Marquette Food Co-op

Local Vendor Information

Application Preferences

Please be aware that we prefer:

- Meat, eggs, dairy, and poultry that do not contain added hormones or antibiotics, and products where the animals are humanely raised.
- Products that do not contain artificial colors, flavors, and preservatives
- Products that do not contain artificial sweeteners such as sucralose, Nutrasweet, etc.

Vending at the Co-op

- We will provide payment to local vendors no earlier than two weeks after delivery and no later than 30 days.
- If we decide to carry your product(s), one of our buyers will work with you to determine the quantity of your product our store will likely purchase.
- Once we have established a working relationship with you, our Co-op will place orders for your product(s) based on an agreed upon ordering system. You will be expected to provide licenses and permits if they pertain to you, and, in certain cases, we may ask for proof of liability insurance.

Application Questions

We do not want you to have any surprises when filling it out the application. You can review our application questions and requirements below and ensure you can answer them before beginning the required electronic application.

1. You will be required to attach a product list that includes the product name, size, pricing, case quantity, and upc or product codes if applicable. To obtain low cost bar codes, please visit nationwidebarcode.com.
2. Attach an image of your product label, if applicable.
3. Minimum order amount
4. Method of shipping/delivery
5. Any shipping, fuel, or pallet charges

6. You will have the chance to share special attributes your product may have, such as certified organic, certified naturally grown, MAEAP verified, pasture raised, free-range, cage-free, no GMO feed, no antibiotics.
7. All meat suppliers will need to descript their feed and animal care practices.