

“TASTE OF VALDOSTA” VENDOR RULES

PLEASE READ

(1) TASTING CENTERS

- (A) Quota International of Valdosta, Inc. (Quota) shall provide to the Participating Restaurant an area of at least 8' by 10', depending on the availability of space. The decision regarding the availability of space shall be made by Quota and shall be binding and final.
- (B) Quota will provide to the Participating Restaurant tables for the Restaurant's reserved tasting center.
- (C) Quota will provide electricity and water in a designated area. Each Participating Restaurant must provide its own food warmers and/or refrigeration for its tasting center.
- (D) Except as otherwise provided in these Rules or in the Regulations, each Participating Restaurant shall provide all other materials and supplies necessary for the operation of its tasting center.
- (E) *All Tasting Centers shall be the same size. Please see diagram at the end.*

(2) DATE AND TIMES FOR “A TASTE OF VALDOSTA”

- (A) Each Participating Restaurant is required to operate its tasting center for this event on **Saturday, April 2, 2011, from 11:00 a.m. until 2:00 p.m. and from 5:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.**
- (B) No early closing of a Participating Restaurant's tasting center will be permitted. Each Participating Restaurant shall remove all its equipment, fixtures, inventory and other materials from the conference center immediately following the end of this event.

(3) DECORATION OF PARTICIPATING RESTAURANT'S TASTING CENTER

Each Participating Restaurant may decorate its tasting center in a manner consistent with its theme and trademarks. All decorations must be flameproofed and pass all safety inspections conducted by the designated authorities of the City of Valdosta. Quota will provide each Participating Restaurant with a sign on request. However, personalized signs bearing logos or trademarks are permitted and encouraged. No signs or other promotional items which are part of any Participating Restaurant's tasting center shall intrude substantially into aisles or walkways, or in any other manner hinder the flow of traffic through the facility for this event. *Please see the Equipment Form if you need to rent table skirts from the Conference Center.*

(4) USE OF PARTICIPATING RESTAURANT'S TASTING CENTER

The Participating Restaurant shall sell at its tasting center only those food items approved in advance by Quota. All items of food sold shall be priced in **\$.50** increments between **\$.50 and \$2.00**. The specific price of each food item sold by the Participating Restaurant shall be subject to prior approval by Quota in order to insure value and consistency of portions. Each Participating Restaurant should keep in mind that each food item is to represent a sample and not a complete

serving, and should scale portion sizes accordingly. Each Participating Restaurant shall be allowed to sell a minimum of four (4) food items.

(5) SETTING UP AND DISMANTLING TASTING CENTER/CLEANING OF COMMON AREAS

- (A) Quota shall be responsible for setting up and dismantling all tasting centers and equipment, which Quota provides to the Participating Restaurants. Each Participating Restaurant shall be responsible for setting up and removing its own equipment fixtures, inventory and other property. Valdosta-Lowndes County Conference Center shall be made available to the Participating Restaurants for decorating the tasting center on **Friday April 1, 2011 from 2:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.**
- (B) Quota will be responsible for cleaning up used serving items and other debris which accumulate in the common areas during this event.

(6) TOKENS

Quota and the Participating Restaurant will verify token receipts hourly and at the end of this event. Restaurants will be paid ½ of the token sales from their tasting center. Quota will deposit all receipts from the sale of food tokens into a Quota account at the First State Bank and Trust Co. of Valdosta, and the amount owed to each Participating Restaurant shall be paid by Quota to the said Participating Restaurant within 10 working days of the conclusion of this event.

(7) MISCELLANEOUS

- (A) Quota expressly reserves the right to approve the menu(s) to be used, the price to be charged for each item and any other activity by Participating Restaurant at its tasting center during this event.
- (B) Quota reserves the right to change the location of the Participating Restaurant's tasting without advance notice to the Participating Restaurant if Quota deems such change to be in the best interest of this event.
- (C) Each preparation area will be provided three standard tables, each approximately 2½ ' x 8'. Tasting center will consist of one table across the front and a table on each side of the front table. This tasting center will roughly appear as indicated by the following:

