

Oregon Farm Direct Nutrition Program Checks (WIC & Senior)

2017 Update for Farmers

The **Oregon Farm Direct Nutrition Program (FDNP)** is a state-administered USDA nutrition program that will bring over one million dollars to Oregon farmers in 2017. FDNP funds take the form of pre-printed checks and go to some of the nutritionally at-risk young families enrolled in the WIC (Women, Infants & Children) program, and to eligible low-income seniors.

FDNP recipients will receive green \$4 checks to spend with authorized farmers who sell their own produce at farm stands and farmers' markets. (See below for a picture of the check.)

FDNP checks are for locally-grown fresh, unprocessed fruit, vegetables and cut herbs. The FDNP checks are good from June 1st through October 31st of the current year.

If you were authorized last year to accept the green FDNP checks: Look for a packet in the mail from the Oregon Department of Agriculture, starting March 1!

If you are new to the FDNP: Please call the Oregon Department of Agriculture at 503-872-6600 for an application packet.

Oregon Farm Direct Nutrition Program

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First day to use: **June 1, 2017** Last day to use: **Oct. 31, 2017**

\$4.00
Four Dollars
No change given

PAY TO THE ORDER OF: Authorized Farmers
(Not valid at grocery stores)

Use to buy locally grown, unprocessed fresh fruit, vegetables and herbs only.

Farmer stamp here

Farmer must deposit by Nov. 30, 2017

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