



## Chili Cook-Out Rules for Competition

1. Booth fees are \$25.00 to cover the cost of electricity and trophies. (Checks made payable to Downtown Collinsville, Inc.). Booths will be assigned a number and it must be posted at all times.
2. Participants will be furnished with a 10x10 booth space from which you will be allowed to sell maximum of 3 food items and fundraiser type item for your organization. Electricity will be available and participants must furnish their own power cords. **NO TRAILERS ALLOWED.** The street will be closed between Seminary and Morrison, you may set your booths up in the street.
3. Booths must be in place by 9:00 AM and be ready to be judged. This is an unsanctioned cook-off.
4. No cooking facilities will be furnished, so you must be responsible for your own cooking and heating units.
5. Participants are asked to cook 8 to 10 gallons of chili for the competitions and sales.
6. All Participants will be responsible for your chili “fixins” such as cheese, onions, crackers, etc.
7. Participants must provide their own tables, chairs, electrical cords, bowls, napkins and eating utensils.
8. Participants must know their ingredients in the event someone may need to know due to an allergic reaction. Wild game used as an ingredient **MUST** be identified.
9. Each booth must have a person manning their booth at all times.
10. Each booth will be responsible for complete clean-up at their space; this includes sweeping and removal of all trash. **THE TRASH MUST BE CLEANED UP.** There is a large dumpster on Center Street to put your trash in. Vendors will be supplied with additional trash bags for the cans. If there is trash left at your site and any violations of the trash rules, you will not be invited back next year.
11. There will be trophies awarded for:
  - 1st, 2nd, 3rd place for traditional chili
  - 1st, 2nd, 3rd place for non-traditional chili
  - Best Booth Presentation
12. Trophy presentations will be awarded at the winning booth.
13. Please feel free to bring your own boom box for “Mood Music”, if desired.