



## VOLUNTEER DESCRIPTION

### Mobile Market

**Program Description:** This traveling free farmer's market provides eligible households with fresh fruit and vegetables. Other offerings include nutrition education, SNAP information, chef demonstrations, food samplings and youth activities. Mobile Market sites and times are as follows: Corner of Sohier Road & Herrick Street, Tuesdays 5:00pm-6:00pm; Kelleher Road & Essex Apartment Complex, alternating Tuesdays 3:00pm-4:00pm; Cedar Apartment Complex, alternating Tuesdays 3:00pm – 4:00pm; Apple Village, Thursdays 5:00pm – 6:00pm; Turtle Creek Apartments, alternating Thursdays, 3:00pm – 4:00pm, Holcroft Homes, alternating Thursdays, 3:00pm – 4:00pm.

**Position Title:** Mobile Market Volunteer

**Reports to:** Mobile Market Coordinator

**Position Hours:** Tuesdays: 2:40pm - 4:00pm or 4:40pm - 6:00pm  
Thursdays 2:40pm - 4:00pm or 4:40pm - 6:00pm

The volunteer shift is one shift a week. Volunteers may choose more than one shift. Volunteers are asked to commit to a minimum of two months.

*For volunteers looking to fulfill community service hours we have a limited amount of openings with Mobile Market.*

#### Volunteer Position Overview:

- Volunteers meet at the designated Mobile Market site.
- Assist the Mobile Market Coordinator and other Beverly Bootstraps staff members with setting up the market site including unloading product from vehicles and arranging it on tables, setting up tables, tents, chairs, scales, etc.
- Once the market opens, volunteers will be assigned to stand behind various tables and assist clients in choosing produce and answering any questions they may have.
- Assist and/or lead youth activities.
- Assist with cooking demonstration.
- After the market ends, volunteers will help take down tents, tables, chairs, scales, etc.

#### Volunteer Requirements:

- Volunteers will be outside and expected to do a lot of standing and lifting.
- Volunteers will have a significant amount of contact with clients. It is our goal that each food recipient has a positive experience.
- Volunteer should be able-bodied and capable of reaching, grasping, and lifting up to 40lbs.

