



Calaveras County
Environmental Management Agency

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Produce Stand Application
(Road Side Stand - Field Produce Stand - Farm Stand)

Road Side Stand – Prepared Samples Not Permitted – Permit Required

Sales are restricted to whole produce only. Prepared samples are not permitted.

A Road Side Stand is typically a table (under an umbrella or a tent) or a pickup truck parked at the side of the road where previously purchased produce is re-sold by an operator who is neither the grower nor the producer of the produce being re-sold.

Road Side Stands, by definition, are not “food facilities” and, therefore, are not regulated under CalCode. However, pursuant to the wishes of the County Board of Supervisors, operators of Road Side Stands:

1. Are exempt from County fees;
2. Must obtain a permit from the Local Health Agency;
3. Must provide documentation that the Road Side Stand is being operated on premises that are owned or otherwise controlled by the operator (Must provide proof of permission to use the land upon which the Road Side Stand is located);
4. Must provide documentation that identifies the producer (farmer or grower), the address of the producer, the phone number of the producer, the identity and the quantity of the produce purchased and the date the produce was purchased;
5. Must ensure that produce is kept so as to be free from adulteration and is protected from dirt, vermin, droplet contamination or other sources of environmental contamination.

Field Produce Stand – No Prepared Samples – Permit Not Required

Restricted to the sale of whole produce and/or raw shell eggs produced by the farmer and sold on premises that are operated or controlled by the farmer at a location in close proximity to the farm.

Field Produce Stand – With Prepared Samples – Permit Required

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If prepared food samples (freshly cut samples) are provided, the producer must provide:

1. Approved toilets – clean and supplied with toilet paper - no more than 5 minutes walking time away;
2. Approved handwashing facilities – clean and supplied with soap and water, and
3. Must provide a means of sanitary wastewater disposal.

□ Farm Stand – No Prepared Samples – Permit Required

Can sell whole produce and/or raw shell eggs produced by the farmer and sold on premises that are operated or controlled by the farmer at a location in close proximity to the farm.

Can sell a limited amount (50 square feet of combined storage and display space) of properly labeled, pre-packaged, Non-PHF convenience foods and/or snack foods (obtained from an approved source, i.e., a commercial outlet), examples include: bottled water, soft drinks, candy bars, chips, cookies, etc.

Can sell an unlimited amount of “Value Added” properly labeled, pre-packaged, non-PHFs (obtained from an approved source, i.e., a processing kitchen) containing ingredients grown or produced “...in close proximity to...” the farm stand, by the farmer, examples include: jams, jellies, preserves, chutneys, sauces, muffins, pies, pickled vegetables, etc.

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Business Name: _____

Site Address: _____

Mailing/Billing Address: _____

Assessor's Parcel Number (APN): _____

Owner Name: _____ Phone Number: _____

Applicant Signature: _____ Date: _____

Check items that will be provided or sold:

- Whole Produce to be sold - List below:

- Raw Shell Eggs – Describe how eggs will be displayed and stored below:

- Pre-Packaged, Non-Perishable, convenience foods and/or snack foods – List below:

- Prepared Samples – Describe potable water supply to be used for washing produce, hands and utensils below:

- ~~List~~ "Value Added" Items, such as jams and jellies - List below:

- Approved Toilet and Handwashing Facilities – Describe Type and Location below: