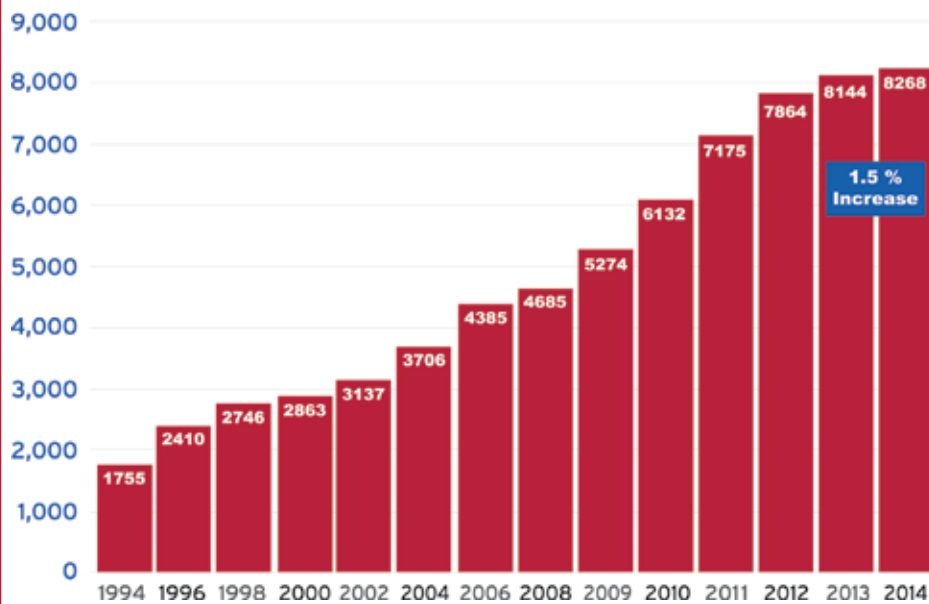


## National Count of Farmers' Market Directory Listings



Nationwide tracking of farmers' markets that listed fewer than 1,800 in 1994 now numbers nearly 8,300 20 years later.

Source: U.S. Department of Agriculture

# Food Independence Resources

**Bioscience Research Project**

*BioscienceResource.org*

**Corporate Accountability International**

*StopCorporateAbuse.org*

**Fair Food Network**

*FairFoodNetwork.org*

**Food Co-op Initiative**

*FoodCoopInitiative.coop*

**Food First** *FoodFirst.org***Food & Water Watch**

*FoodAndWaterWatch.org*

**Food Policy Councils**

*MarkWinne.com/resource-materials*

**Food Sleuth Radio** *KOPN.org***Food Voices: Stories from the People  
Who Feed Us** *FoodVoices.org***Kitchen Gardeners International**

*kgi.org*

**National Family Farm Coalition**

*nffc.net*

**National Farm to School Network**

*FarmToSchool.org*

**Oxfam America “Behind the Brands”**

*BehindTheBrands.org/en-us*

**The Seed Library Social Network**

*SeedLibraries.org*

**Seed Savers Exchange**

*SeedSavers.org*

**Table of the Earth**

*EatLocalSimpleSteps.com*

**Union of Concerned Scientists**

*ucsusa.org*

## From Food Consumer to Food Citizen

Now is the time for all good men and women to become food citizens. Making the transition from being a mere consumer to community citizen requires addressing a set of questions geared to lead to food truth and justice for all.

■ Where does my food come from?

■ Who produced it?

■ Under what conditions was this food grown or produced; were workers treated fairly and animals humanely?

■ What’s in or on my food; am I eating pesticides, antibiotics, hormones, genetically modified ingredients or additives?

■ What might be the unintended consequences of my food choices for farmers competing against big agribusiness and striving to do the right thing?

■ How might my choices affect the environment and future generations?

■ What local, state and national policies stand in the way of a fair and transparent food system?

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