

RESOLUTION TO RECOMMEND TOP 3 ARTISANS ON DAILY LIST MOVE TO PERMANENT STALLS

[This resolution is subject to PMAC and City Council's adoption of the current proposed change to the Farmers Market Operating Rules, section G.5., regarding Stalls. If the rule change is not adopted, this recommendation is null and void.]

Whereas, the limit of 12 annual stalls for artisan vendors has resulted in a high discrepancy between the number of years an artisan remains on the Daily list, vs the number of years a producer remains on the Daily list before moving up to annual status and receiving a permanent stall.

Whereas, there are three extra stalls that were not assigned during the regular 2018 Stall Move Up Process, because not enough annual vendors wanted an additional stall.

Whereas, the number of years the top artisan vendor has been on the Daily list is more than twice the number of years the top producer has been on the daily list (23 years vs 10 years).

Whereas, this is an exceptional circumstance and a onetime only move, corresponding to the Market Operating Rule section 5.G.:

5. Stalls

A stall is a single numbered or lettered vending space in the Market, as designated by the Market Manager.

A. A Producer with Annual Vendor status may be assigned a maximum of three stalls annually.

B. An Artisan with Annual Vendor status may be assigned a maximum of one stall annually.

C. Annual Vendors who have more than the maximum number of stalls at the time of the adoption of these Market Rules shall continue to be assigned their existing number of stalls until such an Annual Vendor is assigned a lesser number of stalls for any reason provided by these Market Rules.

D. The total number of stalls available for use by Artisans with Annual Vendor status shall be 12 and the total number of stalls available for use by Producers with Annual Vendor status shall be 132.

E. Daily Mobile Food Vendors may only use designated stalls as assigned by the Market Manager.

F. In the event that all numbered stalls are filled on a given Market day, the Market Manager may create additional temporary lettered stalls on the Market extensions, as he/she deems appropriate.

G. The Market Manager may make exceptions to the stall assignment guidelines above based on extenuating circumstances. Exceptions to stall assignment guidelines shall also require Public Market Advisory Commission support by resolution and agreement by the Community Services Administrator.

Whereas, this exception has been agreed to by the Market Manager and is reliant on agreement by the Community Services Administrator.

RESOLVED, that the Public Market Advisory Commission recommends the three artisans at the top of the Daily vendor list each receive a permanent stall, effective immediately.

RESOLVED, that the Public Market Advisory Commission regularly review vendor makeup and set guidelines for a percentage of each type of product represented at the market, at least once every three years.