

General Booth Information:

- Booths are laid out on grass.
- Vendors must provide their own booth shelter. Shelter must be sturdy and in good condition.
- Booth spaces are limited to single story structures. Art-10' wide x 10' deep / food-10' wide X 15' deep. Your storefront open to the crowd is 10' wide, for a single booth. Displays must be contained within your space. Vendors with trailers must include tongue & access egress, when listing dimensions of operation. Most spaces have NO egress on the sides, so please take this into consideration, when planning your set-up. Side access needs should be noted in the special requirements area of the application.
- Booths MUST be anchored to the ground by weights or stakes (recommended). In the event of high winds or inclement weather, booth owners are responsible & liable for the security & safety of their structures, as well as anything contained within.
- All equipment, supplies and overstock must be stowed and hidden within the space provided. No unsightly materials or equipment should be visible to the crowd. This is your store front, so it should appear to be inviting & appealing, to our patrons.
- Hours of operation extend beyond dark. Vendors are responsible for furnishing and lighting their own booth. No lights should be pointed into the crowd, or away from the booths. No external video displays are permitted. No flashing/blinking/chasing non-LED Christmas lights, please.

Your booth/display must have:

- An attractive, professional, maintained appearance.
- Quality merchandise.
- Courteous, friendly, music loving personnel.
- Displays secured against wind/weather.

Passes:

Every accepted vendor will receive the following, for each booth space purchased:

Art: 2 weekend/working passes & 1 parking pass

Snack/Entrée: 4 weekend/working passes & 2 parking passes

- Passes will be supplied during load in, once vendors have checked in. We cannot be responsible for getting your passes to your staff. You must make these arrangements. No passes will be held at will-call, or by vendor relations staff.
- If you have extra employees, you will have to purchase additional employee wristbands. Additional wristbands will be available for purchase from your vendor coordinator during/after check-in.
- Free, primitive camping @ Camp Ben McCulloch is provided to all paying vendors, with a vendor wristband. **Please read additional IMPORTANT information pertaining to vendor camping, located in the **Camping/Hotels** section of these guidelines.

Electrical/Lighting:

- All booths will be supplied with power *nearby. *Please bring an outdoor rated, 100ft extension cord & power strip/s, cords, etc.. You will be allotted one outlet/plug (craft 1-110v, food 1-220v), & are responsible for dividing it from there. Any additional power needs must be specifically set forth in the application.
- Vendors will need to furnish own lighting and accessories. All electrical equipment requiring electricity-power strips, multi-outlet taps, extensions cords, etc., must be grounded and suitable for outdoor use.
- No generators or propane lamps allowed.
- No flashing/blinking/chasing lights of any kind. **No xmas light strands will be permitted, with the exception of constant-on LED, located INSIDE booth.** Since there are less electrical issues involved, we have made the LED exception. However, we've found flashing displays to be too distracting/obnoxious, & ask that you refrain from lighting yourself up like the 4th of July. You're encouraged to use clamp lights/etc., to light up your sign/booth exterior, yet no lights must be pointing into the crowd.

Water:

- A source of water is provided to food vendors. You must bring your own hoses and splitters. Well water spigot is approx. 150' from food vendor area.

operation requires ice before the bar opens, please plan accordingly.

Taxes:

- Vendors are responsible for collecting & paying their own local state sales tax, on all items sold at the festival. Current tax rate is 8.25%. (6.25% state, 2% Hays county). **A copy of your tax permit must be displayed during operations, on site.**

Where to apply for a 'State of Texas Sales and Use Tax Permit':

State of Texas Comptrollers Office

Phone: 1-800-252-5555 512-463-3961

Field Office downtown Austin: 111 West Sixth Street, Austin, Tx. 78701-2913

<http://www.window.state.tx.us/>

There is no fee for either permit. The application is online at

<http://www.window.state.tx.us/taxinfo/taxforms/01-forms.html>

Kids:

- Kids under 12 admitted free, if accompanied by a ticket-holding adult.

Camping/Hotels:

Please do not contact your vendor coordinator regarding accommodations &/or camping. The OSMF volunteer campground staff handles everything pertaining to Camp Ben McCulloch for the weekend. Your volunteer vendor coordinator will be unable to assist with that portion of the event.

- No camping is permitted on the festival site. You may camp across the street at Camp Ben McCulloch for free, with your vendor passes. This is for primitive camping only, & is first come, first served, starting @ 10am* on Thurs. 4/14. Vendors wishing to secure these spaces are responsible for doing so themselves. *Time subject to change. Please refer to website, for more information.

**No special provisions, such as RV or power reservations are available. Vendors wishing to purchase limited electrical access should do so in advance. Individuals are responsible for securing their own spaces for the weekend. Unmarked campsites left empty during the day, could be taken by the time one returns for the night. Please make sure your space is clearly marked/defined, when you leave.

For more information regarding camping & campground guidelines:

<http://www.oldsettlersmusicfest.org/index/camping/>

Search <http://austin.citysearch.com/> for local hotel accommodations.

Location/Directions:

<http://oldsettlersmusicfest.org/directions> has a good map to reference.

From Downtown Austin

Follow South Lamar Blvd. to highway 290 West. At the "Y" in Oak Hill stay left, continuing on Highway 290 west towards Fredericksburg. At the third light, turn left onto FM 1826. Drive 13 miles to the Salt Lick.

South on Loop 1/MoPac

Take South Loop 1 Exit until it turns into SH 45. Continue to dead end at 1826.

At the dead end make a left on to 1826.

Go approximately 7 1/2 miles and we are on the right side of the road, past the restaurant, just on the other side of Onion Creek.

I-35

Exit Kyle / Hwy. 150, & head west towards Kyle (from north, right - from south, left to overpass).

Go through stoplight, at following stop sign, make a right onto FM 150.

After approximately 9 miles, the road will fork to the right.

