

Dear Homemade, Handmade, Homegrown, and/or Licensed Food Vendor,

The New Baltimore Farmers Market (NBFM) Board of Directors has released the reservation form for their 12th Annual Market Season in 2019. We are looking forward to another successful year and hope that you will choose to participate with us!

This form IS IMPORTANT as it reserves you 'in line' for the type(s) of products that you will be bringing to the market. The NBFM Board of Directors puts limits on the product mix of the market. For instance, if the Board sets a limit of three bakers for the market ~ the first reservation form received gets the 1st choice of dates or to be seasonal, & the second form gets to choose 2nd etc. These forms are accepted up until February 1, 2019; however, the first ones to be received are the 1st vendors to be included with their product. We encourage you to get your reservation form in as soon as possible, so the Board of Directors can include you/your products/company while planning for the upcoming season! Spaces are already filling up quickly!

You can access a copy of the 2019 Standard Vendor Reservation Form by clicking on Standard Vendor Form in the same website area that you found this information. You may also access a sample FULL application from the past season (2018) for your review and informational purposes. You do not have to select weekly or seasonal vendor status upon submitting the reservation form. The NBFM Board of Directors holds a Strategic Planning Session every year in January where the exact details (dates, rates, # of markets, etc.) are set for that season. At this time, we do not expect the rates and number of markets to change. The 2019 Full application is released by Mid-February and information will be sent by email. You may select dates of attendance or to be seasonal upon submitting your completed full application. The fee that is sent in with this form is applied to your attendance fees for your first and last market applied to attend in the 2019 Season or to your seasonal fee. Forms received for products that have already reached the limit set by the Board will be notified and put on a waiting list with the option to have their application fee returned.

We realize the information below is quite a lot...if you have any questions or need further clarification, please do not hesitate to let us know! If you'd like to contact other vendors that have participated in long-standing at our market, please not their contact information at the end of this email.

We are happy to feature a wide-variety of participants at our market...something that our market has become known for and that our customers much appreciate. Market participants / vendors are to provide their own supplies needed to conduct business at the market; i.e., table(s), chair(s), canopy, etc. (We recommend the use of canopies BUT do not require them. Canopies used MUST be weighted down.) We are aware that many people are often not familiar with working in an outdoor environment BUT the many that we have hosted throughout the years are surprised to find out how simple, enjoyable, rewarding & profitable it really is! Our 'vendor-market family' is very friendly and helpful. We encourage you to try us out for a couple of market dates to see for yourself!

All participants are asked to attend the 2019 Vendor Forum held mid-March (date TBD). An email will be sent with specifics & details by mid-February.

This information is for homemade/handmade/homegrown products. If you have direct sales / manufactured products, please access those details on our website. If you are a community/educational/non-profit group, entertainer, business (not selling), or other type of interested party ~ please email marketmanager@newbaltimorefarmersmarket.com for information/form applicable to you.

If you would like to contact other people that have participated with the NBFM seasonally/regularly please note the information below:

Gold International	alfavf@gmail.com
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Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions.

Gratefully

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