



2019 Season

Dear Kidz Bidz Applicant:

The Dexter Farmers Market is offering the Kidz Bidz Entrepreneurship Program (starting your own business), to encourage young people to learn about what it takes to start a small business.

If you are between 5 and 12 years old, have big ideas and are ready to channel your inspiration into a new adventure, or if you just simply want to have fun selling your products, we would love for you to bring them to the Farmers Market and take them to the next level.

Note to parents: If your child would like to sell baked goods you *must* follow the Cottage Food Law guidelines found on the State of Michigan's website at: <http://www.michigan.gov/mdard>.

Enclosed is the Kidz Bidz Applicant letter, Application and Guidelines, Hold Harmless Agreement and Sales Report.

Please read and sign, along with your child, the Application and Hold Harmless Agreement and return to the address below.

If you have any questions please feel free to contact me at 734-580-2230.

Thank you,

*Dana Queen*

Dexter Farmers Market Manager

8140 Main Street, Dexter, MI 48130

Email address: [farmersmarket@dextermi.gov](mailto:farmersmarket@dextermi.gov)

Office: 734-426-8303



# DEXTER FARMERS MARKET **KIDZ BIDZ** PROGRAM

## 2019 APPLICATION and GUIDELINES

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Child or Group Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Parents Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Date you are requesting to participate in the Program: \_\_\_\_\_

Hours at the market start to finish: \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

Name of your product: \_\_\_\_\_

Description of your product: \_\_\_\_\_

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Average price of your products: \_\_\_\_\_

May we take a picture of your child or group with their product and include it in our market advertising, website and/or display board at the Farmers Market?

Please circle: Y or N

Parent's signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Would you like to be included in advertising for the Farmers Market the week prior to being at the market: Y or N

INDEMNIFICATION, HOLD HARMLESS/RELEASE AND ASSUMPTION OF RISK AGREEMENT

To the fullest extent permitted by law, I agree to defend, pay on behalf of, indemnify, and hold harmless the City of Dexter, its elected and appointed officials, employees and volunteers and others working on behalf of the City of Dexter any and all claims, demands, suits, or loss, including all costs and attorney fees connected therewith, and for any damages which may be asserted, claimed or recovered against or from the City of Dexter, its elected and appointed officials, employees, volunteers or others working on behalf of the City of Dexter, by reason of personal injury, including bodily injury or death and/or property damage, including loss of use thereof, which arises out of or in any way connected or associated with my child's participation in the Dexter Farmers Market.

CAUTION: This document release liability, results in assumption of risk, and provides for indemnification and hold harmless of the City of Dexter by Participant. Please read carefully before signing.

CITY OF DEXTER

PARTICIPANT:

By: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Parent

Its: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Print Name of Parent

Dated: \_\_\_\_\_

MAIL APPLICATION AND HOLD HARMLESS TO:

**CITY OF DEXTER, FARMERS MARKET**

**8140 MAIN STREET, DEXTER, MI 48130**

In person at: 8123 Main Street, 2<sup>nd</sup> floor/PNC Bank Building

OR email to: [farmersmarket@dextermi.gov](mailto:farmersmarket@dextermi.gov)

## **GUIDELINES:**

### **1. Application and Products to be sold:**

You must be between 5 and 12 years old to participate and make or grow your own product. You may receive help from an adult if needed.

### **2. Cottage Food:**

If you want to sell baked goods you must follow the Cottage Food Law Guidelines set by the State of Michigan.

### **3. Check in and Booth/Stall:**

When you arrive at the market please check in with the Market Manager. You will need to bring your own table, chair, and a sign with your business name. The City will provide a sign that represents the “**Kidz Bidz**” booth. You are responsible for leaving your area clean at the end of the day.

### **4. End of Day:**

Please fill out the enclosed Sales Report at the conclusion of the market and give to the Market Manager or mail to the address provided.

### **5. Weather Policy:**

If the National Weather Service has issued a severe thunderstorm warning that carries lightening before or during the Market hours the Market Manager will cancel the market. If there is a tornado warning during market hours, market vendors can take cover in the basements of the Dexter District Library or the Dexter Area Fire Department at 8140 Main Street. If a vendor feels they need to leave the market due to bad weather conditions please notify the Market Manager or advise another vendor that you are leaving.

### **6. Hours and Days of Operation/Loading and Unloading:**

Kidz Bidz hours are: **Saturdays:** 9 am to 11 am, or if you prefer, you can come at normal market times, from 8 am to 1 pm or **Tuesdays:** 2 pm to 4 pm. Parents please remove vehicle immediately after unloading. *Set-up time shall take place ½ hour prior to starting time.*

***Parking is available in the Mill Creek Park North lot behind the Fire Dept. at 8140 Main Street, on Broad Street or at the corner of Forest Street and the Broad Street Alley. Please do not park in the Dexter Library lot.***

For question contact Brenda Tuscano at the City Offices: 734-580-2230, Mon-Fri 9:00 am – 5:00 pm.

Thank you for taking part in the Dexter Farmers Market.



## DEXTER FARMERS MARKET

### KIDZ BIDZ SALES REPORT

Participants Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date at the Market: \_\_\_\_\_

Type of product sold: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of products sold: \_\_\_\_\_

Do you think the product pricing was accurate? \_\_\_\_\_

If not, how would you change it? \_\_\_\_\_

What did you like about your experience? \_\_\_\_\_

What was your biggest challenge? \_\_\_\_\_

What would you do differently? \_\_\_\_\_

***Thank you for joining us at the Dexter Farmers Market this season.***

Please Mail to:  
Dexter Farmers Market  
8140 Main Street  
Dexter, MI 48130

or in person at:  
8123 Main Street, 2<sup>nd</sup> floor  
PNC Bank Building