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### **From Mayor Dean DePiero**

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## **Farmer's Market Returns to Parma's Stearns Homestead**

**(Parma)** – Northeast Ohioans can look forward to another busy and fun season of shopping “down on the farm” in the city of Parma. Stearns Homestead, Parma’s historical farm, will continue its popular tradition of offering a unique Farmer’s Market on Sundays, from July 13 to September 28.

“We’re happy to lend support to the Farmer’s Market and all the programs offered by Stearns Homestead,” says Mayor Dean DePiero. “Not all suburbs in Greater Cleveland can boast of having a working farm in the middle of town. The Farmer’s Market is a great tool for bringing the community closer together while helping farmers across the region.”

The Farmer’s Market at Stearns Homestead is open from 9 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. It will not be open on Sunday, September 14.

The Farmer’s Market in Parma is part of a growing nationwide trend, where buyers support food grown by small farms while learning more about the benefits of eating healthy. The partnership with North Union Farmers Market offers quality, fresh items to city dwellers, many of whom don’t always have access to the unique variety of locally grown food.

“This is one of those ideal situations where everyone benefits while having a good time,” says Mayor DePiero. “We’re supporting small farms and local artisans who sell directly to the public. You come away with a good feeling, not to mention bags filled with good, healthy food for the whole family.”

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