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## COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE SENIOR FARMERS' MARKET NUTRITION PROGRAM

## 2023 Application Form

To qualify you must be 60 or older (or turn 60 by 12/31/2023) and meet the household income guidelines.

## **RIGHTS AND RESPONSIBILIITES**

I certify that the information I have provided below for my eligibility determination is correct, to the best of my knowledge. This certification form is being submitted in connection with the receipt of Federal assistance. Program officials may verify information on this form. I understand that intentionally making a false or misleading statement or intentionally misrepresenting, concealing, or withholding facts may result in paying the State agency, in cash, the value of the food benefits improperly issued to me and may subject me to civil or criminal prosecution under State and Federal law.

Standards for eligibility and participation in the SFMNP are the same for everyone, regardless of race, color, national origin, age, disability, or sex.

I understand that I may appeal any decision made by the local agency regarding my eligibility for the SFMNP.

By signing this, I acknowledge that my total household income is within the Income guidelines: 1 person: \$26,973, 2 people \$36,482, 3 people: \$45,991, 4 people: \$55,500, 5 people: \$65,009, 6 people: \$74,518 and that I am 60 years old or older (or will turn 60 by December 31, 2023).

1 <sup>st</sup> Participant	: Name (person checks are for): _			
		PRINT FULL NAM	ИΕ	BIRTH DATE
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		(Signature)		
2nd Participa	nt Name (person checks are for):			
		PRINT FULL NAM	ИΕ	BIRTH DATE
		(Signature)		
Full Mailing A	ddress:			
	(Please PRINT)			
Telephone Nu	ımber:			
County you liv	ve in:			
Please circle t	he most appropriate identifier for	each:		
Ethnicity:	Hispanic or Latino		Not Hispanic or Latino	
Race: American Indian or Alaskan Na			Asian	Black or African American
	Native Hawaiian or other Pacific	r Islander	White	

If more responses are received than funding allows you will be notified by mail.

Please <u>mail</u> or <u>email</u> your completed form before September 15, 2023 to:
Northampton County Area Agency on Aging
2801 Emrick Blvd., Bethlehem, PA 18020
FMNP@NorCoPa.gov

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   Office of the Assistant Secretary for Civil Rights
   1400 Independence Avenue, SW
   Washington, D.C. 20250-9410; or
- 2. **fax:** (833) 256-1665 or (202) 690-7442; or
- 3. email: Program.Intake@usda.gov

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