

2023 Storm Lake Farmers' Market

Displaying Food Items:

All food items for sale must be elevated above ground level at least 6 inches. No crates or boxes of food items may sit directly on the ground!!

Personal Property:

Vendors are responsible for the safety of food items, their vehicles, and equipment within their specified area.

Personal Liability Insurance: All vendors are required to carry liability coverage of \$1,000,000 (see attached information)

What May Be Sold:

Fresh Fruits and Vegetables – (Which are whole and uncut and free of dirt)

Farm Fresh Eggs – (Kept at 45 Degrees Fahrenheit or below and clean)

Baked Goods – (Including: breads, cakes, doughnuts, pastries, buns, rolls, cookies, biscuits, and pies. No meat pies.) – (See labeling requirements)

Jams and Jellies – (Only those meeting CFR Title 21 Part 150) – (See labeling requirements)

Dried Noodles – (See labeling requirements)

Candies – (See labeling requirements)

Honey – (See labeling requirements)

Flowers and Hand-Crafted Items grown or made by vendor – (Must collect sales tax)

What May NOT Be Sold: (without licensing)

Meat Products – (Must be State or USDA inspected, obtain a Potentially Hazardous Foods License, and sell products frozen from a freezer or cooler)

Soft Pies, Custard filled, and Cream filled baked products – (Like pumpkin pies or custard pies) – (Must obtain Potentially Hazardous Foods License)

“Home-Style” Canned Goods – (Except Jams and Jellies meeting requirements specified in CFR Title 21 Part 150)

Wild Morel Mushrooms – (Must be discussed with market manager)

Labeling Requirements:

Labeling is required on all cottage goods (foods prepared in residence that is not subject to licensing or inspection. These foods do not require temp control to ensure safety). Labeling must include product common name, name and address, phone # or e-mail address of person preparing food, allergen information, and a list of all ingredients. Along with the following statement: “This product was produced at a residential property that is exempt from state licensing and inspection.”

Potentially Hazardous Foods License:

Vendors who wish to sell Potentially Hazardous Foods (described above) must submit an application with the Department of Inspections and Appeals Food & Consumer Safety Bureau to gain licensing.

- More information available from Market Manager