

# ***The Green State Tattoo Convention, LLC***

@Double Tree Hilton, Exhibition Hall, 870 Williston Road, South Burlington, VT 05403

## **ARTIST/ATTENDEE AND ORGANIZER CONTRACT**

The Green State Tattoo Convention, LLC, herein referred to as “Organizer” and Sponsor, Vendor and Artist herein referred to as “Attendee” and “Artist”.

**Artist/Attendee responsibility:** Artist/Attendee is responsible to obtain necessary documentation, Certificate of Good Standing and Bloodborne pathogen certificate, from their home state and have it sent directly to the State of Vermont Office of Professional Regulations, **Vermont Secretary of State, Office of Professional Regulations, 128 State Street, Montpelier, VT 05633** or email directly to the State of VT OPR at [sos.oprlicensing3@vermont.gov](mailto:sos.oprlicensing3@vermont.gov). Vermont artists are submitting their current license and Bloodborne pathogen certificate along with this contract to the Green State Tattoo Convention organizer at email below.

If you have any questions, please reach out to us at [greenstatetattooconvention@gmail.com](mailto:greenstatetattooconvention@gmail.com).

**Exhibition Hall Hours:** The exhibition hall will open to the public between 10am – 9pm on Friday August 1st and Saturday August 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2025, and 11am – 7pm on Sunday August 3rd, 2025. The hall will be closed and secured each night at closing with no access until the following morning at 9am.

**Exhibition Hall Set-Up:** Access into the convention hall will be available on Thursday July 31, 2025, from 6pm to 9pm for individual set up. Access to the exhibition hall will also be available on Friday August 1st, from 8am – 10am.

**Artist/Attendee Storage:** Organizer assumes no responsibility for stored items or valuables and does not provide crates on site. Artist/Attendees oversee receiving their own deliveries. The Organizer cannot accept deliveries for any artist/attendees.

**Artist/Attendee badges:** Each booth will be issued 2 artist badges and 2 additional non-tattooer badges. One contract can be used for up to 4 tattoo artists from the same shop; all four artists need to sign this contract, and the number of booths needs to be indicated on page 4 of this contract. If you or someone from your booth is caught sharing badges, you will be removed from the event and your shop booth will be closed for the remainder of the event with no refunds. You are required to wear the event badge for the entire time of the event, during event hours.

**Alcohol and drugs:** Alcohol and/or drugs are NOT allowed in the Exhibition Hall or in the booths. No exceptions.

**Identification and Artist/Client rules:** Legal age requirement for tattooing is 18 and will be strictly enforced. No work will be performed on any individual under the age of 18 or any individual without proper identification. All body private areas must be covered. Privacy screens will be provided as needed.

**Sterilization procedures:** All needles must be single-use and disposed of in the biohazard sharp container after use. All artists must use disposable tubes/cartridges.

**Artist/Client health-related information:** Please supply each client with a consent form and an after-care sheet (both will be provided to you) and make sure the client understands it. NO alcohol is allowed in any of the booths. The responsibility is on the artist that NO client should receive body art if they are intoxicated.

**Workstation requirements:** Anyone not being tattooed is prohibited from being inside the booth due to cross contamination. All tattoos performed at the convention must be bandaged prior to the client leaving the booth. Bandages may be removed for the purpose of entering the Tattoo contest but should only be done with the assistance of the artist.

**Cleaning:** Artist/Attendee must keep booth space clean and presentable. Trash cans need to be placed at the front of the booth at closing time for removal by hotel maintenance personnel.

**Rights of convention organizer:** The organizer has the final authority to the location of artist/attendee spaces. Organizers reserve the right to stop or remove from the convention any artist/attendee, their representative/s or guest/s, performing any act/practice that is objectionable or deters from the purpose of the convention, all in the opinion of the organizer.

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**Advertising agreement:** The artist/attendee authorizes the organizer to publish the name and logo in the following included but not limited to banners, posters, flyers, announcements, newspaper articles, pamphlets, backdrop, main stage, social media platforms, video and audio recordings, and other marketing materials which the organizer chooses to publish.

**Terms and conditions:** This agreement is not binding until accepted by the organizer. Artist/Attendee is not entitled to occupy artist/attendee booth unless the rental fee has been **paid in full**. This agreement cannot be reassigned by the artist/attendee. Payment in full of the chosen booth rental fee is due upon signing of this contract. There will be no refunds for failure to meet this deadline, or for unoccupied space rented. The organizer has full power to interpret and enforce all rules contained in this agreement and the power to make amendments and enact further conditions of the agreement as it will be considered necessary for the proper conduct of the convention. Artist/Attendee will not be entitled to recover from the organizer any consequential damage to property, or loss of use, loss of time, loss of profits, or loss of income that may arise out of organizer enforcement of the terms and conditions of this contract.

**Indemnifications:** Artist/Attendee agrees it will indemnify, hold and save organizer whole and harmless from and against all claims, demands, actions, damages, loss, cost, liabilities, expenses and judgments recovered from or asserted against organizer on account of injury of damage to person or property to the extent that any such damage of injury may be incident to, arise out of, or be caused, either proximately or remotely, wholly or in part, by an act, omission, negligence or misconduct on the part of the artist/attendee or any of its agents, employees, contractors, patrons, guests, licensees or invitees of any law, ordinance or governmental order of any kind, or when any such injury or damage may in any other way arise from or out of the use by artist/attendee, its agents, employees, contractors, patrons, guests, licensees or invitees of the booth space rented hereunder. Such indemnification of organizer by artist/attendee will be effective unless such damage of injury may result from the sole negligence, gross negligence or willful misconduct of organizer artist/attendee covenants and agrees that in case organizer will be made party to any litigation commenced by or against artist/attendee or relating to this agreement or to the booth space hereunder, then artist/attendee will pay for all costs and expenses, including reasonable attorney fees and court costs, incurred by or imposed upon organizer by virtue or any such litigation.

**Property damage:** Organizer will not be responsible for any loss or damage to property of any party hereto including but not limited to loss or damage due to theft, fire, smoke, acts of nature, strikes, national emergency, public enemy, riot, civil commotion or other insurable hereto with respect to any loss or damage. It is the responsibility of the artist/attendee, respectively, to secure their own insurance or otherwise protect themselves and their property against any such loss of damage.

**Unavailability of booth space:** In the event that the booth space or any portion thereof is not available for occupancy upon commencement or during the term of this agreement due to fire, casualty, acts of nature, strikes, national emergency, or any other cause beyond control of organizer, this agreement and obligation of organizer and artist/attendee hereunder will terminate, and artist/attendee hereby waives any claim against organizer for damages by reason of such termination provided, however, that any unearned portion of the rent fee due hereunder will abate, or, if In the event the convention is rescheduled to a later date the artist/attendee cost will be transferred to the new event date.

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## Artist/Attendee Information

Shop name/Vendor name	Primary contact
Street Address	City, State, ZIP
Phone	Email
Artist name	Instagram handle
Artist name	Instagram handle
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### Check which applies to you:

Tattoo Artist      Body Piercer      Sponsor      Food Vendor/Truck      Vendor      Performing Artist

### Products or Services you will offer:

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**Each single booth is 8' x 8' and it includes: 2 tables, 4 chairs, 1 sharps container, 1 trash bin**

Artist single booth 8'x 8'      \$500x \_\_\_\_\_ = \_\_\_\_\_

Artist double booth 16'x 8'      \$900x \_\_\_\_\_ = \_\_\_\_\_

Supplier booth 8'x 8'      \$500x \_\_\_\_\_ = \_\_\_\_\_

Vendor booth 8'x 8'      \$500x \_\_\_\_\_ = \_\_\_\_\_

**Total Due: \$** \_\_\_\_\_

**Payments accepted through PayPal-Use email: [greenstatetattooconvention@gmail.com](mailto:greenstatetattooconvention@gmail.com)**

## **ALL SALES ARE FINAL/NO REFUNDS**

### **Authorized signature (read, print name & sign):**

The Green State Tattoo convention or organizer, and sponsor/ vendor/ artist herein refer to as attendee/ artist. By signing below, I hereby acknowledge that I have read, understand, and agree to be bound by the general terms, organizer/attendee/artist contract agreement and conditions set forth on the attached pages of this application, and the rules and regulations for attendees/artists of this contract which are legal and binding in the state where it was written. I further acknowledge that failure to abide by The Green State Tattoo convention rules may result in the loss of my attendee/artist privileges without recourse or refund. By signing below, you agree to all The Green State Tattoo convention agents and representatives contact you by phone fax and e-mail with information and special offers regarding The Green State Tattoo convention and its shows, services and products. **This application shall not be a binding contract until this page of the application has been signed by both the attendee/ artist and an authorized representative of The Green State Tattoo convention.**

**Print name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

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**TGSTC:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_