

Kimberley Farmers' Market Vendor Application Process 2023

Thank you for your interest in being a vendor at the Kimberley Farmers' Market!

Please follow these steps to apply, and feel free to contact the Market Coordinator with any questions:

- 1. Complete the 2023 Vendor Application form (<u>LINK</u>). ALL documentation and paperwork must be filled in and submitted to Wildsight by any of the following methods.
 - a. Online registration
 - Mail or in person to:
 Wildsight Kimberley/Cranbrook, 97 Wallinger Avenue, Kimberley BC V1A 1Y6
 Mailbox located on outside of building can be used. Be sure to clearly mark envelope with
 'Kimberley Farmers' Market'.
 - c. Application forms must be accompanied by at least the first market fee of the date(s) you would like to attend. Cheques to be payable to Wildsight Kimberley/Cranbrook.
 Please note that the earlier you submit your application, the better your chances of a decision being made prior to market dates. We would ask that all full season vendors, and those intending to vend at our earliest markets in June/July have their application forms submitted by Monday, May 29, 2023.
- 3. The Market Coordinator will evaluate your application based on KFM 'Vendor Selection Guidelines'
- 4. The Market Coordinator may refer the decision to the Vendor Selection Committee, the majority of who must be in favour of approving an application for a vendor to be approved to attend the market.
- 5. We will notify you in writing (via email) or contact you by telephone to advise if your application is approved or not in a timely fashion (allow 2 weeks after submission). If your application is <u>not</u> approved you may submit a written appeal to the KFM Advisory Committee. Your appeal will need to explain how you feel your product meets the KFM Vendor Selection Guidelines.
- 6. Once approved, you will be contacted with instructions on how to pay your annual registration fee and market fees.
- 7. The Kimberley Farmers' Market Advisory Committee reserves the right to stand by initial decision or amend its decision as it sees fit.
- 8. Vendor applicants of the KFM <u>may</u> be subject to quality inspection and the KFM Advisory Committee may request to sample/taste/view your product(s) prior to final approval. In an effort to maintain the quality of

the market throughout the season, the Vendor Selection Committee may re-evaluate a vendor and its products, using the Vendor Selection Guidelines.	