

## 2022 Registration Form & Code of Conduct

The Melrose Community Farmers Market will strive to provide growers, makers, and sellers the opportunity to sell their goods while promoting wellness to the community. The Melrose Farmers Market is held weekly on Wednesdays from 3-6pm from June 1st to October 5th, 2022. The market is held on the Lake Wobegon Trail next to the Bike Shelter & Coborn's. Enter the Farmers Market set up area from Riverside Drive and take the next spot in line starting near the bike shelter. Each vendor gets approximately a 10x10 space. Spaces are taken on a first-come first-serve basis each week. You are welcome to start setting up as early as 1pm but as a courtesy to other vendors, please do not sell any products until 3pm. Our market is set up to sell locally grown produce, foods, plants, handmade crafts, art, etc. No flea-market or direct sales products allowed unless pre-approved by the Farmers Market Committee. Please see the attached information about the POP Program for kids if you sell fruits or vegetables. The cost is \$5/week or \$30 for the season.

As a seller at the Melrose Community Farmers Market, I agree to the following regulations and codes of conduct:

- 1. The cost is \$30 or \$5/week. Please submit payment for the season with your form. If you choose weekly, you may bring payment to the host table upon arrival at the market
- 2. All vendors must keep space, tables, personal appearance, and all products clean and presentable
- 3. Discourtesy to patrons and vendors, obscene language, and "hawking" of goods not allowed
- 4. No smoking or alcoholic beverages allowed at the market
- 5. Growers may only sell locally grown produce
- 6. Vendors selling processed products have the responsibility to be in compliance with MN State laws and Stearns County Health Department regulations and must submit all permits and licenses to the Melrose Farmers Market committee
- 7. Vendors shall replace or refund to any patron who is dissatisfied with goods
- 8. Patron complaints should be reported or directed to the Advisory Team
- 9. Vendor complaints need to be submitted in writing to the Advisory Team
- 10. The Advisory Team has final approval of all vendors
- 11. Vendors will allow photos to be taken and published

**The Power of Produce (PoP) Club** is a farmers markets incentive program for children. It is offered at the market here in Melrose. Each week, children ages 4 to 12 receive a \$2 token to spend on fresh fruits and vegetables. PoP Club engages children at farmers markets and empowers them to make healthy food choices. It aims to increase family participation at farmers markets, increase vendor revenue and build healthier communities. If you accept a token for fruits or vegetables, you can turn these into the host each week for a refund.

I agree to the Code of Conduc	t a	bove:
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Signature:	 	 	 
Printed Name:			 
Date:			



Please make a copy for yourself and send the original signed form along with a copy of any required license/permits to:

Melrose Area Chamber of Commerce, % Farmers Market PO Box 216. Melrose. MN 56352