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By Concord Farmers Market Association January 12, 2016

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Honorable Mayor and Members of the City Council of Concord

The Concord Farmers Market Association is asking that Capitol Street be closed to vehicular traffic (from Green St. to No. State St.), for the hours of 6:00 am until 1:00 pm on Saturday's only, starting May 7, to Oct 29. The State of New Hampshire has informed the Concord Farmers Market and Concord Code Administration Dept in early January that the state will be continuing their project of the dome restoration on the State Capitol.

As always, all licenses, permits, and necessary insurances will be renewed and in place by the first of May. We will continue to work closely with the Concord Code Administration and Concord Police Department to ensure a safe, well run, market.

2016 will be our eighteenth year on Capitol Street and over 40 years in Concord. Last year gave the market some confusion for vendors and our customers with the construction on Main St. and moving the market up one block. Consumers tend to be creatures of habit and having this change, while it might have seen slight, brought some changes in how consumers parked, entered and found their favorite vendor, we understand this held true for all of Main St. and the market finished with slightly lower average of overall sales. We hope to look forward to 2016 with continued support of local consumers, and strive to provide residents of the Concord area with locally produced, fresh produce, food and farm products.

Thank you for your consideration in this matter.

Sincerely,

Diane Souther
Diane Souther, Secretary