THE ALASKA FARMERS’ MARKET - QUEST PROGRAM

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Terms to Know:

- SNAP – Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (Food Stamps)
- EBT – Electronic Benefits Transfer card
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- **Quest** – Alaska’s Food Stamp EBT card
- Wireless EBT or POS (point of sale) machine
Partners

STATE of ALASKA
Department of Health and Social Services

ALASKA QUEST

Alaska GROWN
fresher by far

FOOD BANK of ALASKA

COOPERATIVE EXTENSION SERVICE
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www.hss.state.ak.us/dph/chronic/
Purpose of the AFMQP

- Make healthy, local foods more accessible to low income Alaskans
- Provide market vendors’ with new sources of revenue.

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Grants: up to $7200

- EBT machine and monthly charges
- Staff at each market
- Wooden tokens
- Signs and advertising
- Misc – machine paper, table, tent
- Matching program
Assistance

Getting Started in the Alaska Farmers’ Market Quest Program
A Step-by-Step Guide to Accepting SNAP Benefits