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Hello,

Welcome to the Gallatin Valley Farmers' Market (GVFM), and thank you for your consideration in becoming a sponsor. Since 1971, the GVFM has been dedicated to bringing locally grown, hand made and home baked products to the greater Bozeman community. We do that through operating 12 market events throughout the summer and one large holiday event in November.

The GVFM is a program of Career Transitions (CT) – a local non-profit which provides career coaching, education, training and mentoring to help individuals and families become self-sufficient. The market prides itself in acting as a starting point for many beginning businesses and through this link between CT and the GVFM, we can stay true to our collaborative mission of supporting individuals who wish to find economic sustainment through self-owned business.

As the market continues to grow, we know it is impossible to continue our mission without your help. Right now, our greatest need is to secure financial assistance that will support our continued efforts to provide the entire community with locally grown produce and handmade products. This is where you come in! We invite you to make a financial contribution in support of the GVFM to help further our goal of supporting self-owned business.

The GVFM is a program of nonprofit Career Transitions and is supported financially by vendor (booth) fees, sponsorships, and donations. Vendors retain all their sales income; the market does not receive a percentage of vendor sales. The market operates on a small annual budget which supports an array of operating expenses including insurance, facility rentals, promotions, marketing, a market manager, a market assistant, and a market support position.

Like you, we believe that regionally sourced and locally made products are simply essential. We know that by supporting small business owners we are not only supporting individuals but families and whole communities. Shopping small really does make a difference.

It goes without saying that becoming a sponsor of the GVFM showcases your dedication to regionally sourced food and locally made products. By becoming a sponsor, you are not only supporting the GVFM as an entity, but hundreds of individuals and families who buy and sell through our market. If you wish to join the GVFM community by becoming a sponsor, your generous contribution will go towards the operation expenses for our twelve markets of the 2023 season.

Warm regards,

Carah Friedrich

Sarah Friedrich, GVFM Manager

2023 SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES:

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Career Transitions, Inc. is a 501c3 non-profit. All sponsorship donations are tax deductible.

Sponsorship commitment required by **April 1st** to be included in marketing materials. Visit http://weblink.donorperfect.com/gvfmsponsorship to make a donation online.

Gardener: \$100

Recognition on GallatinValleyFarmersMarket.com with links to your business as well as our Social Media pages with over 1,500 followers and growing!

Farmer: \$500

- Recognition on GallatinValleyFarmersMarket.com with links to your business as well as our Social Media pages with over 1,500 followers and growing!
- Opportunity to host our community booth for one market day or do your own outreach booth.
- Your print material or logo displayed at entrance of market on sponsorship display board, next to our community booth.

Cultivator: \$1000

- Recognition on GallatinValleyFarmersMarket.com with links to your business as well as our Social Media pages with over 1,500 followers and growing!
- Photo and article on website and social media pages outlining your generous contribution.
- Your logo widely distributed on market posters, market events and marketing materials.
- Opportunity to host our community booth for one market day or do your own outreach booth.
- Your print material or logo displayed at entrance of market on sponsorship display board, next to our community booth.

Singing Farmer: \$1200:

In this special category, you would be sponsoring the GVFM Music Tent. You would help us pay local musicians \$100 per market to play during our 12 markets of the season.

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- Your logo widely distributed on market posters, market events and marketing materials.
- Opportunity to host our community booth for one market day or do your own outreach booth.
- Banner with your logo displayed on music tent.

We are always open to discussing other opportunities for our organizations to partner. If you would like to talk more with the GVFM, please contact our manager, Sarah Friedrich at the contact information below:

Sarah Friedrich, Market Manager (406) 388-6701, ex. 5 SarahF@CareerTransitions.com

Thank you for your consideration!





Yes, I want to support our local market! Please find my donation encolsed.

Thank you for your support of the Gallatin Valley Farmers' Market. Every gift is greatly appreciated.

Contribution amount. [Please make check out to The Gallatin Valley Farmers' Market]

\$100 \$1000 \$500

Please print your name & business name as you would like it to appear:

Billing Address:

Email Address:

Phone Number:

Signature:

Please return this form with your contribution to the address above. Career Transitions is a 501c3 non-profit. Your donation is tax deductible. THANK YOU!



\$1200

Other \$