## Request for Equipment Purchased in the Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Program

Instructions:

- Complete one form and email to <a href="mailto:stambach@maine.gov">stephanie.stambach@maine.gov</a>
- <u>Do not purchase equipment until approval is received from the Maine Department of Education</u>
- Retain signed copy for your files
- This form is only needed for large equipment purchases (such as refrigerators, coolers, portable kiosks and carts). Approval is not needed for small wares.

District:

School (s):

School FFVP Contact Name:

Email:

Phone:

- 1. What is the piece of equipment to be purchased? Please describe what it is and its function.
- 2. What is the estimated cost of the requested equipment? Make sure to follow proper procurement procedures when purchasing equipment.
- 3. Why is the equipment needed and why is current equipment not sufficient?
- 4. If the purchase is to be split among other Child Nutrition Programs, state which programs and the percentage paid by each (cost must be prorated among all programs using the equipment).
- 5. How many times do you serve fresh fruits and vegetables each week?

Name of person completing request: \_\_\_\_\_\_

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

## For Maine DOE Use Only:

Date Approved: \_\_\_\_\_\_ Maine DOE Staff Signature: \_\_\_\_\_