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For immediate release:

Bayonne Farmers' Market Back on Tuesdays Through October 29

Mayor Jimmy Davis announced that the Bayonne Farmers' Market has returned for the 2024 season. It began on Tuesday, May 28. The Farmers' Market will operate on Tuesdays from 2:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. from the springtime through Tuesday, October 29. The market will operate rain or shine, unless extremely heavy rains make it impossible to function. The Bayonne Farmers' Market operates with the support of the Bayonne Urban Enterprise Zone (UEZ).

Mayor Davis said, "We are happy to welcome the Bayonne Farmers' Market back for the 2024 season. A great line-up of vendors has been recruited for the new season. It is a pleasure to have a great variety of participants for the farmers'

market program. I urge Bayonne residents and our neighbors from nearby communities to support the 2024 Bayonne Farmers' Market."

The vendors for the start of the season are Alstede Farms, Empanada Lady, Doc Pickle, Sicilian Club Zeppole, JD Kettlecorn, Kandles by Kas, the Squeeze Bar, Double Batch Bakery, El Gallo do Oro, Far and Away Flowers, and Blessings Bakery. This is just the starting line-up. Other vendors may join the market as the season progresses.

Produce vouchers issued by the State of New Jersey can be used to purchase fruits and vegetables at the Bayonne Farmers' Market.

As was the case in previous years, the Bayonne Farmers' Market is offering a Community Supported Agriculture (CSA) program. Alstede Farms is the vendor for the CSA program. CSA allows city residents to have direct access to high-quality, fresh produce grown nearby by regional farmers. When you become a member of CSA, you're purchasing a "share" of vegetables. Weekly, from now until the autumn, your farmer will deliver that share of produce to the Bayonne Farmers' Market for pick-up. CSA members pay for an entire season of produce upfront. This early bulk payment enables your farmer to plan for the season, purchase new seed, make equipment repairs, and more. Registration is ongoing.

Here is the link to Alstede Farms CSA: <https://bit.ly/33Zoscn>.

Here is the link to Bayonne Farmers Market Facebook:
<https://bit.ly/3yrbTED>.

The link to Bayonne Farmers Market Instagram is <https://bit.ly/3v6gutQ>.

If you have any questions about the farmers' market program, please call
the Bayonne Urban Enterprise Zone office at 201-858-6357.