

**NEW MARKET TOWNSHIP  
SCOTT COUNTY, MINNESOTA  
AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING A  
RIGHT TO FARM IN NEW MARKET TOWNSHIP**

The Board of Supervisors of the Township, of New Market does ordain as follows:

**SECTION 1. PREAMBLE**

WHEREAS, it is necessary to preserve the residents of New Market Townships' right to farm and to put potential residents and businesses on notice of farming activities currently undertaken in New Market Township.

**SECTION 2. NOTICE OF FARMING AND RELATED ACTIVITIES**

The Township of New Market does hereby state and provide notice that the following conditions exist in New Market Township:

- a. Agricultural structures that include but are not limited to confinement buildings, dairy and livestock barns, grain storage and grain elevator legs;
- b. Manure, manure pits, spreading manure and the odor of manure;
- c. Noise and dust from corn dryers;
- d. Noise and dust and road use of combines, tractors, wagons and farm equipment;
- e. Application of herbicides, insecticides and fertilizers;
- f. 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> class gravel roads;
- g. Blacktop and gravel trucks hauling on township and county roads;
- h. Gravel Pits and Blacktop plants;
- i. Residue from farming activities;
- j. Dusk and after-dark farming activities;
- k. Other farm related activities.

**SECTION 3. PURPOSE**

This ordinance recognizes that farming and farming related activities has been and is an ongoing livelihood for residents of New Market Township. The purpose of this ordinance is to protect our resident's right to farm and to engage in farming and farm related activities now and into the future.

**SECTION 3. EFFECTIVE DATE**

This Ordinance becomes effective from and after its passage and publication.

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**SECTION 4. RIGHT TO FARM ACKNOWLEDGMENT**

Any person or business applying for any permit or license in New Market Township shall execute an acknowledgment of receipt of notice of the Right to Farm Ordinance.

Passed this 7<sup>th</sup> day of Feb 2006, by the Town Board of Supervisors of New Market Township, Scott County, Minnesota, by a vote of Aye 3, Nay 0, all Board members being present and voting.

**NEW MARKET TOWN BOARD OF SUPERVISORS**

By: *LeRoy L. Clausen*  
Chairman

ATTEST:

*Albert Zwick*  
Clerk

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