

White Earth Community Farmers' Market

COVID-19 and Farmers Market Safety Guidelines

Organizer Guidelines:

- Space stalls at least 6-feet apart
- Provide cleaning and sanitizing supplies
- No customers will be allowed between stalls
- Create a border around farmer's market and a perimeter to rope off prohibited areas
- Hand sanitizer will be made available at the entrance and at vendor tables and required its use for all who enter.
- Customers with physical issues are encouraged to attend market at 4 p.m. so staff may assist them.
- The manager's booth has been moved to the front.
- Of the maximum number of vendors, which is 11, only one patron per vendor will be allowed in the market space at a time. Market manager will monitor the flow of customers through the market.
- There is one entrance and one exit. Customers will enter and approach vendor's table of choice, while maintaining a 6' social distance at all times. Staff at market entrance will instruct patrons on how to proceed through the market site and the floor will be marked with 6' increments to allow for safe movement of customers across space to other vendor tables.
- Food demos, music, and all other special activities/events are canceled at this time.
- Market staff and signage will remind customers to make purchases in the safest manner.
- Sales are cash/checks/vouchers/EBT only. Surfaces of any point of sale devices used will be cleaned and sanitized after every customer.
- Pets are not allowed at the market, with the exception of service animals.

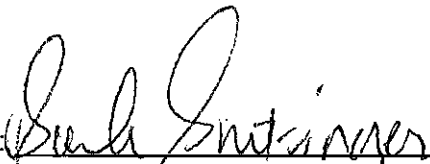
Vendor Guidelines

- Vendors will receive a written notice of new market safety guidelines, with vendor expectations and requirements.
- Vendors will be screened upon arrival for COVID-19 symptoms before setting up.
- No food sampling.
- As we are an outdoor market and the 6' social distancing will be in place, facemasks will be strongly recommended at vendor's expense.
- Gloves or hand sanitizers will be utilized by vendors between payment handling.
- Will routinely use sanitizing wipes for surfaces
- Hand sanitizer will be available
- Vendor will supply their own new bags, as used bags are prohibited.
- Ready-to-eat foods can be sold as long as they are packaged for take-out
- No more than 3 vendor volunteers may assist vendor

Shopper Guidelines

- Shopper Guidelines will be posted at entrance, with handouts available for those who wish a hardcopy. Market staff will be available at entrance to answer questions.
- Stay 6 feet away from other customers
- Please do not touch products, vendors will package and hand to you
- Please no onsite consumption of food – take home only
- Facemasks will be strongly recommended.
- Stay home if you are sick
- Expect delays: The number of customers allowed to shop at one time will be limited. Please be patient.
- Customers may package their own purchases using clean, reusable bags from home.
- Avoid gathering in groups in the marketplace. Please make your purchases and leave promptly.
- Bring small bills to make exact change.
- No pets allowed, except for service animals
- Bring only as many household members as is absolutely needed. Only two people per family is encouraged.

Approval Signature: _____


EDC operations Chief

Date: _____

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