

We are, of course, always grateful for the continued support of those individuals and businesses that donate to the market. We carefully spend the funds we have to keep the market running well and growing wisely. We try to keep our fundraising efforts to a minimum, as we know our customers already give so much. Our aim each year is to move closer to self-reliance through vendor fees and Community House sales (beverages and market merchandise), so in turn we can become less reliant on our peach and apple fundraisers. Budgeting with these funds can be difficult, because they depend on crop yield, which are determined by unpredictable weather patterns and inherent growing challenges.