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Hi Jillene

Unfortunately, I have an appointment tomorrow morning that I don't think will be done before 9a. I have to try to get the early appointments on market days since they all fall during the weekdays. I'm so sad to miss both in person and on Zoom.

I did write a statement that I would love to be shared in my absence:

As I head into my 10th year of farmers market management and ownership, and on behalf of all our vendors and other organizers of our local farmers' markets, I extend our heartfelt gratitude to the County Council for your unwavering support. Your commitment to promoting community health, local agriculture, and sustainable practices through this yearly proclamation has been instrumental in our growth.

With your continued support, we look forward to further enhancing our markets and serving our community with fresh, locally grown produce and goods. Thank you for believing in the importance of farmers' markets and their positive impact on our county as well as helping recognize all of the hard work that goes into these events.

With sincere thanks,

Sarah Dylan Jensen
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