



**FARMER DAVE'S – 2023 SNAP CSA Membership Agreement with the
Allston Brighton Health Collaborative**

Community Supported Agriculture (CSA) programs provide SNAP customers with fresh, nutritious fruits and vegetables while supporting local farmers. DTA, Project Bread, and *Farmer Dave's* work together to offer SNAP customers a way to pay for fruits and vegetables, which are called CSA farm shares. Participating in a CSA allows SNAP customers to get fresh produce, support local farmers, and save money.

CSA Partner Contact Information

Name: *Debbie Passamonte*

Address: *Farmer Dave's
437 Parker Road
Dracut, MA 01826*

Phone: *978-349-1952*

Email: farm@farmerdaves.net

SNAP Customer Contact Information (*Head of Household or Authorized Rep. only. Please print*)

Name:

Last digit of SNAP Customer's SSN# or the last digit of client's temporary 999 identification number.

Note: The 999 number is assigned by DTA and only acceptable if the client does not have a valid SSN:

EBT Card Number:

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Phone (include area code):

Email:

I. Monthly cost of a SNAP CSA farm share

I am interested in buying a SNAP CSA share from *Farmer Dave's*. This SNAP purchase is eligible for the Healthy Incentives Program (HIP) benefit.

Please check one of the following ways to pay for SNAP CSA share(s)

Full Payment Options:

_____ I agree to pay **\$40.00 per month** in SNAP benefits from my June 2023 or _____ (starting month) benefit issuance through my November 2023 issuance for a *\$20.00 Bi-Weekly Vegetable Farm Share* (average of 5-8 pounds of produce). **The total cost of the \$20.00 Bi-Weekly Vegetable Farm Share is \$240.00.** The bi-weekly share will be sent on the second and fourth Tuesday of each month.

II. I understand that:

- The amount I agreed to above will be automatically deducted from my EBT account on the date that I receive my SNAP benefits.
- I will receive farm produce **bi-weekly or as indicated above**, which will be available for pick up in **Eastern, MA**.

Allston/Brighton: Brighton Allston Congregational Church, 404 Washington Street, Brighton, MA 02135

_____ Tuesday, 12:00 noon - 5:30 p.m. (Bi-Weekly Vegetable Share)

Bi-Weekly share dates: June 13, June 27, July 11, July 25, August 8, August 22, September 12, September 26, October 10, October 24, November 14, and November 28.

- It is my responsibility to pick up my share on my scheduled pick-up date, during the scheduled pick-up time.
- **If I cannot pick up my share, it is my responsibility to have someone to pick it up for me.**
- If I do not pick up my share during my scheduled pick-up time, it will be donated to a local food pantry, shelter or other organization that will make use of the produce and **I will not get a refund.**
- The types of produce in my share will change weekly. There is no guarantee on the exact content or amount of produce. Shares will vary in weight, size, and type of produce.
- I cannot return my CSA share for a refund or exchange it for other produce.
- I can cancel my participation in the program at any time. If I no longer want to participate, I will contact Farmer Dave's staff at (978) 349-1952 or farm@farmerdaves.net, or email DTA.CSA@Mass.gov for a cancellation form.
- I will complete and return the cancellation form to *Farmer Dave's* at least 10 days before I receive my next monthly SNAP benefit.
- If I do not return the completed form at least 10 days before that date, my CSA share payment may automatically be deducted from my next SNAP benefit. In that case, the cancellation will take effect the following month.
- I understand that *Farmer Dave's* and DTA will act on my request to cancel my payment as soon as possible.
- I understand that I will not receive a refund for CSA share payments that have already been deducted.
- I agree to participate in a brief survey about this SNAP CSA program at the beginning and end of the CSA season.
- My copy of this agreement, and the notices I will receive each time a payment is deducted from my SNAP EBT account, will serve as receipt of payment.

SNAP Client Signature

Date

Return form to: *Debbie Passamonte
Farmer Dave's
437 Parker Road
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