

## **Yachats Farmers Market**

### **Tobacco/Smoke Free Policy**

#### **Statement of Policy:**

Yachats Farmers Market strives to provide everyone who attend or works at the event with a healthy and safe environment. Tobacco/Smoke use is counterproductive to this goal.

In order to safeguard the health, safety, and general welfare of everyone present at all events, Yachats Farmers market proudly adopts the following policy and procedures:

Tobacco/smoking will be strictly prohibited within the boundaries of the Farmers Market event site while the market is in progress, including, but not limited to:

- All sidewalks, parks, roads, and other structures, and adjoining public areas dedicated to the market
- All employees, customers, volunteers, vendors, and performers

#### **Definitions:**

- *Event:* Any organized activity that is sponsored or operated under either totally or in part by Yachats Farmers Market. This definition includes activities related to the scheduled Farmers Market such as set-up and take-down.
- *Event site:* The entire physical area in which the Farmers Market is being staged. This includes all open, semi-open, and enclosed areas and structure, vendor booths, dining areas, bathrooms, performance areas, pedestrian walkways or pathways, and roads.
- *Tobacco/Smoke:* This definition includes ALL tobacco products including, but not limited to cigarettes, cigars, bidis, hookah, pipes, smokeless tobacco (dip, chew, snus, etc.), and nicotine delivery devices, such as electronic cigarettes (inhalant delivery systems/vapes), excluding FDA approved nicotine replacement therapy products for the purpose of tobacco cessation.

#### **Event Signage:**

Prominent signs will be displayed at the entrance, exits and other appropriate areas of the market.

#### **Enforcement:**

The success of this policy will depend upon the thoughtfulness, consideration, and cooperation of smokers, tobacco users, and non-users. All vendors share in the responsibility for adhering to and enforcing the policy.

Vendors and/or persons observing a violation shall make the smoker/tobacco user aware of the no tobacco/smoke policy and ask that they extinguish the smoking material and/or put away the tobacco/nicotine. If the smoker/tobacco user does not, the vendor shall notify the Market Manager. Violators may be asked to leave the premise.

Policy Effective Date: This tobacco/smoke free policy is effective as of July 31, 2016 and applies to all events on or after that date.