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Food Terminal Board

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Ontario Food Terminal Overview

- Established in 1954, the 40-acre Ontario Food Terminal is Canada's largest wholesale Fruit and Produce Terminal
- An average of 5.6 million pounds of fruits, produce & horticultural products distributed daily
 - Over 2 Billion pounds of produce is distributed annually
- The Terminal is owned and operated by the Ontario Food Terminal Board, and under the Ontario Ministry of Agriculture, Food and Rural Affairs.
- The operation is entirely self-funded from fees charged to the users of the facility
 - No public monies are used in the operation of this facility
- The facility 24 hours 7 seven days per week with a total of 46 staff
- The terminal is wholesale only, and not open to the public



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- The terminal supports local farmers, local fruit and vegetable stores, independent and chain supermarkets, retailers, restaurants, foodservice, caterers, farmers' markets, farm gate markets, florists, garden centres, landscapers, convenience stores and institutions
- 5,000 Registered Buyers, 20 Warehouse tenants, 400 Farmers' Market tenants and 50 Office Tenants and a 100,000 sq.ft. common cold storage facility, we are Ontario's source for fresh quality fruits, vegetables and horticultural products.



Business-to-business farmers' market

- The Terminal's business-to-business farmers' market is a cornerstone of its provincial and national food marketing operations
- It enables farmers to directly market wholesale produce to a range of buyers: convenience stores, restaurants, hospitals, food service, hotels, food processors, independent supermarkets, and large grocery
- Farmers' market characteristics:
 - 10 acres is size
 - 4.5 Acres are covered by a parking deck
 - 550 Outdoor Stalls
 - 12 months per year operation
 - Stall Areas range from 300 sq.ft. to 1,200 sq.ft.
 - Lease options range from a daily rate to semi-annual and annual leases



Ontario Food Terminal Site Plan 2017



