

1. TEXT AMENDMENT: Farmers' Markets

Summary: To amend the definition of "Farmers' Market" in Section 2 of the Zoning and Development By-law to better distinguish between "local prepared foods" and "local ready-to-eat foods"; to amend Section 11.21 to increase the minimum required number of stalls from 10 to 11 and to increase the limit on stalls selling local ready-to-eat foods and local artisan crafts from 20% to 40% of all stalls; and to add a cross-reference to Section 11.21 into the various district schedules which permit farmers' markets.

Applicant: General Manager of Planning and Development Services

Recommended Approval: By the General Manager of Planning and Development Services:

THAT the application to amend the Zoning and Development By-law to:

- i) amend the definition of "Farmers' Market" in Section 2 to better distinguish between "local prepared foods" and "local ready-to-eat foods";
- ii) amend Section 11.21 to increase the minimum required number of stalls from 10 to 11 and to increase the limit on stalls selling local ready-to-eat foods and local artisan crafts from 20% of all stalls to 40% of all stalls; and
- iii) add a cross-reference to Section 11.21 into the various district schedules which permit farmers' markets;

all generally as presented in Appendix A of the Policy Report dated January 21, 2013, entitled "Amendments to the Zoning and Development By-law Regarding Farmers' Markets", be approved.

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