

Soracon 2026 Exhibitor Agreement

This agreement sets out the terms under which Rain or Shine Events (ROSE) provides Exhibitor Space for Soracon 2026. The Exhibitor agrees to be bound by the terms and conditions described herein. Rain or Shine Events (ROSE) may amend this Agreement prior to execution.

1. Definitions

- 1.1. Rain or Shine Events, also referred to as ROSE means its employees, agents, representative, and the organizers of Soracon
- 1.2. "Contract" means the whole agreement between the parties, which is this Exhibitor agreement.
- 1.3. "Event" means the event entitled Soracon, occurring on October 10 to 11, 2026.
- 1.4. "Venue" means the facility or buildings hosting the Event at Conexus Arts Centre
 - 1.4.1. "Exhibitor Hall" means the area that has been designated for sale of goods and services.
 - 1.4.2. "Exhibitor Space" means the area within the Exhibitor Hall that has been allocated to the Vendor or Artist
- 1.5. "Exhibitor" means, collectively, the individual, group, representatives, or company that applied for space allocated in the Exhibition Hall as set out in this contract and each of the Exhibitor's assistants, officers, directors, employees, helpers, volunteers, staff, and/or representatives as applicable, including but not limited to, Vendor, Artists, and Industry
 - 1.5.1. "Artist" means, collectively, the Exhibitor whose merchandise, products and brand is primarily products of their making, their design and/or of their creation and is applying for an Artist table.
 - 1.5.2. "Vendor" means, collectively, the Exhibitor who is a seller of licensed merchandise and/or who may be the copyright holder of their own designs and creations and is applying for a Vendor booth.
 - 1.5.3. "Representative" or "Proxy" means someone considered authorized and capable of speaking for the Exhibitor who has entered this contract, who

will occupy the space on their behalf, and sell their products for them when they are not at the Event.

- 1.6. “Blind bags/boxes” and/or “Mystery Box/Bag” are defined as merchandise packaged in opaque packaging that you can not inspect before purchase and/or the contents are not able to be known before purchase.
- 1.7. “Fan Art” means derivative artwork created by the Artist through their own manual or creative effort that depicts or is inspired by elements from copyrighted works or popular media not owned by that artist. Artwork generated by artificial intelligence or automated systems does not qualify as Fan Art.
- 1.8. “AI Generated Content” means any work that is made through a programmed artificial intelligence that pulls data and art images from other creators’ websites and media sites to create AI content.

2. Exhibitor Hall Layout, Schedule and Loading

- 2.1. The map of the exhibitor hall is attached in Appendix A. Layouts are subject to change.
- 2.2. Exhibitors agree to the following schedule:

DATE	SETUP TIME (CST)	PUBLIC HOURS (CST)	TEARDOWN TIME (CST)
Saturday, Oct 10, 2026	6:00-10:00 AM	10:00-20:00	20:00-22:00
Sunday, Oct 11, 2026	8:00-10:00 AM	10:00-20:00	20:00-23:00

Note: Times are subject to change.

- 2.3. Exhibitors shall report to the Soracon Exhibitor team during SETUP TIME to pick up their badges. Badges must be worn and visible at all times during the Event by the Exhibitor. Any Exhibitor that fails to report to the Exhibitor team **prior to PUBLIC HOURS on Saturday, Oct 10, 2026** is considered a no-show
- 2.4. Exhibitors will ensure all their products and displays are removed from the venue no later than **Sunday, Oct 11, 2026 at 23:00 CST** and their Exhibitor Space is cleared of any trash and returned to the state in which they received it. Any fees incurred by ROSE for cleaning, removal of materials, or repair of damage caused

by the Exhibitor will be charged back to the Exhibitor and invoiced at cost plus any applicable administrative fees.

- 2.5. All products and displays must be moved within the Venue using non-marking wheeled equipment, such as suitcases or foldable carts, to ensure safety and prevent floor damage.

3. Space Options and Additional Pricing

- 3.1. The following space types are available:

SPACE	DESCRIPTION	COST
Artist Alley Table	Single Table (6'), 2 Weekend Event Passes	\$60.00 CAD
Vendor Booth	Two Tables (6'), 10x10' floor space, 2 weekend passes	\$200.00 CAD
*Additional Badge	Priced to match Event pass value before the Event OR ordered at the Event	

* Extra Badges are NOT available for Artist Alley Tables.

All Taxes and Fees are extra. **Please note, the final dimensions and layout are subject to change.**

- 3.2. Exhibitor space locations of successful Exhibitor applications will be determined by ROSE.

4. Merchandise

- 4.1. Commercial goods or services sold in the Exhibitor Hall – including but not limited to licensed products that are imported, mass-produced, or self-produced – may be sold only from Vendor Booths.
- 4.2. Adult materials are permitted for sale, provided that all such merchandise is fully covered and not visible to the general public. Exhibitors offering adult materials must ensure that the customers are at least 18 years of age and must verify proof of age. ROSE reserves the sole discretion to require further concealment of adult materials or to mandate their removal from public view and sale if deemed

inappropriate or non-compliant. Exhibitors and their Representatives must be 18 years of age or older to sell adult materials.

- 4.3. Exhibitors may not sell any weapons at any time on Venue premises, including (but are not limited to) metal weapons, training weapons, airsoft guns, and props that would otherwise violate our Props Policy.
- 4.4. Vendors may sell food or beverage items only if they cannot be consumed on site, such as coffee or tea that requires off-site preparation before consumption. Artists may not sell food or beverage items of any kind. All other consumable food or beverage products are prohibited from sale or distribution without express written permission from ROSE.
- 4.5. Pirated, bootleg, unlicensed, or otherwise illegal materials are strictly prohibited from sale or display on Event premises. Any merchandise determined by ROSE to be bootleg must be removed from the Exhibitor's Space immediately and for the remainder of the Event. Failure to comply may result in immediate ejection from the Event without refund.
- 4.6. Licensed Blind Boxes and official Gachapon are allowed at any Exhibitor Booth. Art-based Blind Boxes created and curated by exhibitors are permitted.
- 4.7. The sale of AI generated content will be prohibited in the Exhibitor Hall.
- 4.8. Fan-art merchandise may be sold only from Artist Tables. Artists must be prepared to provide proof of authorship or legitimacy of their fan-art upon request. ROSE reserves the sole and final discretion to determine the legitimacy of any fan-art merchandise at the Event.
- 4.9. Replicas of existing merchandise may not be sold at Artist Tables. This includes, but is not limited to, logos and emblems from VTuber agencies, anime, and game series such as Hololive, Pokemon, Attack on Titan.

5. Applications and Payment

- 5.1. Applications for Exhibitors will be accepted until June 15, 2026
- 5.2. Successful Vendor applicants will be selected on a first come-first serve basis and notified no later than one week after applications close. Successful Artist applicants will be selected through a reviewed-application jury and notified within the same timeframe. All unsuccessful applicants will be informed that they have been placed on a waitlist.

- 5.3. Payment for all first round successful applicants is due on July 15, 2026. Failure to meet payment deadline will result in the forfeiture of application and space allocation in the Exhibitor Hall.
- 5.4. In the event that space becomes available, waitlisted Exhibitor applicants will be notified on a first applied, first serve basis and must provide payment in accordance to the terms and conditions outlined in the notification to secure their space in the Exhibitor Hall.

6. Refunds and Cancellations

- 6.1. All Exhibitor Spaces cancelled or forfeited for any reason, including but not limited to no-show, are non-refundable. In the event of a no-show, ROSE may revoke the Exhibitor's space and resell or assign it at their sole discretion.

7. General Terms

- 7.1. ROSE assumes no liability for loss, damage, theft, or injury to Exhibitor property. All property remains under the Exhibitor's care and control, and ROSE is not a bailee
- 7.2. Exhibitors may arrange displays, furniture, merchandise, and other permitted materials within their assigned Space, provided such arrangements comply with all fire and safety regulations and do not cause damage to the Venue or any non-owned property. All items must remain within the Space prior to Exhibitor Hall opening, and standard Artist Alley table positions may not be altered. Displays exceeding 2.5m (8ft) and any hanging items require prior inspection and written approval. Exhibitors shall keep their space clean and shall not affix or attach any materials —whether by adhesive, puncture, or otherwise— to Venue surfaces, including pipe and drape or flooring, except for approved use of gaffers tape on flooring. Exhibitors are liable for all cleanup and damage costs resulting from their actions.
- 7.3. No business or person is able to hold a Vendor Booth and Artist Table simultaneously during the Event.
- 7.4. The Exhibitor Space is for the exclusive use of the Exhibitor and may not be assigned, transferred, or sublet in any manner. Exhibitor spaces may be shared.
- 7.5. Exhibitors may use audio, video, or other media broadcasting equipment only at volumes and in a manner that does not disturb others. ROSE or the Venue may

require any device to be lowered or turned off at their discretion. Live streaming, vlogging, or broadcasting from an Exhibitor Space is permitted only with prior approval from ROSE, and the Exhibitor must display a sign notifying that individuals in the space may appear on the stream or recording.

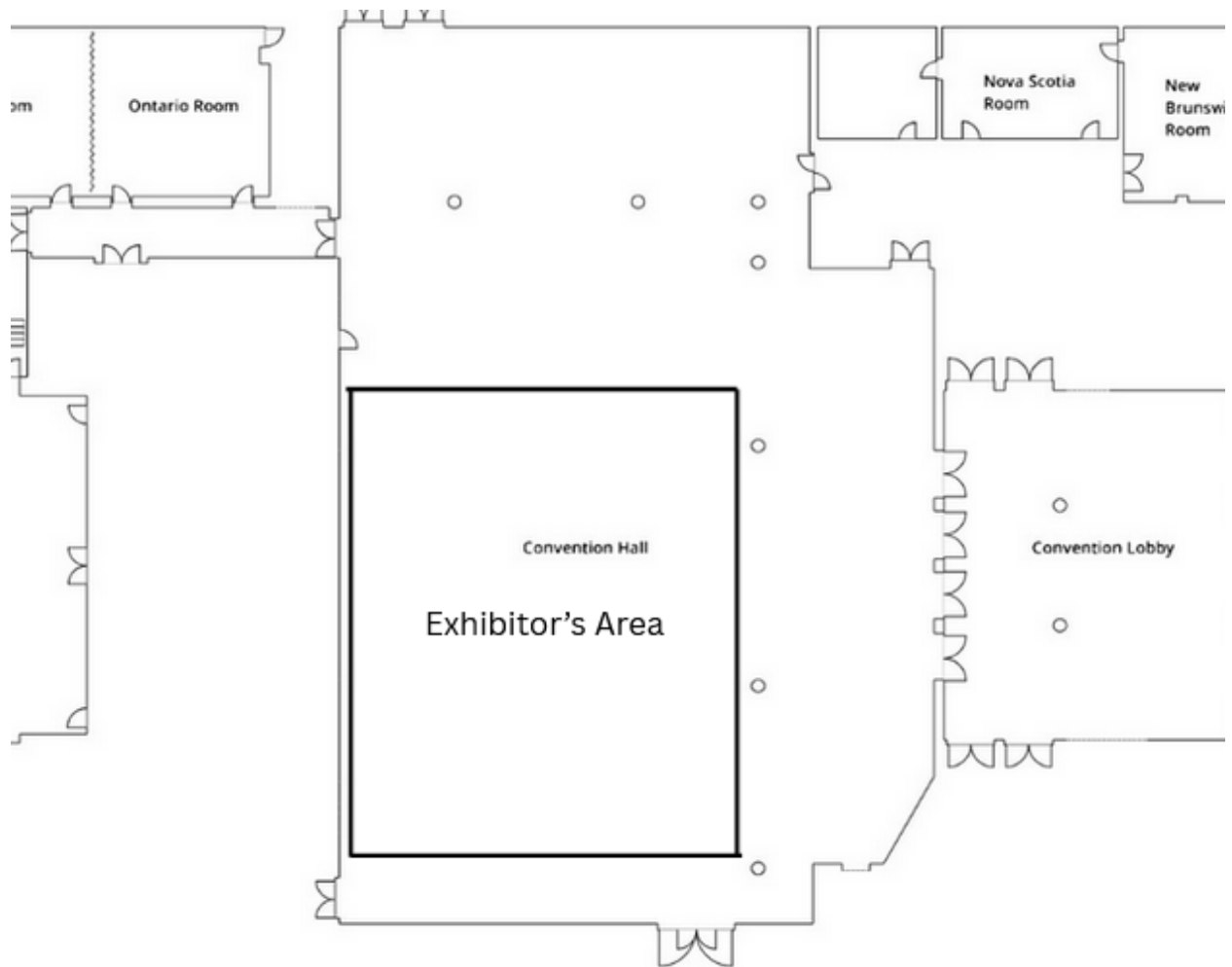
8. Limitation of Liability

The Exhibitor is solely responsible for any loss, injury, damage, or expenses arising from their actions or those of their agents, employees, or contractors, and ROSE bears no liability for attendee numbers or for any legal violations committed by the Exhibitor. ROSE may amend this Contract upon notice, or immediately if required by the Venue or governing authorities. The Exhibitor is solely responsible for obtaining and maintaining, at its own cost, all insurance necessary to conduct its business, including but not limited to general liability and property insurance. A Certificate of Insurance (COI) may be requested to confirm compliance.

9. Statutory Compliance

The Exhibitor shall comply with all applicable federal, provincial, local, and international laws and all Venue rules, and is responsible for paying all related taxes, fees, and duties. The Exhibitor must also comply with the Saskatchewan's Workers' Compensation Act and provide proof of good standing upon request.

Appendix A: Exhibitor Hall Layout



Map and Layout are subject to change