



Mariposa Certified Farmers Market 2026 vendor application form

For official use only

Date received: _____

Missing parts of application?: _____

Approved by Advisory committee? Y/N

If no, why? _____

Booth name: _____

Vendor name: _____

Phone number: _____ Email address: _____

Please circle which months you plan on attending the market. May-October is our “summer market” running every Wednesday from 4:30-6:30pm. November-April is our “winter market” running every first and third Wednesday from 3-5pm.

Jan Feb March April May June July

August September October November December

Do you plan on missing any markets? _____

Do you have any social media accounts? If so, please list them here:

Instagram: _____

Facebook: _____

Other: _____

Do we have your permission to share your posts on our social media pages?

Yes No

- Please email a photo and short description of your booth to mariposafarmersmarket@gmail.com for us to use on our website.

Certified producer - Agricultural producers

Please list what you would like to bring to the market to sell. (i.e. all on my CPC, all except the oranges on my CPC, only “these items” from my CPC). If your CPC is updated or reissued at any point during the market season, you must supply the market manager with a new copy of your CPC. Any new items must also be approved by the Advisory Committee.

Please attach the following forms (if applicable):

- Current CPC, egg handlers license and Animal Care Act certificate, organic certification, and/or nursery license

Will you be selling with a **second certificate for another farm**? If so, what products? Please include that farm’s CPC with your application.

Will you be giving samples or cutting items at the market? If yes, you must follow the rules for sampling that are in the market manual.

Yes

No

Non-certified Producers

This includes baked goods, hot and cold prepared food, crafts, artisan products, body products, etc.

- If you are a cottage food business, please attach your cottage food license and/or any other health department certificates you have.
- If selling prepared food, or on-site prepared food without a cottage food license, then a Special Community Event Food Handler form will need to be completed and signed off by the Mariposa Environmental Health Department.

Please describe in detail what you would like to bring. Please list each specific flavor/item you would like to bring. If you want to add to your items as the market season goes on, they must be approved by the Advisory Committee.

Will you be giving samples or cutting items at the market? If yes, you must follow the rules for sampling that are in the market manual.

Yes

No

Non-Profit and Community Organizations

We welcome non-profit and community organizations to attend our market for free! We value your knowledge and commitment to bettering the lives of our community members!

We ask you to:

- Not sell anything at your booth (if interested in selling something, even for donations, please ask!)
- Please don't approach customers, let them stop at your booth for more information
- No religious or political booths

Please describe your organization and what you hope to contribute to our market on the days you attend.

This is an initial application form and is not a guarantee on approval to sell. Once my application is submitted, I understand that the market manager will pass it along to the Advisory Committee for review and approval. If there are any questions, the Advisory Committee and/or market manager will reach out. If I was a vendor in the past and had any violations or infractions in prior seasons, I understand that the Advisory Committee might require a meeting before approving my application. Once approved, I promise to pay my annual fee of \$50 and then a weekly stall fee of \$10 per market I attend. I also promise to keep my insurance policy up to date.

I understand that if I have any questions or concerns regarding my booth or the market that I have the right to address them to the market manager and/or the Advisory Committee. I understand that the market manager is not in charge of making vendor and product decisions and brings these applications and inquiries to the Advisory Committee to vote on. The Advisory Committee is always open to hear ideas from all vendors so please reach out. I also understand that the fiscal sponsor of the market has no decision making roles for the market.

I understand that vendor decisions are made based on seniority, the vendor's prior seasons behavior at the market, size and ownership of business (family and small scale over corporate large scale), products that are unique, in demand and, add to the overall balance and cultural diversity of the products available at the market, products that if added to the market will not create too many of the same or similar products, sellers ability to directly participate in the market in lieu of sending an employee, ability to successfully interact with other vendors and the market staff, local production (Mariposa, Merced, Madera counties), and vendors committing to the entire season.

I understand that if I am unable to attend the market that I will let the market manager know no later than 2 hours from the start of the market. If the market starts at 4:30pm that means I will let the manager know by 2:30pm that I will not be attending. Failure to do so may result in the vendor still owing the \$10 stall fee for that day.

I have read the Mariposa Certified Farmers' Market Rules and Regulations, and if selected as a vendor, will abide by those and all rules and policies of market regulatory departments, including US Department of Agriculture, California Department of Food and Agriculture, Department of Environmental Health, California Department of Public Health, and City of Operation rules and regulations in place for outdoor farmers markets.

Vendor Signature: _____

(please use pen and do not e-sign)

Date: _____

Hold Harmless and Participation Agreement

Mariposa Certified Farmers' Market

mariposafarmersmarket@gmail.com

The undersigned vendor at the Mariposa Certified Farmers' Market agrees to the following terms and conditions:

1. Vendor shall indemnify, defend and hold harmless Local Education Association for Food and the Mariposa Certified Farmers' Market and its officers, directors, agents, employees and volunteers, from and against any and all loss, damages, liability, claims, suits, costs and expenses, whatsoever, including reasonable attorneys' fees, regardless of the merit or outcome of any such claim or suit, arising from or in any manner connected to the willful misconduct or negligent acts, errors or omissions by vendor, its agents and/or employees in connection with vendor's participation in the market, and/or in the performance of services, work or activities under this agreement and/or the market's rules.
2. Vendor agrees to comply with each and every rule, regulation, procedure, term and condition set forth in the market's rules. Vendor hereby acknowledges receipt of such market rules.
3. Vendor affirms that they will only sell the products they have been approved to sell.

In witness whereof, this agreement is executed this ____ day of _____, 20____.

Vendor
name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Vendor's signature: _____

(please sign with pen)

Print name: _____