

Animas River Days!

RETAIL & NON-PROFIT VENDOR APPLICATION

Animas River Days is a celebration of our community, our river, and our environment. The festival attracts over 3000 people from the Four Corners area.



This vendor agreement is for the 2026 Animas River Days, a two-day event held Saturday, May 30 and Sunday, May 31 at Santa Rita Park in Durango, CO. Vendor participation is required for both days; leaving early will impact eligibility for 2027.

Application Deadline: Tuesday, April 28, 2026

All applications will be reviewed by the Animas River Days planning committee, and you will be notified if you are accepted. Booths are available by reservation only. Be sure to reserve your booth early as there is limited space at the park.

Vendor Fees

10x10 Reserved Space - \$350 cash
10x20 Reserved Space - \$450 cash

Not-for-Profit Organizations

10x10 Reserved Space - \$75
10x20 Reserved Space - \$100

Please enter your information below:

Application Date: _____ Name of Booth: _____

Responsible Party Name: _____

Phone Number: _____ Fax Number: _____

Cell Phone (Day of Event): _____

Email: _____

Address: _____

Method of payment: Cash/Check Credit Card (add 3% for processing fees)

Credit Card #: _____ Expiration: _____

Signature: _____ CVC Code : _____

If you wish to make an in-kind donation, please contact Executive Director Ashleigh Tucker at animasriverdays@gmail.com to discuss type of donation. We don't accept food product donations and all in-kind donations must be approved by ARD Executive Director Ashleigh Tucker and/or our Board of Directors. Trade value will be based on wholesale price.

Please submit vendor application form, payment info, and sales tax licensing before April 28th by mail to Animas River Days, 360 S. Camino Del Rio #100, Durango, CO 81301 or by email at animasriverdays@gmail.com.

Please read all restrictions and requirements before submitting vendor application. If for some reason you reserve a booth and find you cannot attend Animas River Days, you must notify us before May 22, or we will keep a \$50 administration fee.

RESTRICTIONS AND REQUIREMENTS

1. Vendors must submit vendor application form, payment, and necessary documentation before the vendor application deadline: April 28, 2026. All vendor applications are subject to approval by Animas River Days' planning committee.
2. We aspire to be a 100% Zero Waste event. Please do your best to reduce the amount of trash that goes to the landfills and focus on using sustainable products that can be composted, reused and recycled.
3. The City of Durango will give instructions for set-up and break-down. Be prepared to be in the park to set up as early as 6am on Saturday, May 30th (this will be determined by the City of Durango). You will be sent instructions for setting up and breakdown the week before the festival so please check your emails regularly during that time.
4. No dogs, cats, or "pet racoons" are allowed inside festival area.
5. **All vendors must be open on Saturday, 9 am to 8 pm, and Sunday, 10 am to 4 pm. There will be overnight security on Saturday evening at Santa Rita Park.**
6. Vendors must breakdown, pack up and leave the festival ground according to the City of Durango's instructions. The festival will be completed at approximately 4pm on Sunday, May 31.
7. Vendor parking will be available, but not guaranteed, in the Santa Rita Park parking area. Please do not park in the athlete parking areas nearest to the festival entrances.
8. Vendors must be prepared for rain, snow, or shine. Easy-up tents are recommended and must be weighted with sandbags. Tent stakes and water jugs are prohibited for safety in high winds.
9. Vendors must abide by City of Durango's restrictions - including:
 - a. Weighting of each tent or canopy is required: 10x10 = 40 lbs. weight; larger than 10x10 = 80 lbs. weight, attached to each corner of the tent or canopy. Structures shall be adequately roped, braced, and anchored to withstand the elements of weather and prevent collapse.
 - b. Fire break of 12' between tents and from buildings/combustibles.
 - c. No smoking under the tent or canopy.
 - d. No open flame under tent or canopy. Portable heaters are restricted.
 - e. Hay, straw, shavings, and similar combustible materials are prohibited.
10. Vendors must pay sales tax to the state of Colorado to benefit the City of Durango. You must contact the City of Durango City Clerk for sales tax licensing (970-375-5010). Appropriate paperwork must be submitted with vending application.

Sign here to indicate agreement with these Restrictions and Requirements:

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Printed Name: _____