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FARM BUREAU OPENING CERTIFIED FARMERS' MARKET IN NATIONAL CITY

ESCONDIDO, CA – The San Diego County Farm Bureau is opening a new certified farmers' market in National City. The market will open on Wednesday, May 6 at 2:00 pm on A Ave. between 7th St. and 8th St. It will run from 2:00 pm to 6:00 pm. There will be an opening ceremony at 3:00 with remarks from the Mayor of National City, Ron Morrison, and representatives from Assembly Member Mary Salas's office. Eric Larson, Executive Director of the San Diego County Farm Bureau, will also discuss the importance of agriculture and farmers' markets in local communities.

There will be fresh fruit, vegetables, herbs and flowers available to purchase alongside baked goods, hot food and unique arts and crafts. The National City Certified Farmers' Market will be EBT accessible; participants can use their EBT cards to purchase produce at the market. This is the fourth market sponsored by the Farm Bureau. To date, Farm Bureau sponsored markets are the only farmers' markets in San Diego County that accept EBT.

San Diego County Farm Bureau is a nonprofit trade organization with approximately 5,000 members. It has operated since 1913 with the mission to represent San Diego County agriculture through public relations, education and public policy advocacy in order to promote the economic viability of agriculture balanced with appropriate management of natural resources.

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