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City Announces the Opening of the West End Farmers' Market and the Upper King Street Fresh Farmers' Market

The City of Alexandria invites the public to the opening of the West End Farmers' Market on Sunday, May 2, and Upper King Street Fresh Farmers' Market on Wednesday, May 5. These markets provide a wonderful compliment to the hugely successful Saturday markets at Market Square and in Del Ray.

The West End Farmers' Market is open to the public on Sundays from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m., May 2 through November 21 at Ben Brenman Park, 4800 Brenman Park Dr. This outdoor market is one of a kind in the City's west end featuring colorful displays of fresh, locally grown, in-season vegetables and fruits, gourmet coffee, fresh-squeezed orange juice, and fresh-baked pastries. For additional information, call 703.746.4343.

The Upper King Street Fresh Farmers' Market, located at King Street Garden's Park, 1806 King St., is just a few steps from the King Street Metro Station. Offering area residents and commuters the opportunity to shop for fresh, locally grown produce, meat, dairy and bakery items, the market is open Wednesdays, May 5 through October 27 from 3 p.m. to 7 p.m. For additional information, visit <http://www.upperkingstreet.org/farmersmarketfrontpage.htm> or email UKSNAMarketCom@gmail.com.

For additional information on City of Alexandria farmers' markets, visit www.alexandriava.gov/farmersmarket.

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