

**24<sup>th</sup> Annual Iowa Farmers Market Workshop**  
**9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.**  
**Saturday, February 12, 2022**  
**Gateway Hotel & Conference Center – 2100 Green Hills Dr., Ames**  
**Hotel link: <https://www.gatewayames.com/>**

Plan to attend the 24th Annual Farmers Market Workshop! Hosted by the Iowa Farmers Market Association, the workshop is for managers, growers, vendors and organizers. Anyone involved in farmers markets or those considering establishing one are welcome to attend!

Registration is only \$60\*\* (through Feb. 4<sup>th</sup>) and includes lunch and two breaks with snacks.

**Workshop Presentations & Events:**

**Sessions include** a panel discussion on acquiring and maintaining community partners, grant funding opportunities and tips, best practices for market safety, questions answered on scales, food sales, and licensing requirements; updates on state programs; and more!! **IDALS staff on hand to inspect & license your NTEP-certified scales** for a small fee! Join us for the 12:30 p.m. annual **IFMA Business Meeting**. Trade vendors and materials will be available along with IFMA merchandise for sale. Visit the [Workshop Agenda page](#) on the IFMA website for more details.

**Registration: workshop participants have the option to register and pay online using a credit card by visiting the IFMA Eventbrite page!** If you'd like to register and pay online please [click here to visit the IFMA Workshop Eventbrite page](#).

Visit the [Workshop link](#) on the IFMA website for valuable supplemental information, maps, agenda, menu and more.

There will be an **optional Farmers Market Nutrition Program certification class** offered from 4:15 pm to 5 pm following the workshop. Get your class taken early!

Questions? Email Lojean Petersen, Secretary & Membership Chair, at [amesmarket@gmail.com](mailto:amesmarket@gmail.com)

**Farm Bureau plastic bags available again on a per market basis. If interested, market contact please provide # of vendors & # of boxes requested.** Two pickup dates: Saturday March 26<sup>th</sup> 10 am to 3 pm & Saturday April 9<sup>th</sup> 10 am to 3 pm. Pick up @ the far south end of the Centennial Warehouse (the portion of the warehouse we will use is run by Ace Worldwide Moving), 10400 Hickman Rd, Clive 50325 –Call 515-371-5771 for pickup questions to Jim Dickenson.

Market Plastic Bag Required Information:

Name of Market \_\_\_\_\_ # of vendors \_\_\_\_\_  
 Date planned for pickup (circle one): March 26      April 9  
 # boxes requested (1000 per box) \_\_\_\_\_ (No guarantee boxes requested will be available)  
 Contact name, phone, e-mail required \_\_\_\_\_

**Registration Form**

[\(or click here to register & pay online via Eventbrite\)](#)

Market you are representing: \_\_\_\_\_

Attendee Name(s) \_\_\_\_\_

1. \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_

3. \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

*Use another paper for additional registrations.*

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Number of people attending\*\* \_\_\_\_\_

@\$60 each = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**\*\*Any registration after Feb 4 will be**

**\$70 per registrant**

Total amount enclosed = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Please register & pay via Eventbrite link above or make check payable to IFMA and mail to:

Barb Ristau  
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 Hampton IA 50441

