



Oldest Maritime Event
1st weekend in November

55th Florida Seafood Festival
FOOD VENDOR APPLICATION
 Friday, November 2nd 10 am-11pm
 Saturday, November 3rd 10 am-11pm

ENTRY FEE:

\$500.00 – per 10ft frontage booth space (minimum)
 Entry Fee Includes FL Sales Tax

Please Print				
Name				
Address				
City		State	Zip code	
**EMAIL				
Owner/Manager				
Phone				
Sales Tax Number/Exemption				

In submitting your application, please **read and initial** the following to indicate your acceptance of the following rules, if you do not accept the following rules application will be denied:

	Must pay for minimum space of 10 ft all applications will be approved by the food committee. Any booth larger than 10 ft. will be charged a prorated fee per foot.
	You must be covered by 100,000 of recovery liability insurance
	You must provide an original copy of certificate of insurance policy with Florida Seafood Festival named additionally insured for our files. Your application is not complete without this certificate. You will not be allowed to set up if this is not received by FSF.
	You must have copies of the certificate available during the event
	You must keep the area around your position free of litter
	You must clean the area around your position every evening at closing
	You must properly dispose of grease during the Festival at the appointed grease disposal unit
	You must ensure that the paved area around your position is grease free
	You must only operate during Festival hours-this will be strictly monitored
	You must SET UP and TAKE DOWN at your designated time
	You may sell ONLY the items accepted by the Food Vendor Committee, who will notify you of your accepted menu. No Imitation Ingredients Allowed. You will be closed down if such ingredients present at your menu, and you will forfeit your entire paid amount.
	You must accept the location assigned to you by the committee
	You must cooperate with all matters related to the electrical and plumbing connections of your unit. You are responsible for payment of any services rendered by the electrician on duty,
	You must adequately muffle any generator that your food service unit may be equipped with
	You may not use any public-address system or musical amplifiers.
	You must provide a fire extinguisher in your unit.
	You must provide tip to toe length of your unit on the sheet which follows.
	You must pay all fees when applying
	The Florida Seafood Festival Committee reserves the right to close any vendor who does not comply with all Festival rules to the satisfaction of the Florida Seafood Festival- All Decisions by Food Committee is FINAL!
	Vendors shall conduct business only within the confines of their space. No Walking down food row in front of other booths with signs or pulling people out of other vendors lines. Confines means inside of your booth space and footage directly in front of your booth! Strictly Enforced!
	Menu of all items for sale along with prices must be visible to the public.
	All applicable electrical, fire and health department regulations and all city, county, state and federal laws must be complied with.
	The Florida Seafood Festival Board Members as part of the entry fee will not be charged for food (Members will have proper Identification)
Items to be sold: (be specific)	

I understand and agree with the rules and regulations that are set forth in this application, and I understand and agree that the Florida Seafood Festival Committee are not responsible in any way for damage, loss or theft of my firm, or of my customers. I hereby submit my signed application for the 2017 Florida Seafood Festival. I understand that my failure to follow all rules to the satisfaction of the committee may result in the loss of one or both of my deposits and/or the closing of my booth.

Date: _____ Signature/Title: _____

INDEMNIFICATION AGREEMENT

IN CONSIDERATION OF \$1.00 AND OTHER GOOD AND VALUABLE CONSIDERATION, THE SUFFICIENCY AND RECEIPT OF WHICH IS HEREBY ACKNOWLEDGED, I/WE, _____ OF THE CITY OF _____, STATE OF _____, AGREE TO INDEMNIFY THE FLORIDA SEAFOOD FESTIVAL, INC. (HEREINAFTER "FSF") OF THE CITY OF APALACHICOLA, COUNTY OF FRANKLIN, STATE OF FLORIDA, FROM AND AGAINST ALL CLAIMS, DEMANDS, COSTS, OR JUDGMENTS, EVEN IF SUCH CLAIM, DEMAND, COSTS OR JUDGMENT RESULT FROM THE NEGLIGENCE OF THE FSF,

ARISING FROM MY PARTICIPATION IN THE FOLLOWING ACTIVITY (SPECIFICALLY DESCRIBE ACTIVITY IN THE SPACE PROVIDED BELOW):

FLORIDA SEAFOOD FESTIVAL _____

THE ABOVE INDEMNITY INCLUDES INDEMNIFYING THE FSF EVEN IF SUCH CLAIM, DEMAND, COSTS OR JUDGMENT AGAINST THE FSF RESULTS FROM THE FSF'S OWN NEGLIGENCE.

MADE AND EXECUTED THIS _____ DAY OF _____, 2018

SIGNATURE OF INDEMNITOR/APPLICANT _____ DATE _____ PARTICIPATING VENDORS OF THE FLORIDA SEAFOOD FESTIVAL SHALL NOT MARKET, SELL OR OTHERWISE DISTRIBUTE ITEMS OF ANY TYPE THAT BEAR THE NAME OF "FLORIDA SEAFOOD FESTIVAL," "KING RETSYO," APALACHICOLA OR FRANKLIN COUNTY OR ANY PARTS THEREOF WITHOUT EXPRESS WRITTEN CONSENT OF THE SEAFOOD FESTIVAL COMMITTEE. VENDORS IN VIOLATION WILL BE EXPELLED FROM THE FESTIVAL WITHOUT REFUND.

PLEASE READ THIS CAREFULLY

1. Your Booth Space will **NOT** be reserved until the enclosed application, pictures or slides, full payment and list of menu items to be sold are received and approved by the Florida Seafood Festival Vendor Committee. **DEADLINE FOR RECEIPT OF APPLICATIONS IS Sept. 30, 2018.**
2. Inspection by the DPBR will be held on Friday, November 2nd, any vendors without FL. License will be asked to pay \$91.00 in money order form.
3. Only products with prior approval will be allowed for sale at festival. Any changes or additions **MUST** be approved in advance by the committee. No Exceptions allowed!
4. We will mail you notification or Phone you of acceptance or denial. Acceptance is not implied upon application being received. You will be contacted by mail or by phone after application is received.
5. **BOOTH APPEARANCE IS EXTREMELY IMPORTANT!!** Exhibitor must furnish their **OWN** canopy, tables, chairs, trash receptacles, etc. The more attractive your booth, the better you will sell. **BE PREPARED FOR RAIN OR SHINE**, as the show will go on!
****Must make sure all booths are secured down. Security is provided for the park, however, the Festival board is not responsible for missing or broken items.****
6. Welcome packets containing gate passes and parking instructions will be given upon check in by the food committee.
7. Designated areas for RV parking will be available in limited supply (on a first received application / first served basis). RV's must be self-contained as far as POWER/WATER and SEWAGE are concerned.
8. **Setup will begin for appt. only Food Vendors on Wed at 11:00 am Oct 31st and then Thursday, Nov. 1st from 9:00 – 6 p.m. Some set-up may go on wed evening if director and food vendor agree.** Gates open 10 a.m. and close at 11 p.m. on Friday and Saturday.
****No Moving Traffic will allowed in park after 8:00am on the 2nd & 3rd due to strict insurance liability.****
9. Cancellation deadline is Tuesday Oct.15th by 5:00pm. **Any cancelations after this date will be non-refundable**
10. The Florida Seafood Festival Vendor Committee reserves the right to: review and compare items sold with items listed on this Application has removed for sale any items not approved in advance or found to be re-sale items. Vendors not complying with this rule will be subject to removal from the Festival without refund of their fees.
11. Absolutely **NO** projectiles, silly string, Poop bombs, fireworks/firecrackers or rubber band operated toys shall be sold by any vendor!!
12. No Vendor may break down before Sunday November 5th 1:00 AM EST.
13. No Vendors may sell outside of festival grounds.
14. **NO PETS. NO SELLING OF ANY T-SHIRTS. Or Hats that depict Florida Seafood Festival in any way!! NO EXCEPTIONS.**
15. All NON-Profit Groups Will Have a Certain type of Local Seafood and they will have an **Exclusive Sell of that item.** This is only for Seafood. For profit food vendors will be made aware of what items are exclusive and must not sell those items after menus have been agreed upon unless directed by President John Solomon. ANY violation of this rules can cause immediate closer of for profit food booth with non-returnable entry fee.
16. The Festival reserves the right to deny applications at our sole and exclusive discretion.
17. **Included in Entry Fee the members of the Board of Directors of The Florida Seafood Festival will not be charged for Food.**
18. Additional information and forms be obtained through our website @ www.floridaseafoodfestival.com, or by emailing us at food@floridaseafoodfestival.com.

September 30 th	Application Deadline	Mail Application to: Florida Seafood Festival c/o John Solomon PO BOX 758 Apalachicola FL 32329
October 15th	Acceptance or Denial by phone/email. You will be contacted as soon as you are accepted.	
November 1 st	SET UP 9:00am-5:00 pm ALL VENDORS MUST BE SET UP BY THURSDAY- NO EXCEPTIONS! (No Setting up will be allowed on Friday/Saturday)	
November 2 nd -3 rd	Festival Times 10:am-11:00pm	