

## Taos Farmers' Market 2013 Value-Added Vendor Application

**Please complete BOTH sides  
of this form!**

Thank you for your interest in selling 'value-added' products at the Taos Farmers' Market. The purpose of the 'value-added' vendor spaces at the market is to allow non-farmers who have a product, which is made with local ingredients, an opportunity to be involved with the market. **(Note—this application is NOT for bakers!)** If you have a baked product you wish to sell, please contact the Market for a 'Baker Application'. Baked goods do not qualify as value-added. Value-added includes items such as jams, jellies, chutneys, sauces, salsas, relishes, etc. which are made with ingredients that are either from the Market, or are locally grown. If you have questions about what qualifies, don't hesitate to ask! (HYPERLINK "mailto:info@farmersmarkettaos.com" [info@farmersmarkettaos.com](mailto:info@farmersmarkettaos.com), or 575-751-7575, or HYPERLINK "http://www.taosfarmersmarket.org" [www.taosfarmersmarket.org](http://www.taosfarmersmarket.org)).

This year we will select six applicants to sell value-added products at the Market. Priority will be given to applicants who **prioritize the use of local, organic ingredients**. Prepared foods must come from a certified kitchen.

**Application deadline is April 1, 2013.** You will be notified by **April 13, 2013**, if you have been approved to sell for the 2013 Market season.

The ideal candidate would:

- Use locally produced, organic food ingredients
- Attend all 25 markets, from May 11 to October 26, 2013, 8:00am-1:00pm weekly
- Package products appropriately to protect from sun, dust and insects
- Be familiar with our Market, having been a regular shopper or vendor in the past
- Have prominent signage listing items for sale, prices and local ingredients
- Create a booth which would be an attractive addition to the look and feel of the Market

**Required:** Use a certified kitchen for all food preparation

**Required:** Comply with all health and licensing regulations

Please provide the following information for your application:

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Business Name (Required)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Address (Mailing)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Town \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

I hereby certify that I have read and understand the Taos Farmers' Market Rules and Regulations, and I agree to abide by the Regulations.

I agree to follow the directions of the Market Manager.

I agree that if there is an issue that needs resolution during the season, the Advisory Board will make the final determination, and I will abide by the Board's decision.

I understand the Market Manager may at his/her sole discretion allow me to sell on a provisional basis until a final determination is made.

I understand that the Market reserves the right to inspect my kitchen without prior notice to ensure that I am in compliance with TFM regulations.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

My estimated first date at the market is \_\_\_\_\_, 2013. (Opening day is May 11, 2013)

My estimated last date at the market is \_\_\_\_\_, 2013. (Final day is October 26, 2013)

Check one:

I would like a permanent space for the season (\$300 non-refundable fee, cannot switch to a day vendor status during the season.

My check for \$\_\_\_\_\_ is enclosed

List **all** items you intend to sell at the Taos Farmers' Market, and **all of the local ingredients you intend to use**.

This is very important! You will **only** be allowed to sell items which have been approved from this list, so be very thorough. If, during the season, you wish to introduce a new product, you must fill out a 'New Product Application' and be approved prior to selling the new product. Attach additional sheets as needed.

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Date: \_\_\_\_\_