



South Carolina
DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
GREENVILLE STATE FARMERS MARKET

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Greenville State Farmers Market COVID-19 Plan: 2021 Spring Plant and Flower Sale

Masks

- All workers and vendors will be required to wear masks.
- All attendees will be highly encouraged to wear masks.
- Complimentary masks to be available and given out at information booth.
- Mask signage posted on Market grounds.

Social Distancing

- Signs will be in place to promote social distancing and hand washing.
- Vendors will be spread apart, assigning “every other” space to a vendor instead of adjacent.
- Only one employee will man the information booth. No materials or “freebies” will be distributed.
- Traffic flow signs posted.

Cleaning/Sanitizing

- Restrooms will be monitored and cleaned every hour.
- Will follow CDC guidelines and restrict the number of people in restroom at a given time.
- Hand sanitizing stations will be placed throughout the event area.

Vendor Expectations/Communications

- Letters mailed to vendors highlighting CDC guidelines and detailed expectations of vendors during the event.
- Require Arts and Crafts Vendors to wear gloves; provide hand sanitizer stations for attendees/customers; and, encourage vendors to hold their products to show to customers to discourage customers from picking up items.
- Poster signs at entrance to the market and key locations outlining the precautions that are being taken for attended health and safety.
- All Marketing of the event to include what steps are being taken by the market and the vendors in addition to what is required of all attendees.



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Promotional Information/Communications with Public

- All Marketing of the event to include all steps being taken by the Market and the vendors as well as requirement of all attendees.
- Communication with the general public is planned through Press Releases, Social Media Posts and paid Advertising.

Emergency Procedures

- Any attendee presenting symptoms will be asked to go to the Market isolation area/First Aid until medical personnel arrives.
- Conversations are underway to have EMS on site during the multi-day event. Previously, EMS has agreed to be stationed at the Market but to also take calls. During that time, EMS staff took calls and then returned to the Market.