

## **Uxbridge Farmers' Market Vendor Code of Ethics**

To assure transparency and growth in our industry on a basis of mutual respect, fairness and integrity, and ever-mindful of the public welfare, I, as a Vendor of the Uxbridge Farmers' Market have adopted and do hereby subscribe to the Code of Ethics:

- I am a producer of locally grown/raised/made products.
- I will present a well-kept display, plainly priced and described, with origin of product clearly marked. I will sell an honest pack, well filled, and meeting stated grade.
- I will NOT use false or deceptive statements in my marketing/advertising.
- I will train any staff or volunteers representing my business to conduct themselves in a respectful and courteous manner.
- I will maintain a clean, attractive market stall.
- I will bring any issues forward to the Market Manager, and will not confront another vendor or create an uncomfortable working environment for fellow vendors. Should I not be satisfied, I will escalate to the Board of Directors by sending an email.
- I will observe all laws, rules and regulations of the Uxbridge Farmers' Market.
- I will abide by all rules and regulations set by the Durham Region Health Department and other relevant regulating agencies.
- I will notify the Market Manager in advance for the days I cannot participate at the market.
- I will actively promote the Uxbridge Farmers' Market, recognizing that it takes all of our efforts to make this market successful.
- I have read and understood the "Uxbridge Farmers' Market Vendor Rules & Regulations".

**By submitting my application, I acknowledge that I have read the Code of Ethics and agree to abide by it. I understand that violation of the Code of Ethics may result in my vendorship being revoked should the Board of Directors feel it necessary to do so.**