



# FARMERS' MARKETS

## 2017 Regional Workshop: Girard

Farmers' markets are growing across the state and continue to be an important source of fresh fruit, vegetables, meat, dairy and other agricultural products from small towns to large metropolitan areas. In 2016, 75 farmers' markets were registered with the Kansas Department of Agriculture's Central Registration of Farmers' Markets. To support Kansas' farmers' markets, we are pleased to offer the following workshops in addition to this workshop:

Wichita, February 4; Olathe, February 10; and Hays, February 17.

The *From The Land of Kansas* annual meeting and state farmers' market manager conference will be March 16-17 in Manhattan, Kansas.

### GIRARD REGIONAL WORKSHOP

**SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 11 • 9 A.M. - 4 P.M.**

*Registration begins at 8:30 a.m.*

**Who:** Current and prospective farmers' market vendors

**What:** The Girard regional workshop will cover the following topics:

- Keynote: Successful Farmers' Market Vending
- Double Up Food Bucks SNAP Matching Program
- Sales Tax for Farmers' Market Vendors
- Pricing to Ensure a Profit
- Kansas Senior Farmers' Market Nutrition Program Certified Farmer Training
- Cover Cropping & Other Soil Health Strategies
- Farm Tour of Misty Morning Farms- High Tunnel Produce Growing

*\*The Kansas Senior Farmers' Market Nutrition Program Certified Farmer Training session is required to all new farmers who wish to participate in the KSFMNP. All farmers must complete training and submit an annual agreement with KDHE. Visit [www.kdheks.gov/sfmpn](http://www.kdheks.gov/sfmpn) for details.*

**Where:**

Greenbush Education Service Center (Dave DeMoss Education Building)  
947 W. 47 Highway  
Girard, KS 66743

**Registration:**

Register online at [FromtheLandofKansas.com/FMConference](http://FromtheLandofKansas.com/FMConference) or fill out the attached registration form and return to the address listed on the form

Registration is \$20 per participant, which includes lunch. Lunch cannot be guaranteed for those registering after February 2.

For more information, contact Gayle Price at (620) 820-6123 or [gprice@ksu.edu](mailto:gprice@ksu.edu).

**Vendors can also bring their sales scale to get tested and certified for FREE by the Kansas Department of Agriculture.**

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