



Capital Pride Festival 2026 Event Packet

Vendors and Sponsors,

Thank you for supporting Capital Pride Festival 2026! We hope you have a great time and make lasting connections within our community. The festival will be taking place on **Saint Clair and Broadway Streets** in downtown Frankfort, on **Saturday, October 10, 2026**. It will be open to attendees from **11am to 5pm**. We ask that all vendors stay open until the close of the event.

Check-In

Check-in will be open from **8am to 10am**. You will report to the check-in booth **in your vehicle** on Broadway at the intersection of Catfish Alley. You will receive a packet with important information and will then be directed to the appropriate vendor area. **Booths will be assigned on a first come, first serve basis. Because of this, we CANNOT accept walk-up check-ins. When you check-in, you MUST be ready to load into your space.** We will load vendors beginning with Saint Clair Street, then East Broadway, then West Broadway. Streets will close promptly at **10am**, and no cars will be allowed through until **5pm**.

If you are a vendor who needs electricity, you need to arrive **as early as possible** and notify the volunteers at check-in.

IMPORTANT! In your information packet, you will receive a **Department of Revenue form**. You must complete it and **return it to the address provided on the form**.

When you arrive at your booth, **YOU MUST UNLOAD FIRST**. Once you have unloaded your vehicle, go park your vehicle. Then you can return and start setting up your booth. Parking information is available on the back of this page.

Tents, chairs, and tables will **NOT** be provided.

Prohibited Items & Actions

- Staking or driving objects into the ground. Weights are highly recommended.
- Posting or affixing signs, notices, or any kind of document to anything other than your tent. Flags may be displayed in freestanding frames that are not anchored to the ground
- The sale or display of anything that depicts human genitalia or sexual acts
- Alcohol, food, and beverage sales are **strictly limited** to approved vendors
- **AI artwork of any kind is NOT allowed to be sold or distributed at the Capital Pride Festival in any form.** If a vendor is found to be selling AI-generated works, we will ask you to remove the items. Failure to comply will result in possible removal from the event and blacklisting.

Food & Beverage Vendors

You will have a designated location to the **right** of the main stage, closest to Buddy's Pizza. All food and beverage vendors should have all applicable, up-to-date permits and licenses on site. **If you are not using a generator or some other power source**, please let the volunteers at check-in know, as you will need to set up to the **left** of the stage.

Late Vendor Check-in

If you arrive after the streets have closed at 10 AM, you must park and bring your booth set up with you. Check-in will then be at the Capital Pride Kentucky Volunteer booth at the corner of St. Clair and Broadway.

Tear Down

The festival site **must** be vacated no later than **6pm**. You are responsible for the removal of trash and debris from your booth. Trash cans will be provided by the City throughout the festival.

As always, we appreciate your presence and support for the LGBTQ+ community in Kentucky. We look forward to seeing you there!

If you have any questions, please let us know.

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