

Ellensburg Farmers Market

VISITOR GUIDELINES

Thank you so much for taking the time to visit the Ellensburg Farmers Market! In order to make the market a safe and welcoming space for all, we ask our visitors to abide by a few guidelines.

A. STREET ETIQUETTE

- 1.) Bikes, scooters, roller blades, skateboards, and any other wheel-based transportation items cannot be ridden on the market street. This does not include accessibility equipment (wheelchairs, push carts, etc.) and strollers for children, which are always welcome at market if operated safely.
- 2.) Advertising, passing out items or fliers, asking for donations, and solicitation of any kind are not permitted on the market street without prior approval from the Market Manager.
- 3.) Musicians are more than welcome to play **off the market street** (sidewalks, corner nodes) without prior approval.

B. DOGS

Dogs are welcome at the Ellensburg Farmers Market as long as they are:

- 1.) **Well-behaved** (Absolutely NO excessive barking, growling, jumping, urinating, or defecating). Dogs expressing aggression towards other dogs or visitors will be asked to leave the market.
- 2.) **Kept on a short leash** and away from vendor products.
- 3.) **Wearing protective footwear** in temperatures above 85 degrees. Dogs brought to market in extreme heat with no protective footwear may be asked to leave.

C. EXPRESSION AT THE MARKET

The Ellensburg Farmers Market does not allow vendors or customers to promote or discriminate political or religious agendas in the market space (the street). The sidewalk, however, does not fall under market jurisdiction, and is open to all to exercise their right to free speech. Everyone is welcome to enjoy the farmers market, but those advocating political or religious persons or ideas are not permitted to approach customers or vendors on the street during market hours.

D. KINDNESS STATEMENT

The Ellensburg Farmers Market is a safe space for all identities, including (but certainly not limited to) race, ethnicity, gender, orientation, religion, and presentation. Ellensburg is a diverse community just like its agriculture, and neither can grow without the support and care of others. Please be kind and respectful to your neighbors!