

Dear Craft & Food Vendors:

The Chitimacha Tribe would like to invite you to our **4<sup>th</sup> Annual Chitimacha Powwow**, to be held on Saturday, October 28<sup>th</sup>, 2017, in the Pavilion at Cypress Bayou Casino Hotel, in Charenton, Louisiana. We are now accepting applications from those interested in being craft or food vendors. There will be a pre-selection process; submittal of this attached application does not guarantee you a vendor space at the powwow. **All completed applications must be returned to the Powwow Committee no later than Friday, October 20th to be considered for a vending space.** Applicants will be notified of the Committee's decision. If you are approved by the committee, you will be notified and payment can then be sent to: **Chitimacha Powwow Committee, P.O. Box 661, Charenton, LA 70523**. If you have any questions, please e-mail us at [powwow@chitimacha.gov](mailto:powwow@chitimacha.gov) or call Kim Walden at (337) 923-9923.

Rules and Pricing:

- Products sold by vendors must be Native American made or Native American related and must be culturally appropriate, non-stereotypical. The committee reserves the right to make final decisions on items offered for sale. No foreign-made items allowed.
- The sale of any item with the terms "Chitimacha", "Chitimacha Tribe of Louisiana", "Chitimacha Powwow", "Cypress Bayou", and/or "Cypress Bayou Casino Hotel" are not permitted; only authorized vendors will sell official souvenirs.
- Novelties, cosmetics, fireworks, or 'poppers' are not allowed. Small items that can accidentally enter the arena are not allowed, i.e. balls, etc.
- The sale of feathers or bones from protected animals of the U.S. Endangered Species Act is not permitted.
- The Chitimacha Powwow has exclusive rights for the sale of water, soft drinks, tea, and coffee as well as all fry bread items; the sale of any of the above is prohibited.
- Booth fees for a **10x10** space are as follows:
  - Chitimacha Tribal Members:** All food & craft booth fees are waived.
  - Federally Recognized Tribal Members:** Food Booth (outdoor) \$85.00 + \$10.00 each for power and water. Craft Booth (pre-function room) \$50.00 + \$35.00 Raffle Item + \$10.00 for power. Craft Booth (near arena - space is limited) \$75.00 + \$35.00 Raffle Item + \$10.00 for power.
  - All Other Applicants:** Food Booth (outdoor) \$120.00 + \$10.00 each for power and water. Craft Booth (pre-function room) \$75.00 + \$35.00 Raffle Item + \$10.00 for power. Craft Booth (in arena) \$100.00 + \$35.00 Raffle Item + \$10.00 for power.

**\*\*10x20 spaces are available upon request for an extra fee of half of the original fee.**

**Example: If your original fee is \$50.00, add an additional \$25.00 for a 10x20 space.\*\***

- Please provide photographs of your booth setup and items, as well as a copy of your tribal enrollment card (if applicable). Please bring your own tables, chairs, and equipment.
- All vendor fees must be paid by Cashier's Check or Money Order. No Business or Personal checks will be accepted. Fees are non-refundable.

# 2017 Chitimacha Powwow Vendor Application

**Type of Vendor:** \_\_\_\_\_ Arts & Crafts \_\_\_\_\_ Food

**Needs:** \_\_\_\_\_ Water (\$10) \_\_\_\_\_ Electricity (\$10)

*Please Print Clearly:*

**Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Legal Name (First and Last):** \_\_\_\_\_

**Business Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Mailing Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**City, State, Zip:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone Number (1):** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone Number (2):** \_\_\_\_\_

**E-Mail Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Federally Recognized Tribe (if applicable):** \_\_\_\_\_

**Please give a detailed description of items that will be sold:**

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By signing this document, I have read, understand, and agree to abide by all rules and regulations set forth by the Chitimacha Powwow Committee. I agree that I will not hold the Chitimacha Tribe of Louisiana, Cypress Bayou Casino Hotel, its officers, directors, volunteers, officials, employees, and agents against any liabilities. I am at least 18 years of age. I understand that the use of alcohol and/or illegal drugs is not allowed at this event and will result in removal of vendor with no refund.

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**Signature**

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**Date**