

Senior Farmers' Market Nutrition Program Affidavit for Eligibility

*Name: _____ *Birth date: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ Zip code: _____ County: _____

Phone: _____

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:

- You must be 60 years old or older (or 55+ if you are Native American)
- Your income must be below 185% of Federal Poverty Level. That means:
 - Monthly income of \$1,679 or less for household of one
 - Monthly income of \$2,268 or less for household of two
 - For larger households, add \$555 for each additional person
- You must be a resident of Washington State

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

* _____
Participant Signature

* _____
Date

The USDA requires us to report race and ethnicity information. It is used to learn about who SFMNP serves and does not affect your SFMNP eligibility. Race means the origins of your family or ancestors. Ethnicity means a person's culture. Please answer the two questions below:

1. *Do you consider yourself Hispanic/Latino? Yes No
2. *Please check all that apply: American Indian or Alaska Native Asian White
 Black or African American Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander

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