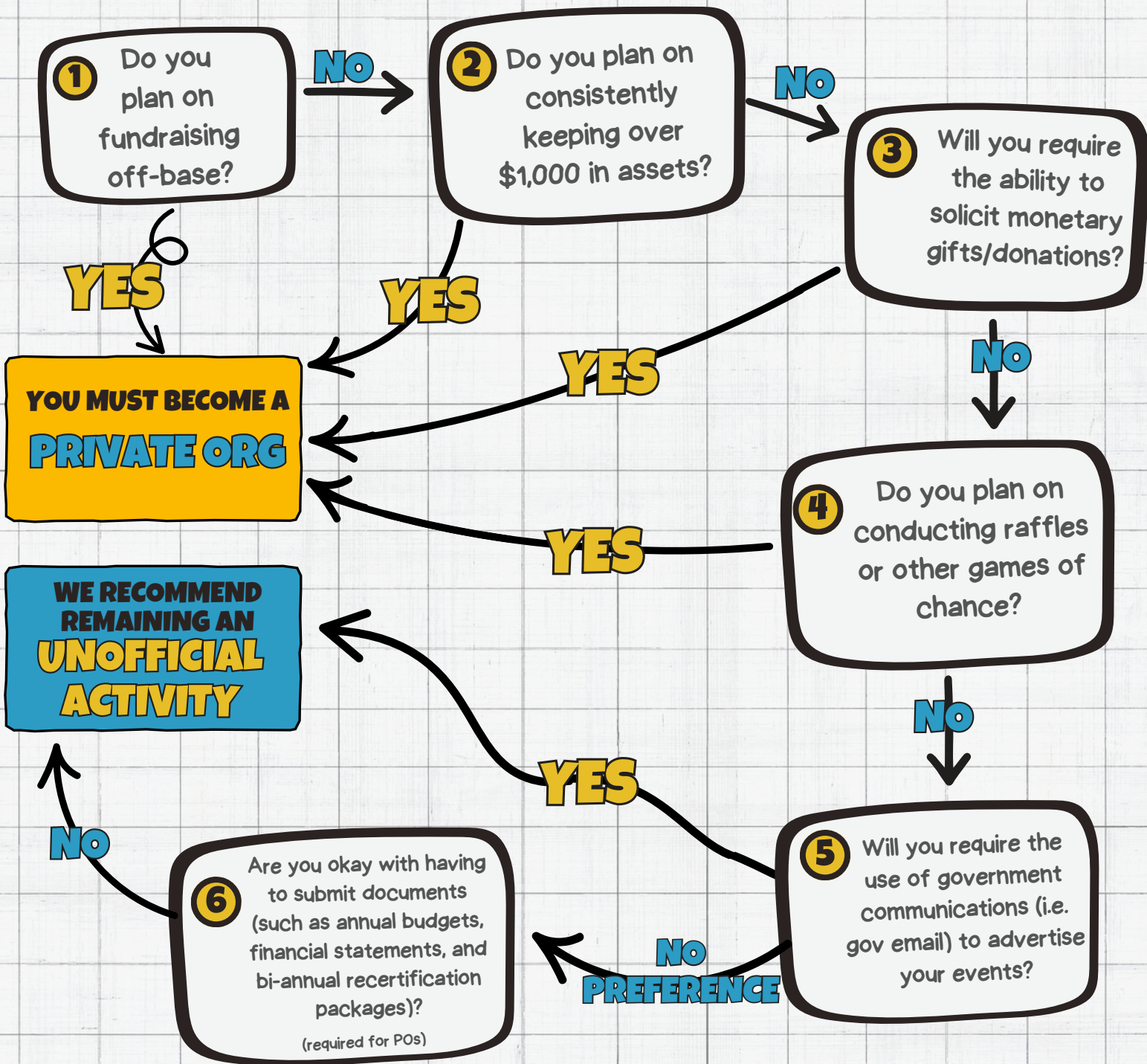




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## PRIVATE ORGANIZATIONS

### PROS

Can fundraise\* on AND off-base

May conduct raffles\*

May solicit\* monetary gifts and/or donations off-base

May keep more than \$1,000 in assets over a 3-month period

\*with proper approval from FSR

### CONS

NOT authorized to use official communications systems (i.e. gov email) to support fundraisers and/or conduct official PO business

NOT authorized to work in the capacity of the PO while on-duty, or while in uniform

Members must sign for financial liability. If the PO does not have liability insurance, members personal assets are placed at risk in the event of PO liability

Required to utilize financial management tools (i.e. budgets, financial statements, audits)

Must resubmit application package every 2 years in order to remain in "Active" status

## UNOFFICIAL UNIT ACTIVITIES\*

### PROS

May use official communications systems (i.e. gov email) to support fundraisers

May utilize unit personnel to support fundraisers while on duty and in uniform

NOT required to submit any paperwork to FSR (other than to request a fundraiser outside of your unit)

May conduct fundraisers within your unit (with unit CC approval) without obtaining prior approval from FSR

### CONS

NOT authorized to fundraise off-base

NOT authorized to solicit gifts/donations of any kind, from any source.

NOT authorized to conduct raffles (regardless of location)

NOT authorized to keep more than \$1,000 in assets over a 3-month period (some exceptions apply)

Must submit annual financial reports to your unit CC detailing income and expenses for the year

## WHAT IS THE SAME FOR BOTH?

- Both types of groups are only allowed to have 3 fundraisers (of any kind) per quarter
- Both types of groups may ACCEPT (NOT SOLICIT) gifts and donations from outside sources

\* If your organization is not unit-affiliated (e.g. Spouses Club), some rules may differ from above. Please contact 96 FSS/FSR for more information.

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