

The Dorset Farmers' Market Winter 2020-2021 Application

Due to COVID-19, Dorset Farmers' Winter Market will not start until Sunday November 22, 2020 and ends Sunday May 2, 2021 at J.K. Adams Kitchen Store, Rt.30, Dorset, VT 05251

Application Is Due On Or Before October 15, 2020

Space is limited. Late applications may be accepted as day vendors.

You will be notified of market status on or before November 1, 2020.

Submitting Your Application

Submit a copy of your licenses with your application. All vendors must bring to each market, a copy of any, and all, State and Federal business licenses applicable to the vendor's business including scale licenses. Vermont state market inspectors will expect to see these licenses.

- 1. Mail** your application, copy of appropriate licenses or certifications for your business, and photos. If you are new to the market or have new products to offer, photos of your products are required.
- 2. We are no longer accepting applications via email.**
- 3. DUE TO COVID-19 AND SPACE RESTRICTIONS, PLEASE DO NOT INCLUDE YOUR NON-REFUNDABLE \$20 APPLICATION FEE OR STALL FEES WITH APPLICATION. THEY WILL BE COLLECTED THE FIRST TIME YOU VEND FOR WINTER MARKET.**
- 4. Due to COVID-19, there will be NO double spaces** this winter unless conditions change to allow more spacing.

If mailing your application please send to:

Dorset Farmers Market

PO Box 212

Dorset, VT 05251

If bringing your application to the market, please give to the Market Manager.

*** After the jury committee reviews each application, you may be asked to provide more detailed information about production of your product. Each vendor is reviewed every season.**

****ALL vendors are required to submit an amendment to their application in writing for jury committee consideration two weeks prior to the any new product being accepted at the market during the season in progress.**

*****New Applicants please include photos of your products. We are looking for new, unique items.**

Name_____ Business Name _____

Mailing Address_____

Physical Address _____

City/Town _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone Number _____ Cell Number _____

Email_____ Best form of

Contact_____Website address (if you have one):

**_____Would you like a link to your website
listed on the DFM website? _____Are you a returning Vendor? _____Yes**

_____How many Years? _____New Vendor

Who will be vending besides yourself and family_____

Type of Vendor based on Primary Product Offerings (please indicate):

AGRICULTURE _____ PREPARED FOOD _____ CRAFT_____

Please be descriptive & list all Items to be sold during entire season you attend. Use another sheet if needed.

If You Offer AG products – please answer these questions.

How many acres do you farm?_____ Is your farm Certified Organic? _____

Are your products Certified Organic? _____ Who is your certifier?_____

Please list all locations that are farmed whether owned or leased with directions to farm(s).

Do you have interns or employees? How Many?_____

If raising vegetables, how many acres do you plant?_____

If raising beef, pork, lamb, bison, chicken, duck or turkeys, how many of each do you slaughter per year?

How many acres are devoted to raising your each kind of your animals?_____

If selling eggs, how many layer hens do you have? _____

Do all the animals you raise have free choice access to sunlight and pasture with forage?

If producing maple syrup, how many locations and taps do you maintain? _____

If producing cheese, is all the cheese made from milk produced on your farm? _____

Do you buy in milk? _____ **From whom?** _____

I/we promise we raise all the products ourselves that we bring to the market. _____ **(initial)**

If You Offer Food products – please answer these questions.

Are you a: Baker _____ **Caterer/Prepared to eat** _____ **Processed** _____

Estimate the percentage of your products that:

Contains locally raised ingredients _____ **Examples** _____

Contains Certified Organic ingredients _____ **Examples** _____

Would be considered Savory _____ **or Sweet** _____

How do your food offerings enhance the flavor and uniqueness of our market?

I/we promise we make every item we sell _____ **(initial)**

*******As a DFM vendor you are responsible to know and adhere to the appropriate state and local laws and requirements regarding sale and safe preparation of food for sale. Please send copies of your license with your application.**

If you offer Craft items, please answer these questions.

Please explain what you make and what's involved in the production (use another page if needed)

Estimate what percentage of your materials are sourced locally? _____

Do you have employees or interns? _____ **How many?** _____

Are you involved in all aspects of making the craft? _____

I/we promise we make every item we sell _____ **(initial)**

Do you need electricity? ____ **Yes** ____ **No**

If Yes, What equipment will you be running with it?

Do you have any other special needs or requests? _____

Questions? Ask our Dorset Farmers' Market Manager
Find our manager at the market or email [**marketmanager@dorsetfarmersmarket.com**](mailto:marketmanager@dorsetfarmersmarket.com).

Payment of Space and Application Fees must be made by the first market you attend.

Full season or session payments must be made by the first market day that the vendor attends. If seasonal or session payments not made by the first market, vendor will have to pay the daily fee rate of \$30

For daily payment, fees must be received on each day you are attending.

Please make arrangements with the treasurer before the session begins for a payment schedule, if needed.

Stalls have 8 feet frontage with varying depths.

Do you want:

Full- Season spot _____ **1st half** _____ **2nd half** _____

Full Season	\$300.00	(Nov 22 to May 2)	23 weeks
First Half	\$175.00	(Nov 22 to Jan 31)	11 wks
Second Half	\$150.00	(Feb 7 to May 2)	12 wks

Please Indicate any dates that you CANNOT attend below.

NOVEMBER	DECEMBER	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY
	6 1st	3 1st	7 2nd	7 2nd	4 NO MKT	2 2nd
	13 1st	10 1st	14 2nd	14 2nd	11 2nd	
22 1st	20 1st	17 1st	21 2nd	21 2nd	18 2nd	
29 1st	27 1st	24 1st	28 2nd	28 2nd	25 2nd	
		31 1st				

If accepted as a full-season vendor, you will be assigned a regular space.

I understand that if any of my products are questionable, the market reserves the right to visit my business location to review any of the product/s. The market can then approve your application OR

approve/deny the sale of certain products OR deny your participation in the market. Please Initial_____

Please read the market rules and policies. I have read them and will abide by them. Please Initial_____

By signing the application, I (we) acknowledge that all information provided is accurate.

Signature:_____Date:_____

By signing I (we) promise to be compliant with all licensing and I (we) accept responsibility for all licenses.

I (we) am truthful in all advertising for my products. I (we) raise, make, or grow all the products I (we) sell.

Signature:_____Date:_____