





Currency at the Rail Yards Market for Vendors:: Frequently Asked Questions

Type of currency	What does it look like?	Which Vendors can accept?	How does the Vendor redeem?	How can attendees get this currency?	What do I need to do before I am able to accept/redeem these tokens?
TOKENS (CREDIT) Green or laser \$5		All Vendors *must say ABQ Growers Market Alliance* on it	Vendors can redeem tokens once/day at the front info booth until 2pm.	At the front info booth, attendees can use their credit cards to buy these tokens	Fill out direct deposit (ACH) form, and turn in to info booth
SNAP/EBT TOKENS Red \$1		Eligible Food item vendors *No hot food or non-food items* *must say ABQ Growers Market Alliance* on it	Funds will be directly deposited into your account within 5-10 business days. Vendors must fill out direct deposit form once/season to receive funds.	At the front info booth, attendees can use their SNAP/EBT cards to get these tokens	1) Fill out direct deposit (ACH) form, and turn in to info booth 2) Take SNAP state training online from NMFMA 3) Show market your certificate
DOUBLE-UP FOOD BUCKS Or FRESH RX TOKENS \$2 Silver \$1 purple		Raw Produce Vendors ONLY Vendors must sign-up before accepting		At the front info booth, attendees can use their SNAP/EBT cards to get these tokens FOR FREE when using their regular SNAP benefits. Limit \$20/day	1) Fill out direct deposit (ACH) form, and turn in to info booth 2) Take SNAP state training online from NMFMA 3) Show market your certificate
WIC/ Senior	Soli App or WIC Card	Raw Produce Vendors Vendors must sign-up before accepting	1) Customer uses app to pay 2) Money is direct deposited to vendor	Eligible customers get access to app	1) Submit direct deposit form to WIC agency 2) Set up to get the WIC app
CASH		All Vendors	Keep your cash!	Attendees bring their own cash. There is rarely an ATM at the market.	Nothing! Accept cash right away!
CREDIT		All Vendors, who have the equipment to take credit cards	Keep your own credit card sales! Most smart- phone readers deposit directly into your bank account	Attendees can use credit cards with vendors who are equipped to take this currency on their own	Get your own card reader: some options: www.squareup.com www.paypal.com

