



Northeast Farmers Market - Courtesy Policies

- All are welcome.
- All persons in the selling area are required to wear shirts and shoes at all times.
- No animals are allowed in the market, with the exception of service animals and police dogs.
- No smoking is allowed within the confines of the market.
- Vendors and their representative, service providers, and volunteers must conduct themselves in a safe and courteous manner. Any language or behavior considered to be deleterious to the normal operation of the market will be grounds for expulsion from the market. Consumption of alcoholic beverages, illegal drugs, and other behavior modifying substances is forbidden.
- Unless the Market Manager obtains prior approval, no amplified music can be played from the radios or other similar devices that can be heard outside the vendors selling space.
- Video recording/photography is permitted anywhere in the market or public spaces.

The following activities are prohibited within the market:

- Circulating any written materials, including, but not limited to, brochures, pamphlets, petitions, photos, advertisements, initiatives, flyers, and handbills, unless conducted by the market itself or authorized vendor.
- Unauthorized solicitation means solicitation that is unrelated to the market, is not conducted from an authorized selling space, or both. These prohibitions do not preclude any person or organization from conducting these activities during market hours on sidewalks or other public property adjacent to the market. Violation of these prohibitions will result in expulsion from the market.

- Commercial photography or videotaping, unless prior approval from the Market Manager has been obtained.

Customer and Vendor Interactions:

- Interruption of commerce is not permitted
- The following conduct is prohibited inside the market: picketing, demonstrating, yelling, excessive or unreasonable noise-making, obstructing or hindering the flow of pedestrians or access to a vendor, and other conduct disrupting market activities. Market staff will ask any persons violating these prohibitions to relocate to a free speech area outside of the market. If this is not successful, market staff will contact Minneapolis Police Department. MPD will reiterate the request to move, and if this is not successful, the individual may be subject to arrest.
- Reports of harassment should be directed to the City of Minneapolis Human Rights Department: 612-673-2599/ 311/ 612-673-3000

Additional Rules:

- No selling of anything in the market except by contract with the market
- No distribution of items intended for human consumption unless by special permission from the market
- Pets are not permitted inside the market, with exception of service animals
- Smoking and vaping are not permitted inside the market
- No part of the market may be used for overnight parking.
- No person or entity other than the Northeast Minneapolis Farmers Market may make use of the Northeast Farmers Market name or logo without the permission of the Market staff and board.

The Northeast Farmers Market may make changes, additions, and/or deletions to the Rules and Regulations, as needed.

The Northeast Farmers Market will establish, implement and enforce all procedures, rules and regulations pertaining to the operation of the market in a fair, nondiscriminatory and equitable manner.