



2023 Splash Market Food Vendor Handbook

SPLASH MARKET DAYS AND HOURS

- Saturday, July 22 from 4-8 p.m.

VENDOR FEES

- Food Vendor Fee (Saturday) - \$50

DEADLINES

- June 9 – Application deadline
- June 16 – Vendors finalized (acceptance and denial emails sent)
- July 8 – Booth fees due
- July 14 – Refund deadline for cancellations
- July 17- A copy of all your permits are due to Melanie Busath.

BOOTH SIZE

- Dependent on needs

REQUIRED VENDOR PERMITS

- Lehi City (All vendors): Your approved Vendor Application serves as a temporary business license for Lehi City. It is not necessary for vendors to apply for a separate business license as long as they do not plan on selling outside of the Splash Market.
- Utah State Tax Commission (All Vendors): The Utah State Tax Commission requires a Temporary Sales Tax License for Special Events. Any vendor not compliant with the Tax Commission will be required to close its booth and leave the premises. Refunds will not be issued. The Splash Party Committee will provide each vendor with a packet of information with a Tax ID number as well as all other tax information the vendor will need after the application has been approved. If after receiving your packet you have questions, please call the Utah State Tax Commission, Special Event Unit at (801) 297-6303 or 1-800-662-4335 ext. 6303.

- **Utah County Health Department:** The Utah County Health Department requires special permits for food vendors selling ready-to-eat-food or giving samples. These vendors need to obtain a Food Handlers Permit along with a Temporary Food Permit. If food is being sold out of a truck or other mobile vehicle, a Mobile Food Permit is required. Any vendor not compliant with the Health Department will be required to close their booth and leave the premises. Refunds will not be issued. A copy of all your permits is due to the Splash Party Committee by June 10. If you have any questions, please call the Utah County Health Department at (801) 851-7000.
- **Utah Department of Agriculture and Food (Food that is Home Processed or Packaged):** The Utah Department of Agriculture requires all packaged or processed foods to be processed in a facility with a food establishment code. If the processing location is a home, the individual must obtain a cottage permit. Any vendor not compliant with the Utah Department of Agriculture will be required to close their booth and leave the premises. Refunds will not be issued. A copy of all your permits is due to the Splash Party Committee by June 10. If you have any questions, please call the Utah Department of Agriculture and Food at (801) 538-7152.
- Vendors are responsible to ensure that they have all the permits and insurance necessary to operate legally. The Splash Party Committee will assist vendors with navigating these agencies; however, it is ultimately the vendor's responsibility to ensure compliance.

VENDOR INFORMATION

- **Location:** Your booth location will be decided by the Splash Party Committee based on the types of items being sold, number of vendors present, and specific vendor booth needs.
- **Time:** Vendors are to always occupy their booth during Splash Market hours. Vendors are required to have booth set-up complete at least one hour prior to opening. Take down time is approximately 8 p.m. on Saturday. Booths are required to be stocked and maintained with merchandise during event hours. Vendors who sell out of their product(s) must remain in their booth during booth hours. No early take down is permitted. Vendors are responsible for the safety of their product. Lehi City will not be liable for any products or booths which are lost or stolen.
- **Booth Requirements:** Vendors are assigned a numbered space. Assignments must be adhered to and are not transferable. Displays must be confined to the booth space and not override into the walkways or the spaces to the side or rear of the booth. If you choose to share a booth with another person, please only submit one application. Each vendor is responsible to provide all necessary equipment such as canopy, tables, chairs, etc. All vendors with any kind of tent-like canopy must secure the canopy with either 30lb– 40lb weights such as sandbags, cement blocks, or five-gallon buckets filled with sand, water, cement, or rocks; or four-inch-deep heavy-duty stakes. If vendors choose to use stakes, a Lehi Parks employee must be present when the stakes are put in to ensure water lines are

not struck.

- **Merchandise:** To participate in the Splash Market, vendors must have products on hand and available for purchase during the event. Booths taking future orders only, offering services or informational in nature will not be accepted. To provide the best possible vending experience, we may limit the sale of any item to one vendor on a first- come first- serve basis. All sales at the Splash Market must take place from your assigned booth space. Any items considered dangerous will not be allowed at the Splash Market.
- **Insurance:** *Lehi City's liability insurance does not cover individuals within your booth in the event of injury, death, theft, fire, etc. that may be caused as a result of your negligence.* Vendors are not covered for damages customers may claim from their products or business losses. It is recommended that vendors obtain their own insurance to cover their booth. During the Splash Market, the Lehi City Risk Manager will conduct a walk through to ensure that all vendors have taken proper safety precautions. Vendors are required to comply with the Risk Manager's reasonable requests or leave the event without receiving a refund.
- **Parking and Unloading:** **No vehicles are allowed to drive on the grass.** Lehi City Parks' employees will be available to help you unload.
- **Security:** Lehi City Police will patrol the park during Splash Market hours.
- **Refunds:** No refunds will be issued after July 14. The event is not dependent on the weather. The event will go on regardless, and fees will not be refunded in the event of rain or inclement weather.
- **Prohibited Items:** Alcohol and smoking are not allowed at the Splash Market.
- **Contact:** If you have any additional questions or need special accommodations, please contact Melanie Busath at mbusath@lehi-ut.gov.

LINKS OF INTEREST

- Utah State Tax Commission
<http://tax.utah.gov/sales/specialevents>
- Temporary Food Permit (Utah County Health Department)

<http://www.utahcountyonline.org/Dept2/Health/Environmental%20Health/Food%20Service/TemporaryFood.asp>

- **Food Handlers Permit (Utah County Health Department)**
http://www.utahcountyonline.org/Dept2/Health/Environmental%20Health/Food%20Service/food_handler.asp
- **Mobile Food Permit (Utah County Health Department)**
<http://www.utahcountyonline.org/dept2/health/Environmental%20Health/Food%20Service/Documents/Mobil%20FoodGuidelines.pdf>
- **Information on Cottage Permits for Home Processed and Packaged Foods (Utah Department of Agriculture and Food)**
<http://ag.utah.gov/food-safety-consumers/cottage-food-production.html>