



Proclamation

By the Mayor of Nampa Debbie Kling

Whereas, Nampa's Farmers Market was established on July 15, 1989, by John and Afine Relk. The first season started with just 3 vendors and has now grown to over 200 registered vendors and is on track to exceed last year's all-time sales record of over a million dollars, and;

Whereas, Nampa's Farmers Market plays a vital role in giving producers direct access to consumers and has contributed to the health and vitality of downtown Nampa for the last 35 years; and

Whereas, Nampa's Farmers Market prides itself on using only local vendors, and 75% of the products they sell must be made, baked, or grown by the vendor and within 100 miles of the market location, and;

Whereas, Nampa's Farmers Market provides the public with ready access to quality fruits, vegetables, herbs, flowers, organic items, baked goods, homemade preserves, handmade items, and more; and

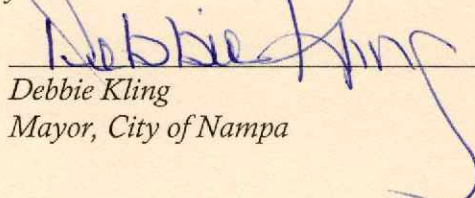
Whereas, Nampa's Farmers Market is an important component of comprehensive local economic development strategy that fosters community engagement, supports local farmers, promotes health and wellness, and provides access points for healthy food in neighborhoods.

Now Therefore, I, Debbie Kling Mayor of the City of Nampa, Idaho, on this 35th Anniversary, do hereby proclaim Saturday, July 13th as

"Nampa Farmers Market Day"

We encourage the people of Nampa to celebrate the benefits of farmer's markets and the bountiful production of our local farmers and vendors with appropriate observances and activities.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the City of Nampa to be affixed this 10th day of July in the year of our Lord two thousand twenty-four.



Debbie Kling
Mayor, City of Nampa

