



Maryville Farmers' Market
2021 Vendor Application
(Season: April 17 - November 13, 2021)

"From East Tennessee Hands"
www.farmersmarketmaryville.com

Please complete this application and submit with a non-refundable application fee of \$20 by April 30th, \$40 non-refundable fee by June 1st.

Please remit to: **Maryville Farmers' Market PO Box 7286 Maryville, TN 37802**

Name: _____

Farm/Business Name: _____

Address: _____

County: _____ City: _____ Zip: _____

Home Phone: _____ Cell: _____ Office: _____

Email: _____

(email address will be necessary for you to receive vendor news updates)

Address of location(s) where products are raised/produced.

(NOTE: All products must be raised/produced in East Tennessee - please refer to Rules and Procedures for explanation.)
Please provide directions/map on the reverse side of this application.

I am a: ___ individual ___ family Are you 18 years or older: ___ Yes ___ No

Do you plan to attend every market during the season? ___ Yes ___ No

If no, please list the dates you wish to attend. _____

Who will represent you to assist with sales at the Market in the event that you are not available?

Farmers/Growers: Please select each category in which you plan to bring to the market:

Fruits: ___ Vegetables: ___ Cut-Herbs: ___ Eggs: ___ Honey: ___ Baked Goods: ___

Cut-Flowers: ___ Fiber: ___ *Meat: ___ *Poultry: ___ *Seafood: ___ *Dairy: ___

***Requires certification (On the reverse side, please include each item that will be sold at market.)**

In Soil Bedding Plants/Flowers/Herbs: ___ Vegetable Plants: ___ **(must provide TDA certification)**

Processors/Prepared Foods and Other Items: Please select each category in which you plan to bring to market:

Breads/Baked Goods: ___ Jams/Jellies: ___ Soaps: ___ Lotions: ___

Other (please specify): _____

(Please note, vegetable based butters, jams and jellies may not be sold at the market.)

Are any of your products Organic? ___ Yes ___ No (If so, please list which ones.)

Note: Please provide copies of all certifications with application.

Please provide the name and phone number of two persons who will serve as a reference attesting to the quality of your product(s):

Name: _____ Phone: _____

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Your answers on the application will not negate your participation in the Market. All applications will be reviewed by the Board of Directors. Therefore, a minimum of two weeks processing time is required prior to a vendor selling products at the Market. Approval to sell is dependent upon authorization by the Board and you will be notified of your status once the review is complete. Maryville Farmers' Market will keep this application as an official record.

Release, waiver and assumption of risk:

I, the undersigned, am fully aware and understand the potential risks involved with my participation in the Maryville Farmers' Market. Specific dangers include damage to personal property, loss of personal inventory, serious physical injury, or death.

Additional dangers include and are not limited to damages due to inclement weather and other reasonably anticipated risks that accompany participation in such an event. I acknowledge that I voluntarily participate in this event. I hereby agree to assume all of injury, damage to persons and property and/or death, and to hold the City of Maryville, Maryville Farmers' Market, and its volunteers, officers, agents, or employees harmless from any liability for any injuries, or claim for damage, damage to goods or death that may arise in connection with my participation in this market. This Hold Harmless Agreement also pertains to any actions of negligence by the City of Maryville, Maryville Farmers' Market, and its volunteers, officers, agents, or employees which may have caused or contributed to the injury, damages, or death.

This agreement shall be binding upon my heirs and dependents as well as me. I participate freely and voluntarily in this market and expressly assume all of the risks of the event. I have also read and agree to abide by all the rules and regulations of the Maryville Farmers' Market.

Applicant: _____ **Date:** _____

I have read the rules and procedures and understand them and agree to abide by them. (Refer to Maryville Farmers' Market Rules and Procedures.)

Signed: _____ **Date:** _____

The mission of the Maryville Farmers' Market is to promote the sale of local farm products; to improve the freshness, taste, and nutritional value of produce available; to encourage more social contact between the consumer and farmer, to educate the public as to the agricultural traditions of East Tennessee; and to celebrate and help preserve family farms.

Vendor Code of Conduct: Vendors are expected to behave courteously to customers, other vendors, and market staff and to conduct themselves professionally at all times. Vendors are not to publicly disparage other vendors, products or markets. It is the market's intent to serve the public and create a friendly atmosphere that will benefit both the vendors and customers. Behavior by vendors or their family members that is disruptive, abusive, or threatening towards other members, the public or the market coordinator is not allowed. If there is a grievance, it should be brought to the Market Manager's attention first. If the grievance is not solved, the Market Manager will require that a grievance form be completed and the grievance will be brought to the Board's attention.

Vendor Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

OFFICIAL USE ONLY: Renewal: ___ New: ___ Date Received: _____ Date Paid: _____ Check No.: _____ or Cash: _____ or Credit: _____ Number of Spaces: ___ One ___ Two ___ Three (\$20.00 per space) Date Inspected: _____ Inspected By: _____ Approved: ___ Yes ___ No Date Vendor Notified: _____ Mileage: _____
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