

## WA SENIOR FARMERS MARKET NUTRITION PROGRAM APPLICATION & AFFIDAVIT FOR ELIGIBILITY

\*Name: \_\_\_\_\_ \*DOB (mo/day/yr): \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Apt #: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

\*City: \_\_\_\_\_ \*Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_ County: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ email: \_\_\_\_\_

The Senior Farmers Market Nutrition Program (SFMNP) provides fresh fruit and vegetables to lower-income seniors with the goal of improving their health and nutritional status. It also supports local farming by increasing the use of farmers markets and roadside stands.

To be eligible for the SFMNP, you must meet **ALL** of the following:

1. You must be 60 years old or older (55+ if you are Native American/Alaska Native)
2. Your income must be below 185% of the Federal Poverty Level. That means:
  - \$27,860 Annual or \$2,322 Monthly Income for 1 person
  - \$37,814 Annual or \$3,151 Monthly Income for 2 people
  - For larger households, add \$829 for each additional person per month
3. You must be a resident of Washington State

By signing this form, you certify that you meet **ALL** the eligibility requirements above and acknowledge that you have been given SFMNP Rights and Responsibilities information.

\* \_\_\_\_\_  
Participant Signature

\* \_\_\_\_\_  
Date

### \* Required Information

## Important News: UPDATE

If you still have your SFMNP benefit card from last year (2023), please DISCARD it or cut it up. You will be issued a new card.

**Don't forget the backside →**

**Please answer the questions below – your response is voluntary:**

- (1) Do you consider yourself Hispanic/Latino?  Yes  No
- (2) Please check all that apply:  
 American Indian or Alaska Native  Asian  African American  Caucasian  
 Native Hawaiian or other Pacific Islander
- (3) Do you use a smart device, such as a cell phone or tablet?  Yes  No
- (4) Do you have reliable internet  Yes  No
- (5) The SFMNP Mobile App allows you to access your SFMNP benefit information, purchase history, and find local vendors. Are you interested in downloading this App?  Yes  No
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- (1) Mail: U.S. Department of Agriculture  
Office of the Assistant Secretary for Civil Rights  
1400 Independence Avenue, SW  
Washington, D.C. 20250-9410;

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- (2) FAX: (202) 690-7442; or  
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