

NEWPORT FAIRGROUNDS FARMERS MARKET AGRICULTURAL PRODUCT RULES

1. Farmers must produce at least 90% of all items sold at Lincoln County Fairgrounds Farmers Market. Any product not from the vendor's farm must be labeled as to where it was grown.
 - Any item not grown on the vendor's farm must be labeled and must include the name and location of the farm.
2. The term vendor shall include any family member or employee of the farm if they are materially involved in the farm process.
3. There is no reselling of produce from a wholesaler.
4. Produce that is harvested or collected in the wild (as in mushrooms) is considered as if grown by the vendor. If the item is not grown on the actual property of the vendor a Proof of Collection permit is required.
5. All agricultural vendors must have the proper licenses, insurance and certifications necessary for the products they sell. Copies of appropriate documentation must be submitted with initial application and reissued documentation must be submitted when renewed.
 - Meat and poultry product vendors must have an ODA license and USDA Certificate for cut meat.
 - Any dairy products sold must be processed in a USDA certified facility.
 - Eggs may be sold without an egg handler license and without labeling, but only by the farm that produces the eggs. Cartons must be labeled with your farm name and contact information.
 - A license is required to extract honey produced at an operation with 20 or more hives.
 - All scales used must be certified by ODA Measurement Standards. Scales must be licensed annually and display current certification tags.
6. Vendors must post signs identifying varieties and cost of each item.