

## SELLING EGGS AT A FARMERS' MARKET

- 1) Inspection by ODA at the farm in order to be registered with ODA as a "Small Egg Producer". You should get a "Certificate of Registration" from ODA; *you need to have the "Certificate of Registration" with you at the Farmers' Market. Ashland County-City Health Dept. (ACCHD) will want to see the "Certificate of Registration" at the Farmers' Market to prove that you are an ODA inspected facility, i.e. "Approved Source".*
- 2) Eggs must be properly labeled per ODA requirements with:
  - Count (number of eggs in carton)
  - Ungraded/Mixed size eggs
  - Your Name (as producer)
  - Your Address (road or street and town)
  - Date eggs packed into carton
  - Safe handling instructions
- 3) Eggs must be held on farm under mechanical refrigeration at 45 degrees Fahrenheit, or below. (this is an ODA requirement)
- 4) *To sell eggs at a Farmers' Market, you will need to obtain a Mobile Retail Food Establishment (Mobile RFE) license from your local health department.*
- 5) *Eggs must be transported to Farmers' Market at 45 degrees Fahrenheit, or below. (OUFSC, 3717-1-03.4, (F), (2), OAC)*
- 6) *Eggs displayed at Farmers' Market must be held at 45 degrees Fahrenheit, or below. (OUFSC, 3717-1-03.4, (F), (2), OAC)*

***ACCHD requires a minimum of an Ice Chest/Cooler, with ice, for transport and display of eggs under ACCHD Mobile RFE license commencing March 1, 2016. Mechanical Refrigeration is preferred, where possible***

### Example Egg Labels:

**ONE DOZEN EGGS**  
UNGRADED/MIXED SIZE

PRODUCED BY:  
Esther Eggston  
8 Fried & Scrambled Rd. SW  
Cooked, Ohio 34340  
Dated Packed

### **Safe Handling Instructions**

To prevent illness from bacteria: Keep eggs refrigerated, cook eggs until yolks are firm, and cook foods containing eggs thoroughly.