# Harvest Market Meeting Agenda

**Location**: Headquarters
**Date**: February 23, 2025
**Committee**: Gigi Garcia, Corey Grijalva, Mark Sheridan, Victoria Malone

Start time: 2:15 pm

**I. Roll Call of Market Committee**

**II. Public Comments -**

**III. OPEN ITEMS**

**V. New Business –**

- Patron clearing, effective immediately. Patrons will be given a 10 min and 5 min warning and a final clear the streets with whistles blown, before market vehicles can enter market at 1:10.
- Participant absence policy
- IC Staff – partial pay week of absences – work being done throughout the week, not just day of.
- EBT "match" – fire victim support
- The barrier maintenance schedule for 2025:
  05/05/2025
  08/04/2025
  12/08/2025

**VI. NEW SUBMISSIONS:**

**Farmers**:
Rancho de Trinidad – Fresh Squeezed Orange Juice listed as cottage on the application

**prepared food submission:**

**Yummy Flavors Fruit Tea** - shaken iced teas.
MENU
1. Blueberry Georgia Peach shaken iced tea - made with fresh blueberries, peaches, assam black tea, and blueberry and peach syrup.
2. Strawberry Jasmine shaken iced tea - made with fresh strawberries, jasmine green tea, and strawberry and vanilla syrup.
3. Blackberry Mint Mojito shaken iced tea - made with fresh blackberries and mint, herbal iced tea, and blackberry and mojito syrup.

**Channi's Kitchen** – Commissary
https://www.facebook.com/search/top?q=channi%27s%20kitchen

Prepackaged Fusion Chilli - "Chicken Masala Chilli" (Award Winning in La Canada, Santa Clarita, San Marino, Los Angeles competitions - Please see URL above for pictures)
Prepackaged French and Indian Savory pastry - "Samosa Puff Pastry"
Prepackaged Mint Chutney
Prepackaged Tamarind Chutney

**Hoke Poke –** Commissary
https://www.hokepokela.com/

The poke bowls: small bows offering white rice, salad base and a couple variations of poke. Easy to eat and walk, "that's what's typically done with our food here in DTLA." They will be in a to-go package just in case they want to save it for later!
attached some pictures on the email. Owner indicated feels like the Poke Tostada could do very well too!
Requesting an L- Shape setup with fridges on top to keep everything fresh

## packaged food submission:

**Fresco Pasta –** current package food purveyor wants to add a new line of products: Arancini
All under the Fresco Pasta label and made in the same kitchen. They are asking for more "booth space." They believe they don't have to update their license because they already do Arancini, they are adding 8 more flavors.

**The Brutal Baker –** Cottage
https://instagram.com/thebrutalbaker
Keto/Paleo, gluten-free, dairy-free baked good such as:
Peanut Butter Brownies
Cookie Dough Blondies
Keto Pumpkin Cardamom Bread, Keto Maple Pecan Bread, Keto Tomato Basil Bread, Apple Cinnamon Walnut Crumble.

**Acapico Salsa** – Commissary. Looked at other purveyors and understands the importance of engaging shoppers

http://acapicosalsa.com
Bean Dip
plant based queso dip
plant-based crema dip
nixtamal tortillas
hot sauce
chilly oil

## Community Booth:

**The Community Center of La Canada:** programs/events/workshops/camps for ages 2 - 102, including volunteer opportunities and free and low-cost programs for seniors. We also hope to occasionally have fun projects for kids or "sample classes" for visitors to the market.
Ideally, we would like to have a booth 1x per month (perhaps the 1st Sunday of each month?). Each month would have a different "theme" based on our upcoming offerings and feature a different instructor/activity leader. For example, we might have a kids clay booth, a senior activity theme, volunteer opportunities, or a featured program (like our popular Coach Andy sports). We are looking to promote socialization for those in need through the arts, games, events and community service.

We usually only have a community org 1x per quarter.

**Focus Media Group,** a student-run media organization dedicated to telling compelling community stories. We are passionate about highlighting local businesses and agricultural initiatives, and we believe the [Name] Farmers Market represents an incredible opportunity to showcase the heart of our local food ecosystem. We would like to propose a collaborative documentary project that aims to:

- Capture the vibrant spirit of our local farmers market
- Highlight the hardworking farmers, vendors, and community members who make this market possible
- Tell the stories behind the fresh, local produce and artisan products
- Promote the market to a wider audience through engaging visual storytelling

Our proposed documentary would include:

- Interviews with local farmers and vendors
- Behind-the-scenes glimpses of market preparation and operations
- Community member testimonials
- Showcasing the market's impact on local agriculture and community connection

As a student-run organization, we offer:

- Professional-quality video production
- Minimal disruption to market operations
- Free promotional content for the market's use
- A fresh, youth-oriented perspective on local food culture

We are excited about the potential to collaborate and would love to schedule a meeting to discuss this opportunity further. Our team is flexible and eager to work around your market's schedule.

## VII. Old Business

Review rules and regulations

Adjourn at  pm