## **CONCESSIONS NEWS FOR 2023**

- We are going to start charging for electrical hookups again. You will see on your contracts an option to choose how many and which amperage you use. Our prices have stayed the same since 2015 with no increases, however the cost to run the fair continues to increase. We thought this was the easiest way and least expensive for everyone to make up some of the difference and it can change each year depending on electrical costs. It was important to us to make sure this change would be doable for all of our vendors, exhibitors and concessionaires.
- All spaces on the contracts have been changed to 5' increments. So, if you were a vendor that had 18' of space I bumped you to 20' etc. Also, 1' buffers are no longer going to be added onto each side of outside vendor spaces. So, if you are a vendor with a 20' tent in a 20' spot, you might want to reach out to me. This would be the time to go measure your trailers (including tongues) to make sure you have the right size space!
- There will be a \$100 fine for every vendor, and concessionaire that is not open at 8 a.m. on Saturday, Sunday, and Monday (per the President "I expect awnings open and sign of life by 8am.") Any vendor who isn't open on time, closes too early or removes their items during operating times without approval from the concessions department first will be fined \$100. If that fine isn't paid, we have the right to cancel your contract for next year.
- Last year too many passes were given out, so this year each rented space will be given 6 complimentary 1 day passes. Additional one-day passes can be purchased at the concessions office for 50% of the current price.



I think it is important to note that all changes were voted on by the board of directors.

We appreciate all of you and recognize there would be no Sandwich Fair without you.