

Muslim Community Association of Ann Arbor and Vicinity

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Event Sales Policy

This is MCA's policy regarding sale of items by individuals or organizations at the masjid:

- This policy will be applicable at all events held at MCA, and within the real estate space of MCA.
- This policy is specifically regarding the sale of items, and not solicitation.
 - The difference between solicitation and sales is "bringing in service/items" that you wish to sell. In the case of solicitation, please refer to our solicitation policy.

Terms and Conditions:

- 1. Only items that are clearly determined as halal shall be allowed for sale. No sale of haraam products, such as alcohol, musical instruments and the like thereof, will be allowed.
 - For doubtful items, such as e-cigarettes, acapella musical renditions and the like thereof, an explicit permission is required from the Imam of the masjid.
 - Sale of Islamic literature will also require an explicit permission from the Imam of the masjid.
- 2. No sales shall occur within any space that is used for prayer, irrespective of the nature of the event. Sales may only occur in the hallways and outside the masjid building.
 - This is in place to protect the sanctity of a masjid and keep it far from being a marketplace.
- 3. Every individual vendor shall make a payment of the larger amount of \$10 or 10% of their sales towards MCA.
 - Any change in this price will need to be explicitly approved by the Executive Committee of the MCA.
 - For events exceeding three hours, an additional payment of \$10 is required for every three hour block if this is the larger amount.
 - Event organizer will be responsible to calculate 10% of sales.
 - Non-profit organizations or individuals with a non-profit cause are not required to make this payment.
- 4. The event organizer shall ensure that all individuals who request to have a stand will be approved on a first come first serve basis.
 - The number of vendors shall be limited by the physical space available no more than two vendors in either the brothers and sisters hallway is recommended.
 - The vendors shall make their payments to the event organizer.
 - In the case of any conflict between vendors, the event organizer will have the final say.
 Any complaints against the event organizer may be brought up by the vendor in the public comments section of an Executive Committee meeting.