

# Franklin County Chamber of Commerce 2021 Franklin County Watermelon Festival

## ***RULES FOR VENDORS***

- \*Placement of booths will be at the discretion of the Chamber of Commerce.
- \*No one will be allowed to participate without a signed and dated application and liability release.
- \*No giveaways such as water, lemonade, Popsicles, soft drinks, etc. Anything you are giving away such as fans, balloons, literature, etc. must have prior approval from the Chamber.
- \*The Chamber must know what type of activity your organization is going to participate in to avoid having duplications.
- \*No silly string, snap pops, or hair paint may be given away as prizes.
- \*No pie-in-the-face or cool-whip thrown-in-the-face. (This creates a very greasy film on the pavement and could result in an injury.)
- \*If you are selling some type of food or drink at the festival, you must contact the Franklin County Health Department, presenting the proper paperwork and fee to them, to obtain their approval. This process must be completed by July 16, 2021.
- \*Coke is the exclusive drink sponsor of the 2021 Watermelon Festival. All drinks must be purchased from a Coke representative at the festival. NO EXCEPTIONS!
- \*For Non-Profit Vendors: The Chamber must have proof of your 501-C3 filing. Your agency must present proof of an up-to-date charter of the organization or club of which you are affiliated with and that your chapter is a member in good standing with the organization you are representing. This information must be presented to the Chamber, with your completed application by July 12, 2021. If not received, your organization will not be allowed to participate in any kind of fundraising activity at the Watermelon Festival.
- \*Your agency must present proof of some type of liability insurance or you must sign a waiver releasing the Chamber from all claims and damages.
- \*No obscene or offensive type literature will be allowed for distribution.
- \*No generators will be allowed. If you need electricity, you must notify the Chamber well in advance of the festival.
- \*The Franklin County Chamber of Commerce reserves the right to revoke or may refuse to grant space any time, at their discretion without recourse by the participant and shall not be liable for this action.
- \*The decision of the Franklin County Chamber of Commerce must be accepted as final in any disagreement.