



ANNUAL COLLECTIVE MINDS  
HOUSE MUSIC FESTIVAL

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 3<sup>RD</sup>, 2023  
12PM – 7PM

PEARLSTONE EVENT CENTER  
5425 MT. GILEAD RD  
REISTERSTOWN, MD 21136



## Food Vendor/Non-Food Vendor Application/Agreement

Collective Minds (CM) Festival is a fun-filled summer music event for the entire family! It is the only annual festival in the DC/Baltimore region specifically dedicated to celebrating and showcasing the underground dance music industry.

Collective Minds Contact Information:

[vendors@cmfestival.org](mailto:vendors@cmfestival.org) or [info@cmfestival.org](mailto:info@cmfestival.org)

Deadline to return application via email is August 19, 2023.

**THERE WILL BE NO EXCEPTIONS!**

Phone: 443-739-5972

## **APPLICATION & APPROVAL PROCESS**

### **VENDOR FEE:**

**FOOD VENDOR: \$325.00 PLUS \$75 REFUNDABLE  
GREASE/CLEAN-UP FEE**

**NON-FOOD VENDOR: \$200.00 PLUS \$50 REFUNDABLE  
CLEAN -UP FEE**

**Payments must be paid on the [cmfestival.org](http://cmfestival.org)  
website. Do not send money using donation  
payments or CashApp**

**(refundable fee will be returned after area has been  
deemed to be cleaned. 2-3 weeks)**

**Applications and fees will be accepted until Saturday, August 19,  
2023**

**A \$5.00 per day late fee will be applied each day after the  
deadline for late submissions.**

**This will happen on a case-by-case basis.**

**Application submission and payment information are on the last  
page.**

All applicants that are compliant and have submitted their application by the  
deadline will receive a notification of decision and welcome letter upon receipt of  
application and application fee.

Decisions for participation are based on the following guidelines:

- **Proper verification of permit required (if applicable)**
- Successful compliance with health regulations – it is the festival’s goal to exceed any and all health code specifications, thus providing our guests a quality food experience.
- Cooperation with festival officials’, policies, guidelines, and health department restrictions.
- Space availability (first come, first served basis)
- All decisions are final.

All applications are subject to final review and approval by Collective Minds management. Collective Minds reserves the right to refuse any application.

Please complete the information below

Contact Name:	
Company Name:	
Address:	
City/State/Zip:	
Phone:	
Cell Phone:	
Email Address:	

**Space**

Will you need curbside space for your vending vehicle for the event?

Yes       No      Vehicle Size: \_\_\_\_\_

**Tents**

Will you bring your own tent(s) for service and prep?       Yes       No

Please describe your tent (dimensions, etc.):

\_\_\_\_\_

Food service unit: \_\_\_\_\_

Dimensions (W x L): \_\_\_\_\_

Tent type:

Trailer \_\_\_\_\_

Kiosk \_\_\_\_\_

Other \_\_\_\_\_

## Refrigerated Vehicles

Do you plan to use a refrigerated truck on site?

Yes       No      Vehicle Size: \_\_\_\_\_

If you are bringing a refrigerated vehicle, limited power will be provided for vendors at the festival location. You will need to bring a personal generator.

## Food Preparation

Please circle the types of equipment you will use for food preparation:

- |                                    |  |
|------------------------------------|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Fryer     | <input type="checkbox"/> Propane grill |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Microwave | <input type="checkbox"/> Oven          |
|                                    | <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____  |

**You must provide a current fire extinguisher onsite.**

## Food Classification

Please check all that apply:

- |   |  |
|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> American<br>Hot dogs, burgers, fries, onion rings                | <input type="checkbox"/> Asian<br>Stir fry, rice, vegetables, chow mien  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> BBQ<br>Pork, chicken, beef                                       | <input type="checkbox"/> Cajun<br>Jambalaya, creole, gumbo               |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Frozen Drinks<br>Smoothies, snow cones, fruit slushies (non-alc) | <input type="checkbox"/> German<br>Bratwurst, knockwurst, sauerkraut     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Iced Cream<br>Soft serve, frozen yogurt, cones                   | <input type="checkbox"/> Italian<br>Pasta, spaghetti, pizza, calzones    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Mediterranean<br>Gyros, Mediterranean salads, pita wraps         | <input type="checkbox"/> Mexican<br>Tacos, burritos, chips and cheese    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Seafood<br>Crab, lobster, shrimp, fish                           | <input type="checkbox"/> Specialty:<br>Desserts, popcorn, nuts, pretzels |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Ethnic Specialty:  | <input type="checkbox"/> Other:  |

**Non-Food Vendor Items**

Please check all that apply and include a description in the box:

- Clothing, shoes:
- Jewelry:
- Books:
- Incense, fragrances, oils, lotions, butters:
- DVDs/CDs:
- Electronics:
- Artwork, sculptures, etc.:
- Tattoos (perm, non-perm):
- Glassware:
- Other:
- Other:


You must read and sign the [Collective Minds Vendor Agreement Terms & Conditions](#) on the following pages and return with your digital signature



# Collective Minds Vendor Agreement Terms & Conditions

*Refunds are not issued if the vendor cancels their space.*

1. Collective Minds (CM) reserves the right to determine and assign the Vendors' onsite location. Our goal is to create a successful experience for all of our participants.
2. This application, when properly executed, shall constitute a valid and binding agreement between the Vendor and Collective Minds. CM reserves the right, in its sole and absolute discretion, to reject any application, or to limit participation.
3. The terms, conditions and directions of the Vendor Guidelines, as amended from time to time by CM, shall be provided to vendors no less than seven days prior to the Collective Minds festival. The guidelines shall be considered a part of this agreement. Vendor is responsible for reviewing the Guidelines carefully and be familiar with its terms and conditions therein.
4. The Vendor contact listed on the application portion of this agreement shall be authorized to make all decisions regarding exhibiting at the festival.
  - (a) Vendor shall indemnify, defend and hold harmless Collective Minds, sponsors and the employees, representatives and agents of each from all claims, liabilities, and damages (including attorneys' fees and court costs) for injury, loss or damage to property or persons (including death) arising out of Vendor's activities in connection with the Collective Minds festival, or for breach of any representation, warranty or covenant in this agreement. This is including damage done by fire from grills, propane tanks, damage done to grass from trucks unloading, etc.
  - (b) CM, sponsors and the employees, representatives and agents of each shall not be liable for any claims, liabilities, costs and charges (including attorneys' fees and costs) for injury, loss or damage to property or persons (including death) arising out of Vendor's activities in connection with Collective Minds, or any breach of any representation, warranty or covenant in this agreement.
5. Vendor shall pay all sales or other taxes, fees and assessments required by any applicable federal, state or local law in connection with Vendor's participation in the Collective Minds festival. Vendor shall indemnify, defend and hold CM harmless for any taxes (including fees and penalties, if any) required to be paid by CM in connection with the Vendor's activities under this contract. Vendor shall provide CM with all requested documentation to evidence Vendor's compliance with tax laws and rules. (if applicable)
6. Under no circumstances shall Collective minds be liable for consequential, indirect, special or punitive damages of any kind in connection with its activities or omissions under this agreement regardless of whether such damages were foreseeable.

7. Failure by Vendor to adhere to any provision of this Agreement may result in cancellation of this agreement.
8. Vendor may not assign this agreement or trade, sell, share or otherwise transfer the advertising or exhibiting rights provided for in this agreement.
9. Waiver of any term of this agreement or failure of CM to terminate this agreement on account of any breach by Vendor shall not be deemed a waiver of CM's rights to subsequently enforce any term or to terminate this contract by reason of any subsequent breach by Vendor.
10. This agreement, together with any exhibits or attachments, constitutes the parties' entire agreement with respect to the subject matter hereof and supersedes all prior statements or agreements, both written and oral. Vendor agrees that no representations of any kind have been made to Vendor by CM or by any of its agents and that no understanding has been made or agreement entered into other than as set forth herein.
11. Collective Minds Festival takes place rain or shine provided however that in the case of excessively inclement weather, Collective Minds reserves the right to cancel the event. There will be no refunds due to inclement weather.
12. **Each vendor using flammable materials needs to bring their own fire extinguisher of a 24:10:B:C rating or better, in good working order and properly secured, visible at all times in your booth.**
13. Vendors must remove all personal property from the allotted area immediately after the festival closes and return the area to its original condition.
14. Refunds are not issued if the vendor cancels their space.
15. The vendor is an independent contractor under this contract and has no employee, partnership, co-venture, agent or other such relationship with Collective Minds.
16. The vendor agrees to indemnify, defend and hold Collective Minds from all claims of liability, whether arising at law or in equity, for property damage, death, personal injury, and any related losses or claims for such losses, resulting from the direct or indirect act or omission of the vendor, its agents, servants or employees.
17. Displays must be kept neat and orderly at all times.
18. Vendor (if food) agrees to pay additional \$100 clean-up/grease fee that will be refunded once determine that no grease or trash is left where vendor set-up was located.
19. Vendor (if non-food) agrees to pay additional \$50 clean-up fee that will be refunded once determined that no trash/boxes/debris is left where vendor set-up was located.

About this Agreement:

20. Should the vendor fail to fulfill any of his/her obligations pursuant to this agreement, Collective Minds may terminate this agreement upon notice to vendor.
21. The waiver of any term of this agreement, or the failure of Collective Minds to insist on strict compliance and prompt performance of any terms of this agreement, followed by the acceptance of such performance thereafter, shall not constitute or be constructed as a waiver or relinquishment of any right by Collective Minds to enforce all terms strictly in the event of a continuous or subsequent default.
22. Each provision of this agreement shall be deemed to be a separate, severable, and independently enforceable provision. The invalidity or breach of any provision shall not cause the invalidity or breach of the remaining provisions or of the agreement, which shall remain in full force and effect.



23. This agreement shall in all respects be construed in accordance with and governed by the laws of the State of Maryland and subject to the jurisdiction of its courts. Furthermore, the parties hereto agree that any suits or actions brought by either party against the other shall be in a court of competent jurisdiction in Baltimore City.
24. This agreement contains the entire agreement between the parties and supersedes any other agreements or representations between them, whether oral or written. No provisions of this agreement may be amended, waived or modified except by a written agreement signed by both parties.
25. **Submission of an application shall constitute agreement with all conditions in this prospectus. Please keep a copy of this portion for your records and forward this signed page with your application.**

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

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## Application Checklist

Complete and read the application fully. Incomplete applications will not be processed.

- Read and signed Collective Minds application with all applicable sections completed.
- Copy of permit or license, if applicable.

**\*Grease Deposit:** Food vendors cooking with grease will be required to submit a grease deposit of \$75.00. Post-Festival, your area will be inspected for any signs of excessive spillage or grease damage to the grounds. Deposits will be returned within 30-45 days providing you passed inspection. Otherwise, your deposit will be forfeited.

**We do not accept printed applications. All applications need to be emailed to [vendors@cmfestival.org](mailto:vendors@cmfestival.org) and payment made on our website [www.cmfestival.org](http://www.cmfestival.org)**

A complete information packet with flyers, location assignments, directions, check-in and breakdown times, parking instructions and other information will be emailed to approved festival vendors by August 26, 2023.