



BOARD OF HEALTH

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Farmer Markets in Rockport:

Market Manager must present to the Health Department a proposal of said market with a list of vendors and food products intended for sale at least 30 days prior to opening.

All Vendors who wish to sell processed food products must apply for a Retail Food permit. If they are from another jurisdiction they must provide proof of licensure and a copy of their most recent inspection. Applications shall be submitted at least 2 weeks prior to event.

Vendors wishing to cook or prepare food on site must apply for a temporary food permit from the Board of Health.

For information regarding Temporary Food Events please go to our web site: www.townofrockport.com click on Health Department

Fee Schedule:

Vendors who sell New England grown produce and farm products are exempt from licensure.

Vendors who wish to sell processed food items will need a retail food permit. Fee set at \$20 per event not to exceed total amount of a yearly permit fee. (\$100)

Local Rockport vendors already holding food licenses with the town will not be charged a fee but will be asked to submit an application detailing what they intend to sell.

More information regarding Farmers Markets and Temporary food Events you can go to www.mass.gov/dph/fpp