

**Farmers Markets at a Glance
Questionnaire Results TABLE 1**

Farmers markets offer hundreds of small family businesses the opportunity to sell their products to hundreds of thousands of King County residents. The markets in King County represent over 250 farming families, many of whom depend on the sales from these markets to remain on their land and continue farming. In 2009, the combined sales from these markets generated \$20 to \$30 million for farmers and small food vendors. More information can be found at: <http://www.kingcounty.gov/environment/waterandland/agriculture.aspx>

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Auburn International Farmers Market	Sunday	1	City sponsored	1	Contractor, part time	June - Sept	1,000	20,000	Sound Transit Plaza	Public	No	8-10 people 500+ hours	Farmers: 50 Crafters: 20 Other: 10	Rent, advertising, volunteers, grants, donations (cash), in kind contribution, permitting	Auburn Dept. Parks, Arts, & Recreation
Bellevue Farmers Market	Saturday	1	Nonprofit, 501(c)(3)	6	Employee, part time	June - Nov	925	23,141	Parking lot	Private	No	5 people 2,127 hours	Farmers: 33 Other: 18.5	Rent, advertising, volunteers, grants, donations (cash), in kind contribution, permitting	Board of Directors
Bellevue Farmers Market	Thursday	6	Nonprofit, 501(c)(3)	6	Employee, part time	May - Oct	1,654	38,034	Parking lot	Private	No	See above	Farmers: 43 Other: 18	Same as above	same as above
Bellevue - Crossroads Farmers Market	Tuesday	6	Sponsored by shopping center	16	Contractor, part time	May - Oct	1,600	28,233	Parking lot	Private	No	0	Farmers: 28 Other: 7	Subsidized by ownership of shopping center	Shopping Center Property Director
Burien Farmers Market	Thursday	8	Nonprofit, 501(c)(3)	8	Contractor, part time	May - Oct	1,500	36,000	Street	Public	No	1 person	Farmers: 20 Crafters: 15 Other: 7	None	Discover Burien Board of Directors
Carnation Farmers Market	Tuesday	7	Program of Sno-Valley Tilth, nonprofit	4	Contractor, part time	May - Sept	1,200	26,400	Street/Lawn area	Public & Private	No	5+ people	Farmers: 20 Crafters: 1 Other: 10	Community donations, Sno-Valley Tilth fundraising	Sno-Valley Tilth Executive Committee & Board of Directors
Des Moines Waterfront Farmers Market	Saturday	4	In transition to nonprofit status	4	Contractor, part time	June - Oct	900	20,000	Shared marina parking lot	Public	No	25 people 3,000+ hours	Farmers: 11 Crafters: 6 Other: 8	Rent, volunteers, permitting	Board of Directors
Duvall Farmers Market	Thursday	5	Owner/operator	5	Owner operator	May - Sept	1,000	18,000	City Park	Public	Yes	5 people	Farmers: 10 Crafters: 6 Other: 5	Advertising, donations from local businesses	Privately owned

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Federal Way Farmers Market	Saturday	6	Nonprofit, not a 501(c)(3)	6	Volunteer, part time	May - Nov	unknown	unknown	Parking lot	Private	Yes	0	Farmers: 25 Crafters: 15 Other: 21	Market management	No answer provided
Issaquah Farmers Market	Saturday	20	City sponsored	10	City employee	April - Oct	4,500	125,000	Parking lot	Private	No	100 hours	Farmers: 31 Crafters: 42 Other: 11	Grants, donations (cash)	Issaquah Parks & Recreation Department
Kent Farmers Market	Saturday	36	program of a nonprofit	2	Volunteer, part time	June - Sept	2,000	30000	Streets and city park	Public	Yes	10 people	Farmers: 23 Crafters: 60 Other: 20	Subsidized rent and volunteers	Board of Directors
Kirkland Friday Night Market at Juanita Beach	Friday	3	City sponsored		City employee, part time	May - Oct	1,000	20,000	City Park	Public	No	3 people 600 hours	Farmers: 25 Crafters: 15 Other: 10	City support	Kirkland Parks & Community Services
Kirkland Wednesday Market	Wednesday	9	Program of Kirkland Downtown Assn.	2	Contractor, part time	May - Oct	2,500	52,000	City Park	Public	Yes	15 people	Farmers: 32 Crafters: 10 Other: 18	Grants	Board of Directors
Lake Forest Park	Sunday	5	Nonprofit, 501(c)(3)	16	Contractor, part time	May - Oct	8,000	200,000	Shopping Center Parking lot	Private	No	24 people 664 hours	Farmers: 35 Other: 6	Rent, grants, in kind contributions	Market Advisory Board, Friends of Third Place Commons
Maple Valley Farmers Market	Saturday	1	Nonprofit, 501(c)(3)	1	2 volunteers, part-time	June - Oct	950	18,000	School Play-ground	Public	No, pay for janitor	50 people 1000s of hours	Farmers: 30 Crafters: 31 Other: 12	Grants, donations (cash), in-kind & business sponsorships	Board of Directors
Mercer Island Farmers Market	Sunday	2	Nonprofit, 501(c)(3)	2	Contractor, full time	June - Oct	2,400	36,640	City street	Public	No	40 people 2000 hours	Farmers: 26 Other: 14	Volunteers, grants, in kind contributions, permitting	Executive Committee
North Bend Farmers Market	Thursday	6	City sponsored	new	City employee	June - Aug	350	5,000	Community Center Parking lot	Public	No	0	Farmers: 9 Crafters: 9 Other: 19	City support	Si View Metro Park Director
Redmond Farmers Market	Saturday	35	Nonprofit	17	Contractor, part time	May - Oct	2000		Parking lot	Private	Yes	0	Total vendors: 135	None	Board of Directors
Renton Farmers Market	Tuesday	9	Sponsored by City and Chamber	2.5	City employee, part time	June - Oct	4,000	75,000	Park	Public	No	2,000 hours	Farmers: 40 Other: 11	Rent volunteers, permitting	Nonprofit group & city supervisor

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Sammamish Farmers Market	Wednesday	2	Program of Sammamish Chamber of Commerce	1	Two Chamber employees, part time	May - Sept	500	10,000	City Hall/ Town Center Commons	Public	No	1,000+ hours	Farmers: 14 Crafters: 2 Other: 6	Rent, volunteers, financial donation from city	Steering committee
*Seattle- Ballard Farmers Market	Sunday	10	Nonprofit, not a 501(c)(3) (SFMA)	12	Employee, full time, SFMA	Year round	7,301	379,639	Closed city street	Public	Yes	0	Farmers: 44 Crafters: 15 Other: 17	Permitting	Board of Directors
*Seattle- Broadway Sunday Farmers Market	Sunday	6	Nonprofit, 501(c)(3) (NFMA)	16	Employee, full time, NFMA	May - Dec	1,330	43,928	Parking lot	Private	Yes	6 people	Farmers: 33 Other: 9	Grants, donations (cash), permitting	Board of Directors, Seattle Office of Economic Development (OED)
*Seattle-Cascade Farmers Market	Thursday	1	Program of Pike Place Market	10	Employee, full time	June - Sept	500	7,000	Closed city street	Public	No	10 people 29 hours	Farmers: 9 Crafters: 1 Other: 3	Grants	Steering committee
*Seattle-City Hall Farmers Market	Tuesday	1	Program of Pike Place Market	10	Employee, full time	June - Sept	1,500	22,500	City Hall Plaza	Public	No	0	Farmers: 11	Subsidized by Pike Place Market, Public Development Authority	Pike Place Market PDA
Seattle-Clean Greens Market	Friday Saturday	2	Program of Black Dollar Days Task Force	2	Employee, full time, BDDTF	June - Nov	25-30	1,500	in front of BDDTF office	Private	No	8 people 1,600 hours	Farmers: 1	volunteers, grants, donation	Director Black Dollar Days Task Force
*Seattle-Columbia City Farmers Market	Wednesday	11	Nonprofit, 501(c)(3) (NFMA)	11	Employee, full time, NFMA	May - Oct	1,766	45,940	Parking lot	Private	No	8 people 259 hours	Farmers: 36 Other: 12	Rent, volunteers, grants, donations (cash)	Board of Directors, Seattle OED
*Seattle-Lake City Farmers Market	Thursday	8	Nonprofit, 501(c)(3) (NFMA)	16	Employee, full time, NFMA	June - Oct	1,122	24,696	Public park and street	Public	Yes	8 people 46 hours	Farmers: 28 Other: 9	Grants, donations (cash)	Board of Directors, Seattle OED
*Seattle-Madrona Farmers Market	Thursday	8	Nonprofit, not a 501(c)(3) (SFMA)	12	Employee, full time, SFMA	May - Sept	1,272	25,442	grocery store parking lot	Private	No	0	Farmers: 22 Crafters: 3 Other: 13	Rent	Board of Directors
*Seattle-Magnolia Farmers Market	Saturday	7	Nonprofit, 501(c)(3) (NFMA)	16	Employee, full time, NFMA	June - Oct	812	17,070	Parking lot	Public	Yes	7 people 68 hours	Farmers: 26 Other: 9	Grants, donations (cash)	Board of Directors, Seattle OED

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Seattle Meadowbrook Farmers Market	Sunday	1	Nonprofit, not a 501(c)(3)	1	Volunteer, part time	May - Oct	300	6,000	School Play-ground	Private	Yes	2,500 hours	Farmers: 12 Crafters: 2 Other: 11	Rent, volunteers, donations (cash), in kind contributions, permitting	No answer provided
*Seattle-Phinney Farmers Market	Friday	3	Nonprofit, 501(c)(3) (NFMA)	16	Employee, full time, NFMA	June - Oct	993	18,882	Parking lot	Private	Yes	6 people 20 hours	Farmers: 28 Other: 8	Grants, donations (cash)	Board of Directors, Seattle OED
*Seattle-Pike Place Market	Everyday	103	Nonprofit, 501(c)(7)	2	Employee, full time, Pike Place	Year round	25,000	10 million (includes tourists)	Inside building and street	Public	No	0	Farmers: 81 Crafters: 200 Other: 300	The Market Foundation has 50 volunteers for special events & services	Pike Place Market PDA
Seattle-Queen Anne Farmers Market	Thursday	3	Nonprofit, 501(c)(3)	1	Contractor, part time	June - Oct	980	16,700	Street	Public	No	28 people 500 hours	Farmers: 22 Other: 7	Advertising, volunteers, grants, donations (cash), in kind contributions, permitting	Queen Anne Neighbors for Responsible Growth, Seattle OED
*Seattle-University District Farmers Market	Saturday	16	Nonprofit, 501(c)(3) (NFMA)	16	Employee, full time NFMA	Year round	2,515	130,791	Parking lot	Private	Yes	22 people, 90 hours	Farmers: 50 Other: 14	Volunteers, grants, donations (cash)	Board of Directors, Seattle OED
*Seattle Wallingford Farmers Market	Wednesday	4	Nonprofit, not a 501(C)(3) (SFMA)	12	Employee, full time, SFMA	May - Sept	1,619	32,371	Parking lot	Private	Yes	0	Farmers: 24 Crafters: 10 Other: 1	Rent	Board of Directors, Seattle OED
*Seattle West Seattle Farmers Market	Sunday	10	Nonprofit, 501(c)(3) (NFMA)	16	Employee, full time, NFMA	Year round	1,245	64,776	Parking lot	Private	No	6 people 18 hours	Farmers: 34 Other: 10	Rent, grants, donations (cash)	Seattle OED
Vashon Farmers Market	Wednesday Saturday	about 20	Program of Vashon Island Growers Assn, nonprofit	no answer provided	Employee, part time	March - Dec	288	15,250	Park	Public	No	10 people 200+ hours	Farmers: 21 Crafters: 33 Other: 5	Sponsor purchased land, donated to park district, can use it in perpetuity as a farmers market	Market Committee, VIGA Board of Directors
Woodinville Farmers Market	Saturday	16	Nonprofit, not a 501(c)(3)	16	Contractor, part time	May - Sept	2,000	48,000	Unkown for 2010	Unknown	unknown	0	Farmers: 9 Crafters: 11 Other: 3	None	Board of Directors

*In Seattle, several entities operate many of the farmers markets, as follows:

*SFMA: Seattle Farmers Market Association, operates three markets in Seattle

*NFMA: Neighborhood Farmers Market Alliance, operates seven markets in Seattle

*Pike Place Market: operates two additional markets in Seattle