

# Buffalo Farmers Market Welcome

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## Introduction

Thank you for your interest in the 2010 Buffalo Farmers Market. Enclosed is the application, a copy of the bylaws, and other important information about the market. The Buffalo Farmers Market is a small to medium sized market, smaller than the metro area markets. We typically have 25-30 vendors at a market.

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## Market Days/ Time

The Buffalo Farmers Market is located in downtown Buffalo in the city parking lot across from the Buffalo Cinema. The market is held each Saturday from May 1-October 30.

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## Membership Fee

The fee for the market is \$75. This fee pays for market advertising and promotions.

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## Market Policies

Here is a list of the 'basics' for the market:

- Spaces are 10X10, about 11 spaces allow vendors to work from vehicles, though these spaces may not be available. Please indicate on your application if you would like a space that allows vehicle parking. No double spaces will be sold.
  - Returning vendors from last season may set up in the same space used last year; this space will be honored until 7:30 AM. After 7:30 AM, the Market Manager will fill in spaces as needed to complete the market. See a Market Manager when you arrive to find out where to setup.
  - Only local products (within 25 miles), raised or made by the member are allowed
  - We do not have electrical hookups nor do we allow generators
  - Each member is responsible for compliance with government health, safety, and tax revenue laws for the products they sell
  - No resale or commercial products allowed
  - Set up at the market begins around 7 AM, for the safety of our customers no vehicles are allowed in the market after 8 AM
  - Please review the enclosed bylaws for more details.
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## Application Process

To join the market, please complete and return the attached application with your membership fee. We do have a cap of 40 vendors for the market membership. The Vendor Selection Committee will review your application and notify you of their decision within one week. Any membership fees will be returned promptly.

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## Questions?

If you have any other questions about the market, please contact one of the market managers. They are happy to talk to you about the market.

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