DURANGO FARMERS MARKET

PO Box 3761 ~ Durango, CO 81302

"It is the mission of the Durango Farmers Market to strengthen community ties to agriculture by providing a venue for regional agricultural producers to sell their products, by preserving open space, by promoting healthy farming practices and by providing educational benefits through hands-on experience. The Durango Farmers Market seeks to improve the quality of life for all community members."

BOD Meeting Wednesday, March 8 2023 5:00 PM Via Zoom

Those Present: Jordan Meyers (President); John Buck (Vice President); Morgan Di Santo (Secretary); Sheila Payne (Treasurer); Anna Knowles (Market Manager); Kate Nauman (Community Board Member).

- 1. Call to Order by president at 5:09pm.
- 2. Vendor Concerns
 - a. Dave Banga's comment/email.
 - i. Lemonade and candy.
- 3. Vendor Totals

VENDOR TOTALS			
TYPE	RETURNING	NEW	TOTAL
Agricultural	32	11	43
VA, B, RtE	19	4	23
Artisan	30	14	44
Services	3	4	7
Total	84	33	117

4. Returning Vendors

a. Returning Ag Vendors

VENDOR TYPE:	RETURNING AG	
VENDOR	YAY OR NAY	NOTES
4 Corners Worm Farm	Υ	
Adobe House Farm	Υ	
		Wants 3 spaces for whole
Anatolian	Υ	season but then 4 for chili

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		roasting. We should
		suggest to them only 2
		and then 3 for chili
December 5	\ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \	roasting.
Banga's Farm	Υ	
Botanical Companions	Υ	
		Haven't received a
		response to questionable
		standing, so we would
		like to wait on making
Breen Mesa Farm		decision
		Question about who is
		running the beef
		operation. Approve all
Fields to Plate Produce	Y	and ask about beef.
Fresh Start	Υ	
Green Table Farm	Y	
Homegrown Farm	Y	
Horvath Honey	Υ	
Humble Fungi	Υ	
Jakes Farm	Υ	
Kind Hemps	Υ	
La Plata Lavender	Υ	
Leafcutter Farms	Υ	
Long Table Farm	Υ	
Miel del Sol formerly		
Bee-Orn	Υ	
Milliron Lazy K Ranch	Υ	
Mocking Crow Farm	Υ	
Offbeat Family Farm	Υ	
Old Fort Farmer Training	Y	
Peacetree Organix	Υ	
Rohwer's Farm	Y	
Serotiny Farms	Υ	
Stone Free Farm	Y	
Summit Roots	Y	
		Discussion on what they
		are selling. Go with
Table to Farm Compost	Υ	historical president.
Terra Walk	Υ	
Tilted Earth	Y	
Turtle Lake Refuge	Υ	
Vital Beauty	Y	

- i. Morgan moves to approve all returning Ag vendors with exception of Breen Mesa Farm; and that we wait to approve Fields to Plate beef and ask them to apply as separate business.
 - 1. Motion seconded. Motion passes.
- b. Returning Ready to Eat, Beverage, Value Added

VENDOR TYPE:	RETURNING READY TO EAT, BEVERAGE, VALUE ADDED		
Vendor Name	Products	YAY OR NAY	NOTES
Basecamp Plant Based Kitchen	Cheesecake, sauces, dressing, spreads, Vegan baked goods, vegan cheese, vegan meat	Υ	
Cardinal Coffee	Coffee	Υ	
Cow Camp	Kettle Corn		CAN WE ask them to source better poppin corn. why /what is con agra? Can you source it from the four corners region?
Durango Coffee	Coffee	Υ	
Durango Natural Foods	Breakfast burrito, juice, sandwiches	Υ	
Earth's Garden	Baked goods (vegan options), vegan breakfast Burrito, vegan desserts, vegan DIY kits, Tea, lemonade, international food, pickled veggies, sandwiches, salad, soup, tacos	Υ	
Fenceline	Cherries, cider varieties	Y	
Fired Up Pizza	Lemonade, Pizza	Y	
Lively Daikon	Breakfast, kombucha, hemp coffee	Υ	
Love'N Juice	Juice	Υ	

Luv Box	Vegan breakfast, tempeh, soup, dried herbs, baked goods, tofu, wraps	Y
Odd Bird Bakery	Pastries (grab and go boxes), pies, cakes	Y
Peaks Pie	Pies, baked goods	Υ
Pura Vida Lemonade	Fresh pressed lemonade, local herbs – wants to attend late May through end of September	Y
Red Hawk	Jelly, pickled veggies	Υ
Serious Delights	Baked goods	Υ
Southwest Tea	Tea blends to sell (main focus), also serve hot and iced tea to consume at market, merchandise (hats, t-shirts, tea equipment)	Y
Subversion – Revolutionary Sandwiches	Sandwiches, drinks, salads and soup from a food truck, some local sources (bread from bread, coffee, tea, lemonade made in house – will refrain from reselling seltzer water – fries will be made from SLV potatoes)	Υ
Wright (returning from 2021)	Bread, brownies, cakes, cookies, eggs, muffins, pies, dressings, baked goods (SF, V)	Y

- i. Morgan moves to approve all food and beverage vendors with the exception of Cow Camp, who the board is going to ask if they can source more local corn.
 - 1. Motion seconded. Motion passes.

c. Returning Artisan

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VENDOR TYPE:	ARTISAN		
VENDOR 11PE:	YAY OR NAY	NOTES	
	Y	NOTES	
A Little Twisted	Y		
Allysia Brooke			
Animas Artisans	У	Fallani na mith	
Bhakti Moon		Follow up with clarification on	
Botanicals		products	
BirdDog	V	products	
Belle & the Bear	V		
Delle & the Deal	1		
Charleaux Designs	У		
Canyon Rugs	v		
Camp Critter	<u> </u>		
Woolens	V		
Cura.Te	V		
Danni Andrews	<u>y</u>		
Creates	V		
Desert Moon	<u>y</u>		
Jewelry	V		
Dream Clay) y		
Designs	V		
Fiddling Potter	1		
Studio	V		
Haiku Moving	,		
Company	V		
Hannah Wilson	V		
Kate Art Deal.com	V		
Lil' Bud	V		
Los Miramontes			
Lavender	V		
Moonbeam	٧		
Reconnect Skin			
Care	уу		
Red Cliffs Pottery	У		
Sew Alpine	У		
Shamanda Jewelry	у		
Stone Gypsy	у		
Studio 451 Jewelry	У		
The Hidden Hand			
Candle Co	у		
Udder Indulgence	у		

Wize Owl		
Handprints	y	
Ella Smith	у	

- John moves to approve all returning artisan vendors and ask Bhakti Moon for clarification on her products (where are the products being made; is she making them; especially in regards to her selecting "co packing").
 - 1. Motion seconded. Motion passes.

d. Returning Service

VENDOR TYPE:	RETURNING SERVICE		
Vendor Name	SERVICE	YAY OR NAY	NOTES
Heart to Hands	Massage	Y	
Mountain Medicine	Acupuncture	Y	Ask him about his books; oils; salves; etc? Is he making them?
Wild Mountain Forge	Knife sharpenings	Y	

- Morgan moves to approve all returning Service Vendors and asks Tyler from Mountain medicine about the oils, salves, herbal remedies, and other products he has listed to see if he makes them.
 - 1. Motion seconded, motion passes.

5. New Vendors

a. New Ag

VENDOR TYPE:	NEW AG	
VENDOR	YAY OR NAY	NOTES
Busy Bee	Υ	
Coltivare	Υ	
Destiny Botanicals	Υ	
DuranGoats	Y	SHOULD THEY BE A SERVICE VENDOR?? Want to eventually sell
Fresh Love Farm	Y	Wants to share with the Old Fort booth, as long as

		they are there, board is
		fine with it just need to
		distinguish between the
		two.
Hideaway Honey	Υ	Only want 5 appearances
Humble Roots	Υ	
Nova Market	Υ	
Rainbow Springs	Υ	flowers
Wild Thymes	Υ	

- i. Morgan moves to approve all new Ag Vendors.
 - 1. Sheila seconds. Motion passes
- b. New Ready to Eat, Beverage, Value Added.

	NEW READY TO EAT,		
VENDOR	BEVERAGE, VALUE		
TYPE:	ADDED		
Vendor Name	Products	YAY OR NAY	NOTES
Kat's Kitchen	Breakfast burrito, juice	Υ	
Omni Bagels	Bagels	Υ	
SKA Brewing	Beer	Υ	
Wordplay	Coffee	Υ	

- i. Morgan moves to approve all new RtE, Beverage, and Value Added vendors.
 - 1. John seconds. Motion passes.

c. New Artisan

VENDOR TYPE:	NEW ARTISAN	
VENDOR	YAY OR NAY	NOTES
Adornments of Disturbance	1YES	
Animas Drift		No wood engraving on
	waitlist	spatuals
Canyon Blossom Creations	YES but need product	
	images	Need product images
Chris Young Knives	2 YES	
Erin Moriatry	Low waitlist	
Get Fused	NO	
Little Fox	3 YES	
Love Lucky Dog	7 YES	

Prana Visions		Not all products in product list. Can only bring things
	NO	that you add value to.
ReCYCLEd pARTS	Middle YES	
Scavenged Plastic	Low YES	
Strange Mountain	Middle YES	Missing image of display
Tuscan Sun	Middle YES	
Wolf2Raven	Bottom NO	
SanJuan Gempipes	Bottom NO	

- i. John moves to approve Adornments of Disturbance, Chris Young Knives, Little Fox, Love Lucky Dog, ReCycled Parts, Scavenged Plastic, Strange Mountain, and Tuscan Sun.
 - 1. Vendors <u>NOT</u> approved include San Juan Gempipes, Wolf2Raven, and Prana Visions.
 - 2. Vendors <u>WAITLISTED</u> include Animas Drift and Erin Moriatry.
 - 3. John also moves to approve Canyon Blossom Creations but requests images of products before doing so.
- ii. Motion seconded, motion passes.

d. New Service

VENDOR TYPE:	NEW SERVICE		
Vendor Name	SERVICE	YAY OR NAY	NOTES
Dragonfly Holistic	Massage		Problems with application; also lists soaps and jewlry
Hive	Youth Booth (emailed)		Unclear what they want to do at the market Maybe be an info booth for this year. Need more information from them.
Lokahi Theraputics	Massage, cupping, facials	Υ	
Make Me Up Connie	Threading	N	

 Morgan moves to approve Lokahi Therapeutics; ask for clarification from Dragonfly Holistics about listed products of jewelry and soaps and her intentions to sell; ask for clarification from Hive about what they want to do at the market and maybe suggest that they apply as an info booth; and that we <u>not</u> approve Make Me Up Connie.

1. Motion seconded; motion passes.

6. Other Business

- a. Next BOD Meeting.
- b. Spring Membership meeting scheduling.
 - i. 6pm Wednesday April 12th.
 - ii. Where: Fairgrounds; extension office; or the old fort?

7. Adjournment

a. Morgan moves to adjourn. Motion passes. Meeting adjourned at 8:07pm.

Respectfully Submitted, Morgan Di Santo, Secretary.