



## ***WELCOME NONPROFITS***

(217) 498-8454 • Location of Market: One Community Dr., Rochester, IL

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Hello Potential Rochester Farmers Market Nonprofit Organization,

The 2017 season is upon us, and we are getting people signed up. Many changes have been made this year to continue to help vendors and the community enjoy the market experience. Here are a few of the highlights:

- May 13 through Oct. 28 (25 weeks)
- No rain dates, rain or shine
- Moved to paved location for better accessibility for customers and vendor set-up
- Nonprofit community sign-up
- Special events
- Vendor feature stories

I hope that you will consider joining our growing community Farmers Market. As you may know, Rochester and surrounding area are without access to a grocery store, but most importantly... fresh locally grown produce. It is the goal of the Market to bring the community together and provide products from local farmers and producers. It is also the goal of the Market support local nonprofit organizations. In doing so the Market will provide a FREE booth to local non-profit organizations and clubs that wish to inform the community about their services. The Market is run by volunteers. The Market is sponsored by the Friends of Rochester Public Library District, an organization that supports the library.

The Market is located at the Rochester Public Library District, Rochester Village and Police Department's parking lot which is located on the very busy highway Route 29. (One Community Dr., Rochester IL).

Please look over the enclosed nonprofit packet. Completed applications and waivers can be sent to the post office box or dropped off at the library. For additional information please visit the Rochester Public Library website, the Rochester Public Library Farmers Market Facebook page, or call, email or Facebook message the Farmers Market Coordinator.

Thank you for your time,

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