

# **BFFM 2010 Membership Application**

**Due by March 15th 2010**

(Late applications will be charged \$10 for full time vendors)

Fridays 4:00-7:00 May 21, 4:00-6:30 through October 15. Weekly Markets. Rain or Shine.

**Annual Membership Fee: \$50.00.** Payment of annual membership guarantees voting rights in Bellows Falls Farmers' Market Association, and priority 12'x10' space at the BFFM site at the Visitors Center, Depot St., Bellows Falls, VT

**Once you've paid the annual fee, you're a member of the BFFM.** You then have two choices about how to pay commission on your actual sales. Commissions help us cover ongoing expenses, including insurance, advertising, music, administration and general market costs.

- o **Commission Option 1:** 6% of gross sales.
- o **Commission Option 2:** \$250 flat for season.
- o **Commission Option 3:** Non-Member, Day Vendor

*If Option 1:* each week, the market will collect 6% of gross sales (before taxes) You will be given a form to complete and turn in with your commission to the manager at the end of each market.

*If Option 2:* no weekly percentage due, payment must be received in full prior by the July 4<sup>th</sup> market

**Option 3: Non-Member Day Vendor** (alternative sales option): You can choose not to join BFFMA, and just be a day vendor. **Payment is \$5.00 per market, plus 10% of gross sales** per vendor, over \$40. You will be given a form to complete and turn in with your commission at the end of each market. No membership fee. No voting rights. Space assigned on an as-available basis.

**SIGN ME UP!** Enclosed is Annual Membership of \$50.00

Additional donation enclosed: (amount)\_\_\_\_\_

Vendor Name: .....

Contact Name: .....

Address: .....

Town: ..... State: ..... Zip: .....

Phone: ..... E-mail: .....

Website: .....

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*What do you intend to sell at the Bellows Falls Farmer's Market:*

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*Sales Commission:* ( ) Option 1 -6% of gross sales ( ) Option 2 -\$250.00 flat (payment enclosed).

*Please list specific dates you will not be at the market during the 2009 season):* .....

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*If you are a produce or fruit grower do you want to accept Farm to Family (low income, elderly) and WIC coupons: .....*

*Do you sell out of your vehicle? ( ) YES ( ) NO.*

*Do you need electricity at the Market? ( ) YES ( ) NO.*

Please review Market Rules, posted at [www.bffarmersmarket.com](http://www.bffarmersmarket.com). If you do not have internet access, let us know and we will mail you a copy.

By signing this application I have read and agree to abide by the Farmers' Market rules.

Signature: .....

*Please return form with check made out to Bellows Falls Farmers' Market, PO Box 44, Saxtons River, VT 05154.*

*Questions? Call 802.387.5109*

Bellows Falls Farmers Market Association: President, Jon Cohen – Treasurer, Paul Harlow, Secretary, Adreana Porteur, Abi Miller, Mike Ghia Ray Massucco - Legal Counsel.