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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and A Person <u>*</u> Blum Kri		orting	 Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) 	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Sprouts Farmers Market, Inc. [SFM]							
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	08/08/2016	4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Officer10% Owner (give title below) (specify below)			5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)				
5455 EAST STREET,Â	-						· · ·				
	(Street)						6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting				
PHOENIX,Â	À AZÂ 850	54					Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned								
1.Title of Secur (Instr. 4)	ity		2. Amount o Beneficially (Instr. 4)		3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nat Owne (Instr.	*				
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exer Expiration D (Month/Day/Year)	ate	3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security		4. Conversion or Exercise	5. Ownership Form of	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	(Instr. 4) Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Price of Derivative Security	Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	

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(Instr. 5)

Reporting Owners

Relationships **Reporting Owner Name / Address** Director 10% Owner Officer Other Blum Kristen E 5455 EAST HIGH STREET ÂX Â Â Â **SUITE 111** PHOENIX. AZÂ 85054 Signatures /s/ Brandon F. Lombardi, Attorney-in-Fact for Kristen E. 08/08/2016 Blum **Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

No securities are beneficially owned

If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(b)(v). *

Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a). **

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Remarks:

The reporting person holds no securities.

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