# **Frequently Asked Questions:**

# Where can I use my farmers market benefits?

- See back page OR;
- Use the WIC Shopper App or Scan the QR code below to locate local markets and farm stands.



### How do I use my farmers' market benefits?

- Download the BNFT App or go to www.mybnft.com.
- Create an account BEFORE you visit the market.
- Use the barcode in the BNFT App or print your barcode from www.mybnft.com.

## What can I buy?

- Fresh, unprepared, Maine grown fruits and vegetables.
- You can use your fruit and vegetable benefits (CVB) at the market and farm stands using the BNFT App bar code.

# What am I not allowed to buy with the farmers' market benefits?

 You cannot buy honey, maple syrup, cider, nuts, seeds, eggs, cheese, meat, seafood, prepared items, fruits and veggies that are NOT Maine grown, and dried herbs. October 31st, 2023 is the <u>last day to use</u> your Farmers Market benefits!

# **Important:**

- If the total exceeds the sum of the farmers' market benefit the additional charge will be deducted from your available CVB balance automatically by the point of sales system.
- You can use another form of payment if the total is more than your WIC benefits.
- Farmers' Market and Farm Stand hours may vary due to the seasonal nature of farming. Check out their Facebook pages for more information.

# Opportunity Alliance

For more information about WIC call **207.553.5800** or visit www.maine.gov/wic

WIC is a program of The Opportunity Alliance. The Opportunity Alliance is a non-profit, multi-service, community action agency committed to transforming our community by helping people in need build better lives. The WIC Nutrition Program is an equal opportunity program administered by the Maine Department of Health and Human services. The program is operated in accordance with the US Department of Agriculture policy which prohibits discrimination on the basis or race, color, sex, age, disability, religion, or national origin.

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### **Bridgton**

Bridgton Farmers' Market 12 Depot St Sat 8-12 (summer hours)

Patch Farm

#### **Brunswick**

Brunswick Farmers' Market 195 Maine St - On the Mall Tue, Fri 8-1

Six River Farm, Tender Soles Farm, Whatley Farm

#### Brunswick

BTLT Farmers' Market 277 Pleasant Hill Rd Sat 8:30-12:30

Six River Farm, Whatley Farm

#### Cumberland

<u>Cumberland Farmers' Market</u> 290 Tuttle Rd - Town Hall Complex Sat 10-1

Chirp Creek Farm, Valley View Farm, Jillsons Farm and Sugarhouse

### **Falmouth**

<u>Falmouth Farmers' Market</u> 22 Hat Trick Dr - Next to Ice Rink Wed 10-1

Jillsons Farm and Sugarhouse, Valley View Farm ME WIC does its best to keep this information current. Farmers hour may vary please call, email, or check social media for most current hours.

### Freeport

Freeport Farmers' Market 22 Main St Friday 9-1

Eli's Homestead, Liberation Farms

#### **Portland**

Portland Farmers' Market
Deering Oaks Park
Sat, Wed 7-1
(207) 382-6007

Goranson Farm, Alewives Brook Farm, Fresh Start Farm (Christine Pompeo), Tiny Acres Farm

#### **Portland**

Cultivating Community-Riverton Park
2 Riverton Drive
Thu 11-3
(207) 382-6007

#### **South Portland**

South Portland Farmers Market
25 Cottage Rd
City Hall Parking Lot
Sun 10-2

Alewives Brook Farm, New Roots Cooperative Farm

#### **Steep Falls**

Steep Falls Farmers' Market

1 Main St, Gazebo Park
Sat 9-2

November's Harvest Farm

#### Windham

Windham Farmers' Market 4 Turning Leaf Rd Sat 8:30-12:30

Chirp Creek Farm

#### Yarmouth

Yarmouth Farmers' Market

1 Railroad Square
Bickford Pavilion
Thur 3-6

Tender Soles Farm, Andrews Farm, Liberation Farms

## **Cape Elizabeth**

Alewives Brook Farm Stand 83 Old Ocean House Rd Daily 9-6

### Scarborough

Scarborough Farmers' Market 259 US Route 1 Sun 9-1

Girard Farm, Salad Bowls Farm