



## KENOSHA COMMON MARKETS, INC.

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KENOSHA HARBORMARKET • KENOSHA WINTER HARBORMARKET

## Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) - Eligible Food Items

**VENDOR INFORMATION for Kenosha HarborMarket & Kenosha Winter HarborMarket If you have questions, email [info@kenoshaharbormarket.com](mailto:info@kenoshaharbormarket.com)**

**Kenosha Common Markets, Inc.** is authorized to administer funds on behalf of certain HarborMarket vendors through the Federal SNAP Program (AKA - food stamps, food share.) By facilitating the use of EBT (Electronic Benefits Transfer) payments between vendors and customers, all of our Market vendors who sell eligible food products can now supply fresh, nutritious foods to families receiving SNAP benefits.

The information listed below is limited to items specifically sold by vendors at Kenosha HarborMarket and Kenosha Winter HarborMarket. The complete list can be found at: [www.fns.usda.gov/snap/eligible-food-items](http://www.fns.usda.gov/snap/eligible-food-items). Figuring out what is/isn't eligible is easy! However, if you have a question about eligible food items, please ask BEFORE you accept our tokens as payment. **If the item you have sold is not eligible, you will not be reimbursed.**

Participation by Market vendors is free and voluntary, and provides farmers/producers a large, new customer-base. At this time, Kenosha Common Markets, Inc. will pay all fees associated with the SNAP Program, (and the costs are plentiful!) We will process the EBT cards, and provide tokens for SNAP users to shop with (see imprinted wooden nickels below). Each wooden nickel is worth \$2.00.

**How it works:** Sell eligible foods in \$2 increments, (\$2, \$4, \$6) OR the customer may pay cash for any portion that is over a \$2 increment, but under the next higher increment. **Please note: It is against the law to accept the \$2 tokens, and make change to the customer with cash. Please do not do it!** At the end of the Market day, bring your wooden nickels to the Friends/Market booth on 2nd Ave. **You will be paid by check for the tokens you turn in.** Our tokens are pictured below.

### **YES - Sell foods meant to eat at HOME, such as:**

breads and cereals  
fruits and vegetables  
uncooked meats, fish and  
poultry dairy products  
"Luxury" foods (like steak, donuts) are still food, so they  
are okay to buy with SNAP  
YES to selling food seeds and bedding plants

### **NO - Do Not accept tokens for ANY nonfood items:**

pet food  
soaps, lotions  
paper products  
household supplies  
NO-Food meant to be eaten at the Market  
NO-Prepared hot foods meant to take home

**Generally, eligible foods are those that are meant to be prepared and eaten at home.**



Some tokens are painted green around the edge. ALL Kenosha Common Markets tokens are worth \$2.

**If you sell eligible food products and wish to participate, you please contact Ray Forgianni at [rforgianni@kenoshaharbormarket.com](mailto:rforgianni@kenoshaharbormarket.com)**