This Grant Agreement dated for reference the 28th day of March, 2014

BETWEEN

HER MAJESTY THE QUEEN IN RIGHT OF THE PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA, represented by the Minister of Health (the "Province")

AND

BC Association of Farmers' Markets (the "Recipient")

For the BC Farm Product Coupon Program (the "Program")

WHEREAS:

- A. The Province has approved funding for the Program defined in this Agreement and such funding is to be paid by the Province to the Recipient pursuant to the Stipulations of this Agreement.
- B. The Recipient has met the eligibility criteria by working with government for the continuation of the program.

DEFINITIONS

1. In this Agreement and its Schedules the following definitions apply:

"Agreement" means this Grant Agreement and any schedules attached hereto;

"Commencement Date" means the date identified in Schedule A;

"Contract" means a contract between the Recipient and a Third Party whereby the latter agrees to contribute a product or service to the Program in return for financial consideration which may be claimed as an Eligible Cost;

"Eligible Costs" means all the direct costs properly and reasonably incurred by a Recipient or a Third Party on behalf of the Recipient with respect to the Program and is for public use or benefit and are incurred between the Program Commencement Date and the Completion Date.

"Eligibility Criteria" means the terms imposed by the Province and which must be met in order to qualify for funding.

"Fiscal Year" means the period beginning April 1 of a year and ending March 31 of the following year;

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"Program" means the Program described in Schedule A;

"Stipulations" mean the terms and conditions set out in this Agreement that must be met in order for the Recipient to retain the funds it receives for the Program; and

"Third Party" means any person or entity or its officers, employees or agents, other than a party to this Agreement that is involved in the Program.

SCHEDULES

2. The Schedules to this Agreement are:

Schedule A Program Description and Dates Schedule B Payment and Reporting Requirements

TERM OF AGREEMENT

3. Notwithstanding the actual date of execution of this agreement, the term of this agreement begins on the Commencement Date, and expires on March 31, 2015.

STIPULATIONS

4. The Recipient agrees to:

(a) carry out the Program in a diligent and professional manner;

(b) commence carrying out the Program upon the signing of this Agreement;

(c) complete the Program no later than the Completion Date; and,

(d) provide evidence satisfactory to the Province that the Recipient has commenced work on the Program in accordance of section 4(b) and 4(c) of this Agreement. Such evidence may consist of a progress report, financial statements of fundraising activity, if applicable or other evidence deemed appropriate by the Province.

5. If, in the opinion of the Province, the Recipient has failed to provide evidence satisfactory to the Province in accordance with section 4(c) of this Agreement, the Province may terminate this Agreement, effective immediately and require the refund of all funds advanced to the Recipient.

6. The Recipient will comply with all applicable laws.

7. The Recipient agrees to:

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- (a) establish and maintain books of account, administrative records, invoices, receipts and vouchers for all expenses incurred in a form and content satisfactory to the Province;
- (b) permit the Province to inspect at all reasonable times, any books of account or records (both printed and electronic, including, but not limited to, hard disk), whether complete or not, that are produced, received or otherwise acquired by the Recipient as a result of this Agreement;
- (c) maintain all such accounts and records for a period of five years after the Completion Date;
- (d) ensure that all Contracts entered into by the Recipient with any Third Parties contain the provision in section 6 above; and
- (e) If requested by the Province, the Recipient will deliver within 90 days to the Province a copy of its audited Financial Statements for any period up to five years beyond completion and commissioning of the Program.

8. The Recipient will ensure that the financial contribution of the Province is to be used solely for the purpose of defraying the Eligible Costs incurred by the Recipient in carrying out and completing the Program as described in Schedule A.

9. The Recipient acknowledges that Eligible Costs that have received funding from any other federal or provincial sources may not be reimbursed under this Agreement, and that the Recipient agrees to promptly notify the Province in writing of any such funding received.

10. The Recipient acknowledges that it is not the agent of the Province and will do no act which might be construed as authorizing any contract or permitting any other liability or obligation to be incurred on behalf of the Province.

11. The Recipient will not make any material change in or to the Program as described in Appendix A without prior written consent of the Province; The Recipient will not make any material change in or to the intended use of the resulting Program as described in Appendix A, without prior written consent of the Province.

12. In the event the Funding exceeds the Recipient's requirements in respect of this Agreement the Recipient will notify the Province. The Province may require the excess funding to be returned or may permit the use of the excess funding as direct by the Province. Funds identified by the Province to be returned to the Province shall constitute a debt due to the Province.

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OBLIGATIONS OF THE PROVINCE

13. Provided the Recipient is in compliance with its obligations under this Agreement, the Province will pay the Recipient the amount and in the manner set out in Schedule B of this Agreement.

14. The Province will not have any obligation to provide a financial contribution under section 13 unless the Recipient has complied with the provisions set out in Schedule B.

COMMUNICATIONS

15. The Recipient agrees that all public information material pertaining to the Program will clearly indicate that the Program is funded through the Province. The recipient acknowledges that the Province would like at least 15 working days notice of any scheduled communications material or public events relating to the Program. Province.

16. All announcements will be co-ordinated with the British Columbia Communications and Public Engagement.

DEFAULT

17. Any of the following events will constitute an Event of Default whether any such event be voluntary, involuntary or result from the operation of law of any judgment or order of any court or administrative or government body:

(a) the Recipient fails to comply with any provision of this Agreement;

(b) any representation or warranty made by the Recipient in connection with this Agreement is untrue or incorrect;

(c) any information, statement, certificate, report or other document furnished or submitted by or on behalf of the Recipient pursuant to or as a result of this Agreement is untrue or incorrect; or,

(d) the Recipient fails to provide positive confirmation that the Program has been completed by the Completion Date.

TERMINATION

18. Upon the occurrence of any Event of Default and at any time thereafter the Province may, notwithstanding any other provision of the Agreement, at its sole option, elect to do any one or more of the following:

(a) terminate this Agreement and the Recipient shall repay such amounts as determined by the Province, such amounts shall constitute a debt due to the Province;

(b) pursue any other remedy available at law or in equity.

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19. If the Province terminates this Agreement under paragraph 18 (a), then such termination may take place on ten (10) days' written notice.

APPROPRIATION

20. Notwithstanding any other provision of this Agreement, the payment of money by the Province to the Recipient under this Agreement is subject to:

- (a) there being sufficient monies available in an appropriation, as defined in the Financial Administration Act to enable the Province, in any fiscal year or part thereof when any payment by the Province to the Recipient falls due under this Agreement, to make that payment; and
- (b) Treasury Board, as defined in the Financial Administration Act, not having controlled or limited expenditure under any appropriation referred to in subsection (a) of this section.

AUDIT

21. In addition to any other rights of inspection the Province may have under statute or otherwise, the Province may at any reasonable time and on reasonable notice to the Recipient, enter on the Recipient's premises to inspect and, at the Province's discretion, copy any of the Material and the Recipient must permit, and provide reasonable assistance to, the exercise by the Province of the Province's rights under this section.

NO FURTHER OBLIGATIONS

22. The Recipient acknowledges that nothing in this Agreement will bind the Province to provide additional provincial funding for the development and on-going operational costs of the Program or any financing for any addition or improvement to the Program, or any cost overruns of the Program and that no partnership, joint venture or agency will be created or will be deemed to be created by this Agreement or any action of the parties under this Agreement.

SURVIVAL OF TERMS

23. Sections 7(b) and (c), 15, 18(a) and (b) or any other terms which by their nature or intent should continue after the term of this Agreement continue in force indefinitely, even after this agreement ends.

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NOTICE

24. (a) Any written communication from the Recipient to the Province must be mailed, personally delivered, faxed, or electronically transmitted to the following address:

Mr. Gordon Cross Executive Director Regional Grants and Decision Support Ministry of Health 6-1, 1515 Blanshard Street Victoria BC V8W 3C8

Email: <u>Gordon.Cross@gov.bc.ca</u> Fax: 250-952-1420

(b) Any written communication from the Province to the Recipient must be mailed, personally delivered, faxed or electronically transmitted to the following address:

BC Association of Farmers' Markets Suite 311 - 119 Pender Street West -- 103 - 1089 WEST BROADWAY Vancouver, BC V6B 155 - V6H 1E5 JBul.

Attention: Elizabeth Quinn, Executive Director Telephone: (604) 734-9797 Email: <u>elizabeth.guinn@bcfarmersmarket.org</u>

- (c) Any written communication from either party will be deemed to have been received by the other party on the tenth business day after mailing in British Columbia; on the date of personal delivery if personally delivered; or on the date of transmission if faxed.
- (d) Either party may, from time to time, notify the other by notice in writing of a change of address and following the receipt of such notice, the new address will, for the purposes of paragraph 23 (a) or (b) of this Agreement, be deemed to be the address or facsimile of the party giving such notice.

MISCELLANEOUS

- 25. This Agreement will be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the Province of British Columbia.
- 26. The Schedules to this Agreement are an integral part of this Agreement as if set out at length in the body of this Agreement.

- 27. If any provision of this Agreement or the application to any person or circumstance is invalid or unenforceable to any extent, the remainder of this Agreement and the application of such provision to any other person or circumstance will not be affected or impaired thereby and will be enforceable to the extent permitted by law.
- 28. Nothing in this Agreement operates as a consent, permit, approval or authorization by the Province or any ministry or branch thereof to or for anything related to the Program that by statute, the Recipient is required to obtain unless it is expressly stated herein to be such a consent, permit, approval or authorization.
- 29. The Recipient will not, without the prior, written consent of the Province, assign, either directly or indirectly, this Agreement or any right of the Recipient under this Agreement
- 30. All disputes arising out of or in connection with this Agreement will be referred to and finally resolved by arbitration pursuant to the Commercial Arbitration Act.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF each of the parties has executed this Agreement on the dates set out below.

SIGNED by the Minister of Health)
or his or her duly authorized representative)
on behalf of HER MAJESTY THE QUEEN IN)
RIGHT OF THE PROVINCE OF)
BRITISH COLUMBIA:)
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) Date:
Ministry's Authorized Signatory	

Manjit Sidhu, CA Assistant Deputy Minister Finance and Corporate Services

BC Association of Farmers' Markets

Per:

Authorized Signatory

Jon Bell, President and/or Elizabeth Quinn, Executive Director

Marh 30 2014. Date:

Schedule A: PROGRAM DESCRIPTION AND DATES

- A.1 Program Title: BC Farm Product Coupon Program
- A.2 The Commencement Date is on the signing of this agreement
- A.3 The Completion Date is no later than August 31, 2016.
- A.4 The Program will consist of the following:

continuation of the coupon program for select BC Farm products to influence food purchasing behavior of pregnant low income mothers and low income families with children.

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Schedule B: PAYMENT AND REPORTING REQUIREMENTS

B.1 Financial Contribution by the Province:

The Recipient, having met the Eligibility Criteria and agreeing to the Stipulations in this Agreement, the Province will make a financial contribution toward the Eligible Program Costs of the Recipient equal to \$750,000 being the maximum amount of funding approved by the Province.

B.2 Timing of Payment to the Recipient:

The Province will make one payment for its portion of the Eligible Costs that will become due and payable upon the signing of this Grant Agreement.

8.3 Final Report:

The Recipient agrees to provide to the Province a Final Program Status Report, in a form established by the Province.

NOTE: Reports submitted by the Recipient under the terms of this section are for the Province's information and Program accountability only, and their review by the Province in no way endorses, approves or verifies the findings, technical data, results, quality statements, representations or recommendations therein, and the Recipient warrants that all information contained in any report is true and correct.

B.4 Other Information;

The Recipient will provide the Province, upon request, interim reports and all such other information concerning the progress of the Program to completion and payment of Eligible Costs, as may be required by the Province.

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NEWS RELEASE

Ministry of Health

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New funding gives farmers' market program staying power

KAMLOOPS – Lower-income families, seniors and pregnant women will continue to have easier access to healthy, locally grown food, thanks to an additional \$750,000 investment in a successful farmers' market coupon program, Health Minister Terry Lake announced today.

"Eating fresh, nutritious food is a big part of staying healthy and avoiding chronic illness," said Lake. "But, for those most in need, accessing affordable, local foods can be a challenge. This program makes the healthy choice easier and helps improve the health of B.C. families."

The Farmers' Market Nutrition Coupon Program provides coupons that can be used like cash at participating markets throughout British Columbia. Each week, program participants receive \$15 worth of coupons to purchase locally grown fruit, vegetables, meat, eggs, dairy, nuts, and herbs.

In order to receive the coupons, participants take part in free nutrition and skills building programs offered by community agencies that have partnered with each participating market. These programs teach participants how to incorporate farmers' market foods into their everyday diet.

"With the number of B.C. farmers' markets having more than doubled in the past 10 years, it's clear that more and more British Columbians are recognizing the value of local food," said Agriculture Minister Norm Letnick. "The Coupon Program not only helps increase access to healthy food for those in need, it helps raise awareness of the importance of supporting our hard-working farmers."

Fifteen new markets have been added to the Coupon Program this season, for a total of 49 participating markets located throughout the province. This year's funding will go towards sustaining the program beyond 2015.

"Both local farmers and local families have benefitted from the ongoing success of the Coupon Program," said Jon Bell, president, BC Association of Farmers' Markets. "We couldn't be happier that the program has been expanded this year and will be continuing into next year and beyond."

The program is expected to support about 3,500 families and seniors, with an estimated 10,000 individuals benefitting in 2014. The \$750,000 in funding builds on the \$4 million investment provided in 2012 and 2013.

The Nutrition Coupon Program runs for 16 weeks, from July through October 2014, and is administered by the BC Association of Farmers' Markets.

The BC Association of Farmers' Markets is a provincially registered, non-profit association, which represents farmers' markets throughout the province. At member markets, the focus is on selling locally grown or processed farm-fresh foods and vendors must either make, bake or grow the products they sell. The BC Association of Farmers' Markets accepts joint applications from farmers' markets and community agencies on a yearly basis for the Farmers' Market Nutrition Coupon Program.

Learn More:

For more information on the Farmers' Market Nutrition Coupon Program, or to locate a farmers' market in your community, visit: <u>www.bcfarmersmarket.org</u>

For more information on Healthy Families BC, visit: www.healthyfamiliesbc.ca

Media Contact:

Kristy Anderson Media Relations Manager Ministry of Health 250 952-1887 (media line)

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BACKGROUNDER

Ministry of Health

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> Farmers' markets participating in the coupon program *Denotes a new market for 2014

FRASER HEALTH

Abbotsford Farm and Country Market

Location: Outside the United church at Montrose Ave. and George Ferguson Way, downtown Abbotsford.
Hours: Saturdays, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.
Community Partner: Abbotsford Community Services, Best for Babies

Burnaby Farmers' Market

Location: Burnaby City Hall (north parking lot), 4949 Canada Way at Deer Lake Parkway **Hours:** Saturdays, 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. **Community Partners:** Burnaby Association for Community Inclusion and Burnaby Family Life

Coquitlam Farmers Market

Location: In the parking lot of Dogwood Pavilion, 624 Poirier St. at Winslow **Hours:** Sundays, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. **Community Partner:** Westcoast Family Centres Society

Langley Community Farmers Market

Location: Kwantlen University Courtyard (Langley campus), 20901 Langley Bypass **Hours:** Wednesdays, 2 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. **Community Partner:** Langley Senior Resources Society

Maple Ridge: Haney Farmers Market*

Location: Memorial Peace Park at 224th St. Hours: Saturdays 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Community Partner: Golden Ears FEAST

Mission City Farmers Market

Location: Mission Community Library Parking Lot - 33247 2nd Ave. **Hours:** Saturdays, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. **Community Partner:** Long-term Inmates Now in the Community Society

New Westminster: Royal City Farmers Market

Location: Tipperary Park, 4th St. and Royal Ave.
Hours: Thursdays, 3 p.m. to 7 p.m.
Community Partners: Burnaby Family Life, Spirit of the Children Society and Seniors Services Society

Port Coquitlam Farmers Market

Location: 2252 Leigh Square, off Shaughnessy Street between McAllister and Wilson avenues **Hours:** Thursdays, 3 p.m. to 7 p.m. **Community Partner:** Wilson Centre Seniors Advisory Association

Surrey Urban Farmers Market

Location: Surrey City Hall Plaza, 13450 104th Ave.
Hours: Wednesdays, 12 p.m. to 5 p.m.
Community Partners: Oak Avenue Neighbourhood Hub, UMOJA Operation Compassion Society, and Ministry of Social Development's Family and Youth Partnership (Surrey)

White Rock Farmers' Market*

Location: Miramar Plaza, 15154 Russell Ave. Hours: Saturdays, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Community Partner: Sources Community Resource Centre

INTERIOR HEALTH

100 Mile House: South Cariboo Farmers' Market
Location: 100 Mile House Community Hall, 3rd St. and Birch Ave.
Hours: Fridays, 8:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.
Community Partner: Cariboo Family Enrichment Centre

Armstrong Farmers' Market

Location: Interior Provincial Exhibition Fairgrounds, 3371 Pleasant Valley Rd.Hours: Saturdays, 8 a.m. to 12 p.m.Community Partner: Okanagan Boys and Girls Clubs

Clearwater Farmers Market*

Location: 73 Old North Thompson Hwy Rd. Hours: Saturdays, 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. Community Partner: Yellowhead Community Services

Cranbrook Farmer's Market

Location: 10th Avenue South, Downtown adjacent to Rotary ParkHours: Saturdays, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.Community Partner: Community Connections Society of Southeast BC

Kamloops Regional Farmers' Market

Location: Wednesday market is held in the 400 block of Victoria Street, in front of the library;
Saturday market is held in the 200 block of St Paul Street and the Stuart Wood schoolyard
Hours: Wednesdays, 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. and Saturdays, 8 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.
Community Partner: Interior Community Services and Oncore Central Services

Kelowna Farmers' and Crafters' Market

Location: Dilworth Dr. and Springfield Rd.
Hours: Wednesdays, 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. and Saturdays, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.
Community Partners: The Bridge Youth and Family Services and Kelowna Community Food Bank Society

Lytton: Two Rivers Farmers' Market* Location: 4th St. at Main St. Hours: Friday, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Community Partner: Lytton First Nation (Health Department)

Merritt: Nicola Valley Farmers' Market* Location: Voght St. and Merrit Ave. Hours: Saturday 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Community Partner: Nicola Valley and District Food Bank Society

Nelson Downtown Local Market
Location: 400 block of Baker St.
Hours: Wednesdays, 9:30 a.m. to 3 p.m.
Community Partners: Kootenay Kids Society and Seniors Coordinating Society

Penticton Farmers' Market
Location: 100 block of Main St.
Hours: Saturdays, 8:30 a.m. to 1 p.m.
Community Partner: Okanagan Boys and Girls Club

Revelstoke Farmers' Market Location: Grizzly Plaza Hours: Saturdays, 8:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. Community Partner: Community Connections (Revelstoke)

Salmon Arm: Shuswap Farm and Craft Market* Location: 5th St. and 5th Ave

Hours: Tuesdays and Fridays 8 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Community Partner: Shuswap Family Resource

Vernon Farmers' Market
Location: 4900-27th St. (North end of the Village Green Parking lot)
Hours: Mondays and Thursdays, 8 a.m. to 1 p.m.
Community Partner: Vernon First Nations Friendship Centre

NORTHERN HEALTH

Fort St. James Farmers' Market* Location: Spirit Square, Stuart Drive Hours: Fridays 12 p.m. to 4 p.m. Community Partner: College of New Caledonia

Fort St. John Farmer's Market* Location: Fort St. John Curling Club Hours: Saturdays, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Community Partner: Northern Health – Home and Community Care

Hazelton Farmers' MarketLocation: Hazelton Area Visitor Information Centre, Highways 16 and 62Hours: Sundays, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Community Partner: Storytellers Foundation

Houston: Pleasant Valley Community Market

Location: Steelhead Park on Highway 16
Hours: Fridays, 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.
Community Partners: Houston Link to Learning and the Dze L K'ant Friendship Centre – Houston Program Office

Prince George Farmers' Market

Location: Wilson Square, 3rd and George St.
Hours: Saturdays, 8:30 a.m. to 2 p.m.
Community Partner: Prince George Native Friendship Centre and Elizabeth Fry Society – Best for Babies

Quesnel Farmer's Market

Location: Helen Dixon Centre Grounds, corner of Kinchant St. and Carson St.Hours: Saturdays, 8:30 a.m. to 1 p.m.Community Partner: North Cariboo Aboriginal Family Program Society

Smithers: Bulkley Valley Farmers' Market

Location: Corner of Highway 16 and Main St. at Central ParkHours: Saturdays, 8 a.m. to 12 p.m.Community Partners: Smithers Pregnancy Outreach Program and Smithers Salvation Army

Terrace: Skeena Valley Farmer's Market*

Location: Market St. beside George Little ParkHours: Saturdays 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.Community Partner: Kalum Community School Society

VANCOUVER COASTAL HEALTH

North Vancouver: Lonsdale Quay Farmers' Market

Location: 123 Carrie Cates Court at the foot of Lonsdale Avenue **Hours:** Saturdays, 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. **Community Partner:** New Hope Community Kitchen (Salvation Army)

Pemberton Farmers Market

Location: Community Barn, 7437 Frontier St.
Hours: Wednesdays, 4 p.m. to 7 p.m.
Community Partners: Sea to Sky Community Services and Canadian Diabetes Association - Food Skills for Families

Powell River's Open Air Farmers' Market

Location: 4365 McLeod Rd. Hours: Saturdays, 10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. and Sundays, 12:30 p.m. to 2:30 p.m. Community Partners: Powell River Family Place, and Babies Open New Doors (BOND)

Robert's Creek: The Farm Gate Market*

Location: Robert's Creek Community Hall **Hours:** Wednesdays 3 p.m. to 6 p.m.

Community Partner: Sunshine Coast Community Services Centre, Sechelt Health Unit

Sechelt Farmers' and Artisans' Market

Location: Cowrie Street
Hours: Saturdays, 9 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.
Community Partners: Sunshine Coast Community Services Centre, Sechelt Health Unit, Sechelt
First Nation and Sechelt Seniors

Squamish Farmers' Market

Location: Downtown – corner of Cleveland Ave. and Victoria St. Hours: Saturdays, 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Community Partner: Sea to Sky Community Services

Vancouver Farmers Markets:

Location: Trout Lake (East Vancouver), Hendry Park at Trout Lake **Hours:** Saturdays, 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Location: West End, 1100 block of Comox Street **Hours:** Saturdays, 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Location: Main Street, 1100 block Station Street along Thornton Park **Hours:** Wednesdays, 3 p.m. to 7 p.m.

Location: Kitsilano, 2690 Larch St. at 10th Ave. **Hours:** Sundays, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Location: Kerrisdale, East Boulevard between 37th & 41st Ave. **Hours:** Saturdays, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Community Partners: Hastings Community Association, Downtown Eastside Neighbourhood House, Collingwood Neighbourhood House, Gordon Neighbourhood House, Mount Pleasant Neighbourhood House

West Vancouver: Ambleside Farmers' Market Location: 1500 Bellevue Ave. Hours: Sundays, 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Community Partner: New Hope Community Kitchen (Salvation Army)

Whistler Farmers Market*

Location: 4545 Blackcomb Way – base of Blackcomb Mountain **Hours:** Wednesdays, 3 p.m. to 7 p.m. and Sundays, 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. **Community Partner:** Whistler Community Services Society

ISLAND HEALTH

Courtenay: Comox Valley Farmers' Market

Location: Wednesday market is held at England Ave. between 5th and 6th; Thursday market is held at 1761 Comox Ave.; Saturday market is held at the Exhibition Grounds, 4835 Headquarters Rd.

Hours: Wednesdays, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m., Thursdays (every third Thursday) 4 p.m. to 7 p.m. and

Saturdays, 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. **Community Partner:** Comox Valley Family Services Association

Duncan Farmers' Market

Location: The City Square and Ingram St. Hours: Saturdays, 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. Community Partner: Cowichan Green Community Society

Nanaimo: Bowen Road Farmers Market* Location: Beban Park Hours: Wednesdays, 4 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. Community Partner: Nanaimo Foodshare Society

Port Alberni Farmers' Market
Location: First Baptist Church Gymnasium
Hours: Saturdays, 9 a.m. to 12 p.m.
Community Partners: Vancouver Island Health Authority and Integrated Health Network

Qualicum Beach Farmers Market*

Location: Corner of Verterans Way and Memorial Ave.Hours: Saturdays, 8:30 a.m. to 12 p.m.Community Partner: Parksville Baby & Me Early Years Program

Salt Spring Tuesday Farmers' Market

Location: Ganges – Centennial Park Hours: Tuesday: 2 p.m. to 6 p.m. Community Partner: Salt Spring Island Community Services

Port Alberni: Spirit Square Farmers' Market*

Location: Harbour Quay, 5440 Argyle St.Hours: Saturdays, 9 a.m. to 12 p.m.Community Partners: Vancouver Island Health Authority and Integrated Health Network

Victoria: Moss Street Market

Location: 1330 Fairfield Rd.
Hours: Saturdays, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.
Community Partners: Victoria Native Friendship Centre and Ministry of Social Development's Family and Youth Partnership (Victoria)

Victoria: Oaklands Sunset Market*

Location: 1-2827 Belmont Ave (Community Centre)Hours: Wednesdays, 4:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.Community Partners: The Cridge Centre for the Family and Victoria Integrated Health Network

Media Contact:

Kristy Anderson Media Relations Manager Ministry of Health 250 952-1887 (media line)

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Ms. Elizabeth Quinn Executive Director BC Association of Farmers' Markets 103 1089 W Broadway Vancouver BC V6H 1E5

I am pleased to enclose a cheque in the amount of \$750,000 to the BC Association of Farmers' Markets for the BC Farm Product Coupon Program. Also enclosed is a signed copy of the Transfer Agreement.

On behalf of the Ministry of Health, I wish you continued success with this program.

Yours truly,

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Manjit Sidhu, CA Assistant Deputy Minister Financial and Corporate Services

Enclosures

Ministry of Health

Office of the Assistant Deputy Minister Finance and Corporate Services 4-4 1515 Blanshard Street Victoria BC V8W 3C8

Facsimile: 250 952-1573

	Number of		
Community Partner	Families/Sen ior	Total # Books	Books Distributed
	14	117	
Spirit of the Children	60	960	64 259
Sources Community Centre	20	320	101
Lytton First Nation		640	
Shuswap Family Resource & Referral Centre/Society	40		267
Yellowhead Community Services	20	320	126
Seniors Services Society	20	320	137
College of New Caledonia	10	160	65
Burnaby Association for Community Inclusion	19	304	142
Bridge Youth and Family Services Society Kelowna)	40	640	305
Golden Ears FEAST	70	1120	490
Victoria Native Friendship Centre	58	928	378
Downtown Eastside Neighbourhood House	22	352	187
Salt Spring Community Services	80	1280	643
Gordon Neighbourhood House	22	352	149
Sea to Sky Community Services - Squamish	80	1280	655
Port Alberni integrated Health Network	17	272	153
Sea to Sky - Pemberton	25	400	211
Oncore Family Services (Kamloops)	25	400	233
Okanagan Boys and Girls Club (Penticton)	35	560	327
Westcoast Family Centres Society	55	880	484
Smithers Salvation Army	35	560	310
Sechelt Nation	18	288	165
Home and Community Care - Northern Health	10	160	93
Nicola Valley and District Food Bank Society	25	400	239
Kootenay Kids Society	30	480	263
First Nations Friendship Centre (Vernon)	70	1120	673
Whistler Community Services Society	40	640	322
Parksville Baby & Me Early Years Program, Public Health	40	640	388
Port Alberni Early Years Program	65	1040	690
Nanaimo FoodShare Society	60	960	493
Women's Resources Society	20	320	218
Powell River Family Place	15	240	151
Victoria Integrated Health Network	10	160	101
North Cariboo Aboriginal Family Program Society - Quesne	20	320	237
Abbotsford Community Services, Best for Babies - South As		480	258
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Interior Community Services - Baby Headstart (Kamloops)	55	880	584
Comox Valley Family Services Association	80	1280	784
Okanagan Boys and Girls Club (Armstrong)	45	720	484

New Hope Community Kitchen (Salvation Army)	50	800	541
Vancouver Coastal Health - Gibsons	30	480	298
Cowichan Green Community Society	55	880	598
Cridge Centre for the Family	25	400	272
Hastings Community Centre	22	352	200
Community Connections Society of Southeast BC	50	800	594
Collingwood Neighbourhood House	22	352	242
Surrey FYP	12	192	144
Prince George Native Friendship Centre	40	640	459
Mount Pleasant Neighbourhood House	22	352	256
Wilson Centre Seniors Advisory Association	25	400	247
Seniors Coordinating Society	12	192	107
Dze L K'ant Friendship Centre - Houston Program Office	10	160	100
Cariboo Family Enrichment Centre (100 Mile House)	20	320	260
Prince George - Elizabeth Fry	40	640	560
Langley Senior Resources Society	40	640	481
Community Connections (Revelstoke) Society	40	640	465
Burnaby Family Life - New Westminter Program	46	736	541
Storytellers' Foundation	40	640	520
Kalum Community School Society	40	640	478
Babies Open New Doors	15	240	181
Umoja Compassion Society	18	288	203
Kelowna Community Food Bank	40	640	603
Burnaby Family Life - Burnaby Program	19	304	246
Abbotsford Community Services, Best for Babies	30	480	470
Kelowna Family and Youth	10	160	176
L.I.N.C. (Long-term Inmates Now in the Community) Societ	50	800	696
Smithers Pregnancy Outreach Program (Northern Society f	25	400	441
Houston Link to Learning	10	160	184
Oak Avenue Neighbourhood Hub	30	480	612

Target Distribution to		Overall	Weeks
Date	Current %	%	Reporting
168	38%	55%	12
660	39%	27%	11
200	51%	32%	10
520	51%	42%	13
240	53%	39%	12
240	57%	43%	12
110	59%	41%	11
228	62%	47%	12
480	64%	48%	12
770	64%	44%	11
580	65%	41%	10
286	65%	53%	13
960	67%	50%	12
220	68%	42%	10
960	68%	51%	12
221	69%	56%	13
300	70%	53%	12
325	72%	58%	13
455	72%	58%	13
660	73%	55%	12
420	74%	55%	12
216	76%	57%	12
120	78%	58%	12
300	80%	60%	12
330	80%	55%	11
840	80%	60%	12
400	81%	50%	10
480	81%	61%	12
845	82%	66%	13
600	82%	51%	10
260	84%	68%	13
180	84%	63%	12
120	84%	63%	12
280	85%	74%	14
300	86%	54%	10
187	88%	61%	11
660	88%	66%	12
880	89%	61%	11
540	90%	67%	12

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Sent:	Tuesday, September 9, 2014 9:37 AM
То:	Elizabeth Quinn; Yandel, Margaret HLTH:EX; Cat Majors; Anaka, Donna G AGRI:EX
Cc:	emily@bcfarmersmarket.org
Subject:	Re: FMNCP SC Meeting Today

Here are the latest redemption statistics... Peter

Market		% Redeemed	Distributed
Pleasant Valley Community Market	306		
Fort St John Farmers Market	477	31%	1555
Ambleside Farmers Market and Lonsdale	1835	68%	2705
Skeena Valley Farmer's Market	898	38%	2390
Coquitlam Farmers Market	938	39%	2420
Spirit Square Farmers' Market and Port Alberni Farmers Market	2674	63%	4215
Nicola Valley Farmers Market	565	47%	1195
Moss Street Community Market	942	50%	1890
Clearwater Farmers Market	318	50%	630
Burnaby Farmers' Market	1001	52%	1940
Pemberton Farmers Market	558	53%	1055
Vancouver Farmers Market	2814	54%	5170
Sechelt Farmers' and Artisans Market and the Farm Gate	2142	66%	3240
Revelstoke Farm and Craft Market	1289	55%	2325
Shuswap Farm & Craft Market	752	56%	1335
Bulkley Valley Farmers' Market	2130	57%	3755
South Cariboo Farmers Market	753	58%	1300
Powell River Open Air Market	970	58%	1660
Whistler Farmers' Market	951	59%	1610
Surrey Urban Farmers Market	2893	60%	4795
Penticton Farmers Market	997	61%	1635
White Rock Farmers' Market	791	61%	1295
Prince George Farmers' Market	3182	62%	5095
Quesnel Farmers' Market	760	64%	1185
Cranbrook Farmers Market	1935	65%	2970
Kelowna Farmers and Crafters Market	3532	65%	5420
Kamloops Farmers Market	2663	65%	4085
Fort St. James Farmers Market	215	66%	325
Duncan Farmers Market	1996	67%	2990
Armstrong Farmers Market	1636	68%	2420
Qualicum Beach Farmers Market	1416	73%	1940
Hazelton Farmers' Market	2007	77%	2600

Langley Community Farmers Market	1857	77%	2405
Squamish Farmers Market	2546	78%	3275
Abbotsford Farm and Country Market	2222	82%	2700
Lytton Two Rivers Farmers Market	428	85%	505
Comox Valley Farmers' Market	3435	88%	3920
Oaklands Sunset Market	1636	88%	1865
Vernon Farmers' Market	3017	90%	3365
Royal City Farmers' Market	3588	97%	3710
Nelson Farmers Market	1837	99%	1850
Salt Spring Tuesday Farmers' Market	3229	100%	3215
Haney Farmers Market	2584	105%	2450
Bowen Road Farmer's Market	2723	110%	2465
Port Coquitlam Farmers Market	1407	114%	1235
Mission City Farmers Market	4144	119%	3480
	80989	70%	115005

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On 2014-09-09, 9:30 AM, Elizabeth Quinn wrote:

Hi Marg, My apologies for not sending the agenda for today's 10 am meeting.

Agenda: 1. Redemption and distribution stats 2. other

Conference call dial in number s.15 Participant Conference ID: s.15

Talk soon.

Elizabeth

On Tue, Sep 9, 2014 at 9:22 AM, Yandel, Margaret HLTH:EX <<u>Margaret.Yandel@gov.bc.ca</u>> wrote:

Hi Elizabeth

I have a meeting scheduled for today but you haven't seem agenda yet. So just wondering if it is still on?

Thanks

Marg

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