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**NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF PRODUCE MARKET MANAGERS (NAPMM)
Sets Date for 70th Annual Convention
April 6-9, 2016, in Kansas City, MO**

TAMPA, FL – This was a milestone meeting for the the National Association of Produce Market Managers (NAPMM), as it held its Board of Directors meeting from January 11-12, 2016 in Tampa, Florida. “We are approaching 70 years,” said President, Rose Harrell. “We were founded in 1947, so planning for our annual convention holds special meaning as we celebrate the beginning of our 7th decade. **The NAPMM Annual Convention will be held April 6-9, 2016 at Hotel Sorrilla in Kansas City, Missouri.**

The 70th Annual Convention of NAPMM will include a diverse program of events in Kansas City, including tours of the historic City Market, tours of local breweries, and speakers with topics ranging from security to efficiency in running a produce market.

“You don’t have to be a market manager to join NAPMM,” says Board Member, Dan Kane. “No matter how big or small your market and whatever position you hold, you are welcome to join NAPMM to share best practices and exchange ideas with colleagues.”

For hotel information, sponsorships, and a listing of other activities in Kansas City during the April convention, visit. www.napmm.org.

Founded in 1947, the National Association of Produce Market Managers (NAPMM) is an all-volunteer group of managers of retail, wholesale and public markets from across North American and beyond. NAPMM’s mission is to improve and strengthen the economic health and vitality of year-round, permanent, wholesale produce markets, retail farmers’ markets, and public markets.

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