



2025 Pottawatomi Gathering Craft Vendor Application

Applications are being accepted from craft vendors for the 2025 Pottawatomi Gathering. Gathering meetings, activities and events are scheduled for July 30-31 with attendance estimated at 4,000. Powwow weekend events will occur on August 1-2 with attendance estimated at 5,000. Each day kicks off with a Sunrise Ceremony followed by assorted events and activities throughout the day. Festivities conclude at 8:00 p.m. on Wednesday and Thursday and midnight on Friday and Saturday.

Craft vendors will be designated a 10 X 10 space. The non-refundable fee for the four-day event is \$200 and must be paid no later than June 30, 2025, to reserve space. Set-up may begin as early as Noon on July 29. Priority in craft vendor selection will be given to:

- 1.) Enrolled members of a Pottawatomi Band;
- 2.) Vendors with operating hours that maximize guest accessibility;
- 3.) Vendors with distinctive craft offerings; and
- 4.) Vendors with a satisfactory history vending at the Tribe's Sweetgrass Moon Powwow.

Applicants will be notified of their application status within thirty days of submitting a completed application.

Applicable Rules:

- Vendors must be Native American or comply with the Indian Arts and Crafts Act.
- Vendors are only permitted to sell authentic Native wares. The Gathering Committee reserves the right to require the removal of any item(s) identified as unsuitable.
- Vendors must stay within designated vending spots.
- Vendor space must be neat and well-maintained. Signage with visible and clear pricing is required.
- Vendors are responsible for setting up, maintaining and dismantling their booth, as well as managing all merchandise and trash. Designated dumpsters on-site must be used for disposal. Trash barrels placed throughout the grounds are strictly for attendee use.
- Personal vehicles are not allowed in the vending area except for designated set-up/load-in and breakdown/load-out times.
- Vendor fee is forfeited if the vendor fails to show.
- No animals will be allowed in the craft vendor area.
- Gun Lake Tribe reserves all rights to suspend or revoke vendor privileges.

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*Booth Name:

*Contact Person:

Tribal Affiliation (Enrolled or Descendency):

*Mailing Address:

*Email Address:

*Phone Number:

*Description of items being sold?

*Pictures **must** be included representing the types of items offered by the vendor.

*Have you been a vendor at the Sweetgrass Moon Powwow in the last five years? ☐ Yes ☐ No

*Do you intend to use a generator? (Please note some restrictions may apply) ☐ Yes ☐ No

*What hours will you be open on each of the following days?

Wednesday

Thursday

Friday

Saturday

*What day and time will you set up?

For any questions or to submit a completed application, contact Melissa Brown at melissa.brown@glt-nsn.gov.

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