

2025 Guidelines Wayne Farmers' Market



A Farmers' Market will be held each Wednesday evening and Saturday morning beginning in early June. The market will run through mid-October. Each Wednesday market will run from 4 pm -6 pm, and each Saturday market will run from 9 am - noon. Farmers, backyard gardeners, bakers, beekeepers, crafters, and artisans are invited to sell their products. The market will be located on the south and west lawn of the Wayne County Courthouse.

- 1) The established fee is \$50.00 for the season or \$10.00 per market, with a \$50 maximum per season.
- 2) Daily or seasonal <u>fees should be paid prior to a selling permit being issued.</u> Permits will be issued at the Wayne America Office, 108 W 3rd Street, Wayne; between the hours of 8 am and 5 pm Monday through Friday. Permits will be sent in the mail if requested.
- 3) Each producer who delivers products to the Farmers' Market will be asked to pay the same fees as the other vendors and post a vendor permit— even if they have another vendor sell for them.
- 4) All produce/products must have been grown by or made by the vendor; i.e., no second party, mail order, internet or catalogue items accepted.
- 5) Set up begins a half-hour prior to the start of each market. Market hours must be observed as posted. No early sales permitted but vendors can stay as late as they wish.
- 6) The market area must be kept clean. Vendors are responsible for cleaning their own area before leaving the market.
- 7) The Wayne Farmers Market is not responsible for accidents or lost articles. All monies collected by vendors are their responsibility.
- 8) All vendors are expected to conduct themselves properly, displaying courtesy toward patrons and other sellers.
- 9) Products offered for sale may be priced individually or per count or per volume (pint, bushel, etc.) However, bread must be sold by weight whether packaged or sliced. Refer to Weights and Measures Method of Sale of Guide.
- 10) ONLY CERTIFIED SCALES WILL BE ALLOWED AT THE MARKET.
- 11) Baked goods that are not potentially hazardous can be sold and must be covered and wrapped.

- 12) Perishable produce and food items must be maintained at appropriate temperatures with cooling devices. Eggs must be kept in a cooler at 45 degrees. All beef and poultry must be kept frozen while the vendor is selling.
- 13) Jams and Jellies must have the number of ounces on each label. Each label is to include the name and address of the vendor.
- 14) All honey offered for sale must be labeled with the name and address of the seller. Honey is to be sold by weight only.
- 15) Vendors selling a product baked or prepared in a non-regulated, non-inspected kitchen must clearly display a sign at their stand to this effect.
- 16) Each vendor selling items produced in a REGULATED kitchen must display their license at the market.
- 17) All vendors are required to follow and be knowledgeable of the laws of the State of Nebraska established for the regulation of farmers markets. You may find this information at the following web address: www.nda.nebraska.gov. Additional information about selling at a Farmers Markets is available at http://buylocalnebraska.org/nebraska-farmers-market-manager-handbook#handbook
- 18) Per program regulations, vendors participating in the Senior Nutrition Voucher program must complete the certification in order to accept vouchers.
- 19) The Wayne Farmers Market is a member of Nebraska Buy Fresh Buy Local and is listed online and in printed materials.
- 21) Local advertising is purchased through Vendor Fees and local business sponsorship if available.
- 22) What can't be sold? Home canned products such as green beans, tomatoes, and fruits; raw milk; meats from non-inspected sources; and soft or cream pies.