

## **Armidale Farmers Market Incorporated Association**

### **Stall Holder Code of Conduct**

The Armidale Farmers Market is an Incorporated Association with the following Aims & Objectives:

- 1 Provide a suitable environment for farmers, hobby farmers, community and home gardeners, and food producers from within the region to sell farm origin food products and associated value-added processed food products directly to customers.
- 2 Provide customers with regular supplies of fresh food produced within the region, direct access to farmers, hobby farmers, community and home gardeners, and food producers, and a competitive alternative to commercial food retailers (such as supermarkets).
- 3 Encourage the growth of community participation in growing food for sale at the Armidale Farmers Market.
- 4 Support and promote the viability and growth of farmers, hobby farmers, community and home gardeners, and food producers in the region.
- 5 Promote a sustainable approach to consumer behaviour by providing an outlet for the sale and purchase of quality second hand goods.
- 6 Provide an interesting event appealing to and inclusive of all members of the community.
- 7 Add to the value and diversity of attractions for visitors to Armidale.
- 8 Engage in ongoing promotion to maintain community awareness of the Armidale Farmers Market as an event, the value of direct access to local and seasonal produce and the benefits of sustainable consumer behaviour.

Stall holders are expected to support these Aims & Objectives, and maintain a high level of personal and professional conduct, and to :

1. Comply with the laws of Australia and operate within the spirit of those laws,
2. Act honestly and fairly in dealings with the Armidale Farmers Market Inc Committee, Market Manager, other Stall Holders and the wider Armidale Community.

3. Treat the Armidale Farmers Market Inc Committee, the Market Manager, other Stall Holders and the wider Armidale Community with courtesy and respect at all times.
4. Participate in a co-operative and productive manner to the overall atmosphere of the Armidale Farmers Market.
5. Comply with the Terms and Conditions issued by Armidale Farmers Market Inc, including notifying the Market Manager of any change to the nature of the goods and products sold to those disclosed on the Stall Holder Application Form.