



2022

Dear Food Vendor,

Wamego is proud of its long running Independence Day celebration known as Celebrate Freedom in Wamego. **We are delighted to go 4th on July 4th, 2022!** This day-long celebration will offer a “food court” along the parade route in the 500 Block of Lincoln. The food court hours are 1:00-9:00 pm. A variety of food trucks/stands will be aligned inside a privately-owned parking lot between the Friendly Cooker and Imagemakers (the Bittmann Mercantile building) on the East side of Lincoln. Trucks or Tents are encouraged as there is minimal parking for pick-ups. Wamego swells to over 40,000 people on this special day. We welcome your application for this attractive event. **Space is very limited so apply now!** If you would like specific details about Celebrate Freedom in Wamego go to www.visitwamego.com. If you would like to learn how to be a fireworks donor visit the pyro website at www.wamegofireworks.com.

Enclosed are the guidelines, rules and the application that are required of each vendor to be eligible to participate in the event. Please read the information carefully and thoroughly. Pictures of your trailer/booth are welcomed and encouraged! We also require a copy of your health license, menu, and tax ID number (as applicable).

Your complete menu, with prices, is to be included with the application. You must be willing to delete some menu items in order to be included. We are seeking a variety of foods and will limit the number of “like” vendors. Vendors will be evaluated on a first come, first served basis. Due to the limited number of spaces available the application process is very competitive, and not all vendors that apply will be approved. All decisions made by the committee are final, and inclusion because of previous events’ acceptance is not guaranteed. It is to your benefit to provide as much information as possible; i.e., menu, trailer layout, complete application, pictures, etc., which impacts the acceptance. No applications will be considered without payment.

We are seeking a variety of foods to satisfy our guests on a hot summer day! Please apply early. Confirmation letters will be sent as applications are received and reviewed. Fees for spaces are explained in the attached guidelines and application. Once again, please read all the information carefully, but do not hesitate to call if you have questions.

Thank you for considering submitting an application to our celebration! If you have questions, please call the Wamego Area Chamber of Commerce office at (785) 456-7849 or email kara@wamegochamber.com.

Sincerely,
Kara Holle, Director of Events and Tourism

