

## SALSA FEST: A KICK-OFF TO THE JOLIET TACO TRAIL

SATURDAY, JUNE 8

5:30- 10:00 P.M.

WILL COUNTY LOT: 302 N. CHICAGO



## Food and Beverage Vendor Application

The Joliet City Center Partnership will once again be hosting the 2024 Salsa Fest on June 8. In addition to having amazing food and salsa tastings, Salsa Fest will have bilingual DJ entertainment, Salsa dancers and a live band. We estimate about 2,500 people will attend this event.

Salsa Fest will include any interested Joliet restaurants. Each vendor should provide free salsa tastings. You can choose your own container for the tastings, but we recommend a plastic shot glass with a tortilla chip or two included. You can have as many free tastings as you like. We encourage our vendors to have jars of salsa to sell there. It is not required to sell food, but if you do, please try to be creative with your menu items so everyone isn't selling the same thing or consider selling smaller tastings (ex. one taco) so visitors are encouraged to try multiple vendors.

This event will be free for visitors. There is a discounted vendor fee of \$100 for City Center businesses in the Special Service Area. The regular vendor fee is \$200. Each vendor will need to provide a Certificate of Insurance naming Joliet City Center Partnership and Will County as additionally insured.

This event is entirely outdoors, so we do recommend bringing a pop-up canopy. If you don't have one, you can rent one for \$25 through CCP. One 8' table is included in the vendor fee and more are available for rental. Vendor fees are non-refundable.

Each vendor will need to talk to the Will County Health Inspector prior to this event if not already pre-approved. A certificate of insurance from each vendor naming Joliet City Center Partnership as additionally insured is required.

Please fill out the form on the following page and return it to Vicki Sanchez at <a href="mailto:vicki.sanchez@joletdowntown.com">vicki.sanchez@joletdowntown.com</a>.



## 2024 Salsa Fest Vendor Commitment Form Saturday, June 8

Please return this form with payment by March 15.

City Center Special Service Area Res	taurant/Vendor	Vendor Fee: \$100
(www.JolietDowntown.com/dining)		
Joliet Restaurant/Vendor	Vendor Fee: \$200	
In addition to the Margarita truck, two SSA liquor vendors will be approved through a random lottery. Winners of the lottery will be notified by April 1. Each liquor vendor will need to apply for a state special event liquor license which can be completed online or in the Chicago office.  Yes, our restaurant would like to enter the liquor vendor lottery.		
Restaurant Name:	Contact	
Phone number Email		
Menu		
Checks made payable to Joliet City Center P	artnership	

PayPal invoices are available upon request and will include a 3.6% processing fee.

Contact: vicki.sanchez@jolietdowntown.com

203 N. Ottawa Street, Suite 100, Joliet, IL 60432



## 2024 Salsa Fest Vendor Information Saturday, June 8

Please return this form and any additional payments by April 30.

CCP will provide one 8' table per vendor.
$\square$ Check here if you would like to <u>decline</u> the provided table.
☐ Check here if you'd like to rent additional tables for \$7 each. # Rented
$\Box$ Check here if you would like to rent a 10x10 pop-up canopy for \$25 (first come, first served)
CCP will provide up to 20 amps of electrical service for each vendor. If you need more, you may be responsible for bringing a generator to accommodate the additional electricity needs. Please provide all electrical needs to us by May 8.
$\Box$ Check here if you $\underline{will}$ be using electricity provided by CCP (max 20 amps unless otherwise agreed)
☐ Check here if you will be bringing your own generator.
Amount of space needed at the event
Menu Items including salsa tastings
Vendor Fee \$ + Table Rentals \$ + Canopy Rental \$
Total Fee: \$
Please send payment to Joliet City Center Partnership at 203 N. Ottawa Street, Suite 100, Joliet, IL 60432.

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