



Update

I would like to provide some clarification on my statement regarding the transfer of the Nichols Farmers Market to the Town of Trumbull.

It was recently brought to my attention that the former Nichols Farmers Market managers approached the Town of Trumbull while trying to find a solution to keep the market going. My original statement mentioned that the Town of Trumbull approached the NIA, but after further investigation I found that was not the case. Everyone involved in this transfer was acting with the best of intentions, and all parties involved simply wanted to ensure that this much-loved event continued without interruption.

I sincerely apologize for the confusion and I thank you for allowing me the opportunity to be fully transparent, now that I have all of the facts.

The NIA is looking forward to helping the Town of Trumbull with this transition, and hope that it is a huge success for all of the vendors and attendees.

Please feel free to reach out to us anytime with any comments, questions, or concerns at niafarmersmarket@niatrumbull.org

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Hello Nichols Community,

We have important news regarding the Nichols Farmers Market.

Several months ago, the Town of Trumbull approached the NIA about starting their own Trumbull Farmers Market. After careful consideration by the NIA Executive Board, we have decided to partner and transfer the Nichols Farmers Market to the Town of Trumbull.

We understand the significance of this tradition to our friends and neighbors, and it is with mixed feelings that we share this news. The decision was made based on several factors:

- The Town planned to proceed with its market regardless of our decision, aiming to merge our market with theirs.
- Running two separate markets in Trumbull would create scheduling conflicts for our vendors.
- The Town possesses a well-resourced infrastructure and a larger volunteer base, addressing our struggle to source volunteers each week.
- Combining events eliminates competition for vendors, resources, and attendees, ensuring both Nichols and the greater Trumbull community continue to benefit.

The Nichols Farmers Market, founded by dedicated Nichols residents, has been a cherished community event for many years. We extend our gratitude to those who dedicated their time to its success. Merging with the Town's Market ensures Nichols residents can still enjoy a weekly Farmers Market with family and friends.

The Trumbull Farmers Market will be held on Thursdays at Twin Brooks Park starting in the Spring of 2024. Further details can be found on the town's Facebook page and website: <https://www.trumbull-ct.gov>.

Thank you to everyone who supported the Nichols Farmers Market. We appreciate your contributions in creating this dynamic feature of our community, and we look forward to its continued success in our town.

Regards,

Bryce Bollert
Nichols Improvement Association
President