CSA Policies

2021 CSA Prices and Payment

Payments must be made in full prior to the first pick-up of the season. Individualized payment plans are available. Please contact us at newrootsfarmllc@gmail.com for more information. 2021 Prices are as follows:

• Colorado Springs pick-up: \$575

• Canon City pick-up: \$560

Pick-up Times/ Locations

- 18 weeks (mid-June through mid-October)
- Colorado Springs: Wednesdays, 3:30-6:00, Colorado Farm and Art Market (Pioneers Museum)
- Canon City: Thursdays, 3:00-6:00, New Roots Farm (Canon City)

Refunds

Because your payment is used to cover the upfront costs of the growing season, we are unable to issue refunds. If your situation changes and you are unable to take advantage of your share, we may be able to connect you with someone on our waitlist and transfer your share, but this is not guaranteed.

Missed Pick-ups

If you cannot pick up your share for any reason, you may have someone else pick it up for you. We are not able to hold or transfer shares from week to week. Any produce not picked up will be sold or donated.

Splitting Shares

If you choose to split a share, you are responsible for finding someone to split with and coordinating pick-up. Some members who split shares choose to divide the weekly share, or alternate pick-up weeks.

Updates from 2020

 Colorado Springs pick-up: After much deliberation, we decided not to continue with the \$5 choice market bucks this year. If there is additional produce you want, we encourage you to shop at our stand.

Share Size

The share size will vary throughout the season, with smaller early season shares consisting mostly of greens and young root vegetables, and larger late season shares including warm season crops such as peppers, tomatoes, and squash. Share size may range from 6-8 items/ share in the early season to 10-12 items/share during the peak growing season. Shares are designed to provide a variety of staple vegetables each week, and do NOT include fruit. A New Roots Farm CSA is for you if you love eating and cooking with an abundance of fresh vegetables every week.

CSA Contract

Community Supported Agriculture is a reciprocal agreement between the farmer and eater. When you join the New Roots Farm CSA, you are paying up front for a share of the coming season's harvest. In return for your commitment and support, we do our best to ensure that your share of the harvest is made up of a diverse array of high quality seasonal produce. Part of the enjoyment of having a CSA is syncing your plate and palate to the place from which your food comes. You will be able to chart the subtle changes in the seasons by the changing flavors on your dinner table.

We work hard to ensure that cumulatively you receive the full value of the CSA. However, we are at the mercy of many factors outside our control, and cannot guarantee the size and makeup of CSA shares. As a CSA member, it is important to understand that you are buying into these risks as well the rewards of the growing season. We count on your understanding that there may be circumstances outside of our control that impact harvests, and therefore the CSA.

I have read and agree to the 2021 New Roots Farm CSA policies and contract.	
Signature	Date