

Plan on selling food items at the market such as Baked Goods, Jams, Preserves, or Eggs?

Then please read the following information.

Important to note that you must get approval before attending as a daily vendor

This can take as long as 14 days before you can attend the market.

- ✓ Have a general understanding of the applicable legislation (Ontario Food Premise Regulation and the Health Protection and Promotion Act).
- ✓ Contact the farmers' market confirm if there is space and what the application process is. The market management approves the vendor spaces, not the Health Unit, However approval from Health Department must be approved before you can attend.
- ✓ Provide a copy of a satisfactory public health unit inspection report to the market management
- ✓ Undergo a risk assessment by a public health inspector prior to becoming eligible for a market stand. This can take as long as 14 days before you can attend the market.
- ✓ Ensure that products and practices meet legislative requirements.
- ✓ Consider taking the food handler training program from the local public health unit.

What foods cannot be sold at a farmers' market?

- Ungraded eggs (proof of grading required to sell at market)
- Unpasteurized dairy products
- Meats that have not been federally or provincially inspected (receipts required to sell at market)
- Cannabis in any form