

GO LOCAL...a Farmers' and Artisans' Market

461 County Road, Barrington, RI 02806

2010 SUMMER MARKET VENDOR INFORMATION

Summer Market Schedule and Fees: Fees allow us to pay for grounds maintenance, market management, printing costs, special events, publicity... A participation fee of \$50.00 is due with your application.

\$350 for a 10' x 10' space (\$300 for each additional 10'x10' space)

Saturdays, June 12 – October 30, 2010 9:00 a.m. – 1 p.m.

MARKET STANDARDS: Our goal is to foster a market with a diversity of locally grown and produced foods that are accessible to all segments of the population and unrivaled in quality and freshness. Failure to comply with the following requirements degrades the market and will jeopardize participation. We require proof of general liability insurance for all vendors. A copy of your insurance coverage certificate must accompany your application.

- **Farm Products** - Produce, honey, maple syrup, dairy, flowers, fiber, etc: Over the course of the farmers' market season, 60% of what you sell must be grown on your own farm. Also 100% must be sourced from farms in RI, MA or CT. We require the display of the farm name and state origins of the purchased food.
- **Meat, Eggs:** All livestock must have access to ample space, shelter, the outdoors and healthy feed. Animals may not be treated with preventative antibiotics or supplementary hormones. Animals should spend at least half of their lives in Rhode Island. All livestock sold at market must be raised by you. Any exceptions must be pre-approved by the Market Manager. All livestock, other than poultry, must be processed in a USDA certified facility and all poultry must be processed in a facility certified by the RI Department of Health.
- **Artisanal products** – Bread, coffee, chocolate, jams, pickles, nonfarm dairy, soap, etc: Must be crafted in RI, MA or CT and made with local ingredients if those ingredients are available from farms in New England. We require the display of the farm name and state origins for the locally sourced ingredients. All products must be made in a kitchen licensed by the state Department of Health. A copy of your Department of Health license must accompany your application.
- **Prepared foods** – Sandwiches, salads, pastries, etc: All prepared food must be made in a kitchen licensed by the state Department of Health. Vendors must sell at least one item with ingredients grown in RI, MA or CT. We require the display of the farm name and state origins for the locally sourced ingredients. A copy of your Health Department license must accompany your application.

Product Insurance and Licensing: Vendors selling food products other than fresh fruits and vegetables must carry product liability insurance and appropriate licensing from the state Department of Health. A copy of all required licenses and a copy of your insurance coverage certificate must accompany your application.

Attendance: Vendors must be present for at least 75% of market days. Prior notice of market absence is required and must be communicated to the Market Manager.

Criteria We Consider: In evaluating applications we consider: if applicant is a farmer; if applicant is a locally owned and controlled small business; extent of ingredient sourcing from local family farms; sustainable business practices; distance of production from market and if applicant has access to other retail markets. Acceptance into the market is at the discretion of the Market Manager.

Application due Friday, April 2, 2010. Vendors will be notified of status by Friday, April 16, 2010. Please send your completed application, copy of your insurance coverage certificate, appropriate Department of Health licenses along with your \$50.00 participation fee (check made payable to GO LOCAL).

Mail to: GO LOCAL, c/o Steve Cipoletti, KAJA Inc., 2032 Plainfield Pike, Cranston, RI 02921.

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SATURDAYS, JUNE 12 – OCTOBER 30, 2010

9 a.m. – 1 p.m.

Farm/Business Name _____ Your Name _____

Mailing Address _____

Physical Address _____

E-Mail _____ Cell and Eve Phone _____

Number of 10x10 spaces Circle one: 1 (\$350) or 2 3 4 (\$300 for each additional 10'x10' space)

Food/Products I want to sell: (Please list ALL and be specific. If necessary attach another page.)

List local ingredients and source for any prepared foods: (Please list ALL and be specific, if needed attach another page.)

Hold Harmless/Indemnification/Copyright Agreement: Vendor shall indemnify and hold harmless the Barrington Congregational Church, UCC and Market Manager from and against any and all liability, claims, demands, damages, expenses, fees, fines, penalties, suits, proceedings, actions and costs of actions, including attorney's fees for trial and on appeal, of any kind or nature arising out of or in any way connected with this Contract or Vendor's use of the space(s), sale of goods or conduct of business by Vendor, its agents, servants, employees, customers, patrons or invitees or any act or omission of Vendor, its agents, servants, employees, customers, patrons or invitees.

Vendor is responsible for all monies collected from the sale of Vendor's goods plus collecting and reporting of sales tax. BCC/UCC and Market Manager are in no way responsible for any lost or stolen monies or items.

Vendor assumes all costs arising from the use of patented, trademarked, or copyrighted materials, equipment, devised, processes, or dramatic rights used on or incorporated in the conduct of any Vendor at or related to its operations at the Market; and Vendor agrees to indemnify and hold harmless BCC/UCC and Market Manager from all damages, costs, and expenses in law or equity for or on account of any patented, trademarked, or copyrighted materials, equipment, devices, processes, or dramatic rights furnished or used by Vendor in connection with this Agreement and will defend BCC/UCC and Market Manager from any such suit or action, regardless of whether it be groundless or fraudulent.

Participation Agreement: *I have read and agree to abide by the "Market Standards" on the accompanying page. I understand that these Standards guarantee a level of quality that is expected by customers. I have also read and agree to abide by the Hold Harmless/Indemnification/Copyright Agreement above.*

Enclosed is my \$50.00 Participation Fee; (check made payable to GO LOCAL) along with a copy of all required Department of Health licenses and a copy of my insurance coverage certificate.

Please mail all required documentation and your check no later than Friday, April 2, 2010 to: GO LOCAL, co/Steve Cipoletti, KAJA Inc., 2032 Plainfield Pike, Cranston, RI 02921.

The vendor fee of \$350.00 for a 10' x 10' space (plus \$300 for each additional 10'x10' space) is due the first day of the market which is June 12, 2010.

VENDOR SIGNATURE: _____ DATE: _____

Steve Cipoletti, Market Manager

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