

March 5, 2019

**CONTINUATION OF THE MARKETING ORDER  
FOR THE PROMOTION OF GLOBE ARTICHOKES**

TO ALL PRODUCERS OF CALIFORNIA GLOBE ARTICHOKES:

On January 17, 2019, the California Department of Food and Agriculture (Department) held a public hearing in Castroville, California to consider the continuation of the Marketing Order for the Promotion of Globe Artichokes (Program). The Department evaluated the testimony and evidence received at the hearing and determined that no substantial question exists among artichoke producers about whether the Program should continue. Therefore, the Program shall continue for five more years through June 30, 2024.

If you have any questions about the hearing, or to request a transcript of it, please call Mr. Justin Ellerby of this Branch at (916) 900-5018. If you have questions regarding the activities of the California Artichoke Advisory Board, please contact Ms. Pat Hopper, Board Manager, at (831) 633-4411.

Sincerely,



Robert Maxie, Chief  
Marketing Branch

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