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

2022 Application Form

To qualify you must be 60 or older (or turn 60 by 12/31/2022) and meet the household income guidelines.

RIGHTS AND RESPONSIBILITIES

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: : \$25,142 for 1 person in the household; or \$33,874 people in the household and that I am 60 years old or older (or will turn 60 by December 31, 2022).

1st Participant Name (print): _____ **Birth Date:** _____
(Person checks are for)

SIGNATURE: _____

2nd Participant Name(print): _____ **Birth Date:** _____
(Person checks are for)

SIGNATURE: _____

Address (print): _____

Phone Number: _____ **County of Residence:** _____

Please check the most appropriate identifier for each:

Ethnicity: Hispanic or Latino Not Hispanic or Latino

Race: American Indian or Alaskan Native Asian Black or African American
Native Hawaiian or other Pacific Islander White

Please bring completed application form to distribution site.

Last date for distribution will be September 30, 2022.

This year, you will have several locations to receive your vouchers. Applications can be completed the same day you receive your vouchers.

1. Schuylkill County Senior Community Centers beginning Tuesdays and Thursdays.

June 16 through July 7 from 10am - 1pm

Mahanoy City	138 West Centre Street	570.773.0738
Pottsville	201 North Centre Street	570.628.3513
Schuylkill Haven	340 Haven Street	570.385.5611
Tremont	139 Clay Street	570.695.3500

2. In person – Outside distribution:

- Shenandoah Area Senior Citizen's Building, 232 North Market Street
Friday, June 17 and Friday, and July 1 from 9 a.m. – 1 p.m.
- Kenny Stehr and Sons Farmer's Market, 29 Kettle Road, Pitman, PA– Complete an application, receive your farm vouchers and shop for your fruits and vegetables right at the farm!
Saturday, June 18 from 8 a.m. - 4 p.m. (Strawberry Festival)
- Hometown Farmers Market, 125 Mahanoy Ave., Tamaqua
Wednesday, June 22, 8 a.m. – 3 p.m.
- Zion Lutheran Church, 4th and Lewis Street, Minersville
Tuesday, June 28, 9 a.m. – 1 p.m.
- Taste and See – Pennsylvania Produce - Join us for an outside fun event at The Island, Broadway Street, Schuylkill Haven - Farm check distribution, purchase PA grown produce, enjoy cooking exhibits and take home new creative fruit and vegetable recipes.
Tuesday, August 9, 2 p.m. – 6 p.m.

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- (1) mail: U.S. Department of Agriculture
Office of the Assistant Secretary for Civil Rights, 1400 Independence Avenue, SW, Washington, D.C. 20250-9410;
- (2) fax: (202) 690-7442; or
- (3) email: program.intake@usda.gov.

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