

### WELCOME TO HARD HAT EXPO

Great Lakes Expo Services has been chosen as the official Decorator and Service Contractor for the Hard Hat Expo to be held March 18–19, 2026 at the NY State Fairgrounds Exposition Center in Syracuse, NY. In this packet we have enclosed our forms regarding services and equipment that you may require for your booth. We have also included additional forms offered by different companies for services that Great Lakes Expo services does not provide. Please submit the additional vendor orders to the contact information provided on each form.

### THE FOLLOWING EQUIPMENT IS INCLUDED WITH YOUR BOOTH

### 10 X 10 BOOTHS

8' HIGH BACKDRAPE-RED/WHITE 3' HIGH SIDE CURTAINS-RED

1- 6' SKIRTED TABLE

*2- SIDE CHAIRS* 

1- WASTEBASKET

1- 6.5" x 19" BOOTH ID SIGN

### **FLOOR SPACES**

1- 6' SKIRTED TABLE 2- SIDE CHAIRS 1- WASTEBASKET

1- 6.5" x 19" BOOTH ID SIGN

### \*\*EXHIBIT HALLS ARE NOT CARPETED\*\*

### **MOVE – IN DATES & TIMES**

### 10 X 10 BOOTHS

TUESDAY

MARCH 17, 2026

9:00AM -5:00PM

### **FLOOR SPACES**

SHOW MANAGEMENT WILL CONTACT YOU REGARDING MOVE IN DATE AND TIME

### SHOW DATES & TIMES

WEDNESDAY THURSDAY MARCH 18, 2026 MARCH 19, 2026 9:00AM - 4:00PM 8:00AM - 3:00PM

### **MOVE - OUT DATES & TIMES**

**THURSDAY** 

MARCH 19, 2026

3:00PM - 6:00PM

The entire hall must be cleared by **6:00 P.M.** on **MARCH 19, 2026** to assure this, please notify your carrier to check in at the **NY State Fairgrounds** by **5:00 P.M.** on **MARCH 19, 2026** to guarantee pick – up. If your carrier has not checked in by **5:00 P.M.**, your materials will be rerouted back to our warehouse with a fee. To avoid this, please make the necessary arrangements.

### IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS, PLEASE CONTACT EXHIBITOR SERVICES

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Great Lakes Expo Services would like to make your ordering process a simple one. Complete all of the necessary forms for the services your company will require.

Be sure to make note of the ADVANCE ORDER DEADLINE DATE: MARCH 6, 2026 located at the top of each form. To qualify for advanced pricing, order forms and payment must be returned to Great Lakes Expo Services by the specified date. NO EXCEPTIONS WILL BE MADE.

Please use the following guidelines when placing your order:

- ♦ Complete all the necessary Great Lakes Expo Services and calculate the cost of each order. Record the cost at the bottom of each form.
- Complete the Method of Payment form and submit with all orders. Payment can be made in the form of cash, check, credit card or third-party payment. Purchase orders are not a form of payment.
- Complete the Order Forms Recap sheet. Be sure to include the applicable sales tax.
- ♦ Cancellations: There are NO refunds for items that have already been delivered to your booth. All cancellations for booth furnishings must be made at least 2 days prior to exhibitor move-in. For labor cancellations there is a one hour, one person charge applied to all orders that are not cancelled 24 hours prior to scheduled start time. This applies to both Exhibitor and Great Lakes Expo Services supervision.
- ♦ Mail, email or fax your order forms to us. Be sure to photocopy a set for your files.
- ♦ If your order is **tax exempt**, please forward a copy of your tax-exempt certificate with your order. Your exemption MUST be issued in the state the show takes place in.
- ♦ All material and equipment remain the sole property of Great Lakes Expo Services and are considered on a rental basis for the duration of the show. Pricing includes delivery, installation, and removal from your booth.
- ♦ If a color selection is not made on rental materials prior to the show, Great Lakes Expo Services reserves the right to provide you with show colors.
- Great Lakes Expo Services is not responsible for injuries or falls caused by the improper use of furniture. If assistance is required assembling your booth, please complete the Installation & Dismantle Order Form.

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SHOW has selected Great Lakes Expo Services Company as the Exclusive Service Contractor. If your company plans to use a firm who is not an Exclusive Contractor, i.e., Great Lakes Expo Services, please complete this form and mail it to the address listed below.

EXHIBITING C	COMPANY INFORMA	ATION	
EXHIBITING CO. NAME:		BOOTH #:	
SHOW SITE CONTACT:			
SERVICE CON	TRACTOR INFORM	ATION	
SERVICE CONTRACTOR:			
ADDRESS:			
<i>CITY:</i>	STATE:	ZIP:	
PHONE #:	FAX #:		
TYPE OF SERVICE TO BE PERFORMEN	D:		

### EXHIBITOR'S RESPONSIBILITIES

- ♦ It is your responsibility to inform your Service Contractor that they are required to send a copy of their General Liability Insurance Certificate no later than 30 days prior to show date. If the Contractor fails to do so, they will not be permitted to service your exhibit.
- ♦ It is the responsibility of the exhibitor to see that each representative of the Service Contractor abides by the official rules and regulations of this event.
- ◆ This form must be returned to Great Lakes Expo Services no later than MARCH 6, 2026.

RETURN TO: Great Lakes Expo Services 828 East Ferry Street Buffalo, NY 14211

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Syracuse, New York

COMPANY NAME:	BOOTH #:
ADDRESS:	
CITY:	STATE: ZIP:
CONTACT:	PHONE #:
E-MAIL:	FAX#:
Lakes Expo Services. This Credit Card can be used as authorization signature. If you fail to provide payment	file if you will be using any services provided by Great payment for all services if you include the cardholder's at on your invoice at the close of the show, Great Lakes tining balances to this credit card. Please be sure to
AMEX MAST	TERCARDVISA
PERSONAL CARD	COMPANY CARD
ACCOUNT #:	CVC:
AUTHORIZATION SIGNATURE:	
CARDHOLDERS NAME:	
CARDHOLDERS BILLING ADDRESS:	
CITY:	STATE:ZIP:
FORM OF	PAYMENT
Please indicate your form of payment:  *FOR THIRD PARTY PLEASE USE THE FOLLOWING THI	IRD_PARTY PAYMENT FORM

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### **COMPANY CHECK**

CREDIT CARD

FILL IN ABOVE INFORMATION

CHECK NUMBER:

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO Great Lakes Expo Services

\*Checks Must Be In US Funds.

\*A \$35.00 CHARGE WILL BE APPLIED FOR ALL RETURNED CHECKS.

### **PAYMENT TERMS & CONDITIONS**

- Full Payment, including applicable sales tax is due in full with advance orders and/or at show site for onsite orders. Purchase orders are not considered payment.
- ♦ Unpaid balances: Should there be any pre-approved unpaid balances after the close of the show, terms will be due upon receipt of invoice. Effective 30 days after invoice date a 2.0% finance charge will be applied. Annual rate of 24%.
- ♦ Adjustment: It is the exhibitor's responsibility to bring any discrepancies for services provided and/or listed on an invoice to the attention of a Great Lakes Expo Services, Exhibitor Service Representative before the close of the show. Discrepancies after the show will not be honored.

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### THIRD PARTY TERMS

Great Lakes Expo Services (GLE) will accept payment from third parties and present invoices at show site for payment provided the following conditions are met:

- The third-party payment information completed below must be acceptable to GLE. Also, the credit card information below must be submitted to GLE as a deposit prior to the show. All invoices must be reviewed by the third party on show site. No adjustment will be made after the show closes.
- The exhibitor must name items to be billed to the third party. If there is any doubt who is to be invoiced for a service, the exhibiting company will be invoiced. The exhibiting company is ultimately responsible for the payment of all charges. In the event that the named third party does not provide payment of the invoice prior to the last day of the show, charges will revert to the exhibiting company.
- The following form is to be completed, signed and returned by both parties by the deadline date indicated at the top of this page. Otherwise, the request will be denied. (GLE reserves the right to deny Third Party Payment terms to any party.

	<b>EXHIBI</b>	TING COMPAI	VY INFORN	<i>IATION</i>	
	VAME:				,
CONTACT:			PH	ONE #:	
	THIRD PAI	RTY COMPA	NY INFO	RMATION	
THIRD PARTY CO	. NAME:				
CONTACT:			PHO	ONE #:	
<i>EMAIL</i> :			FA	X #:	
ADDRESS:					
<i>CITY:</i>		STATE:	ZIP:		
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CARDHOLDERS'S	NAME:				
AUTHORIZATION	SIGNATURE:				
CARDHOLDERS'S	ADDRESS:				
<i>CITY:</i>			STATE:	ZIP:	

ORDER FORM RECAP

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THIS FORM MUST ACCOMPANY THE METHOD OF PAYMENT FORM

CONTACT:	PHONE #:
RECAP OF SERVICI Payment is due upo	
<u>Taxable Items:</u>	<u>Order Totals:</u>
Furniture & Skirting	\$
Additional Items	<i>S</i>
Carpet	<i>\$</i>
Special Signs	<i>\$</i>
Installation Labor & Equipment	\$
Dismantle Equipment Only	\$
Taxab	ble Subtotal: \$
8.00 % NY S	State Sales Tax: \$
◆ If your order is tax exempt, please forward a c your order for the state in which services will b	
	able Total: \$
Non-Taxable Items:	Order Totals:
Dismantle Labor Only	<i>\$</i>
Material Handling	\$
Non-Taxa	ble Total: \$
Gran	nd Total:

COMPANY: BOOTH #:

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SKIRTED DISPLAY TABLES 30" HIGH BY 24" WIDE           CIRCLE COLOR: BLACK GRAY         BLUE BURGUNDY         RED TEAL         WHITE GREEN GOLD           QTY         ITEM         ADVANCE PRICE DEADLINE         AFTER TOTAL           — 4' Skirted         88.00         109.00         —           — 6' Skirted         104.00         129.00         —           — 8' Skirted         121.00         150.00         —           — 4TH Side Skirted         33.00         45.00         —           SKIRTED DISPLAY TABLES 42" HIGH BY 24" WIDE	
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PRICE DEADLINE  4' Skirted 88.00 109.00  6' Skirted 104.00 129.00  8' Skirted 121.00 150.00  4''H Side Skirted 33.00 45.00	
SKIRTED DISPLAY TABLES 42" HIGH BY 24" WIDE	
CIRCLE COLOR: BLACK BLUE RED WHITE GREEN GRAY BURGUNDY TEAL PURPLE GOLD	
QTY       ITEM       ADVANCE PRICE       AFTER DEADLINE          4' Skirted       115.50       140.00          6' Skirted       127.00       158.00          8' Skirted       143.00       180.00         4"H Side Skirted       33.00       45.00	
CHAIRS ROUND TABLES	
QTY         ITEM         ADVANCE PRICE DEADLINE         AFTER TOTAL         QTY ITEM         ADVANCE PRICE DEADLINE         AFTER TOTAL           Folding Chair         11.00         14.00          3' Unskirted         46.00         58.00            Armchair         46.00         58.00          3' Skirted         96.00         108.00            Bar Stool w/ Back         49.00         61.00          4' Skirted         104.00         116.00            42" High Cocktail         90.00         118.00          w/ black spandex cover	
UNSKIRTED 30"HIGH TABLES UNSKIRTED 42"HIGH TABLES	
QTY         ITEM         ADVANCE         AFTER         TOTAL         QTY         ITEM         ADVANCE         AFTER         TOTAL           PRICE         DEADLINE         PRICE         DEADLINE           4'         51.00         61.00         4'         62.00         72.00	
TABLE SKIRTS ONLY SPECIAL DRAPING	
CIRCLE COLOR:         BLACK         BLUE         RED         WHITE         GREEN           QTY         ITEM         ADVANCE         AFTER         TOTAL         QTY         ITEM         ADVANCE         AFTER         TOTAL           PRICE         DEADLINE         PRICE         DEADLINE           30"H         67.00         84.00         3'H SIDE DRAPE         7.00 LF.         8.00 LF           42"H         67.00         84.00         84.00         8'H BACK DRAPE         10.00 LF.         11.00LF	

ADDITIONAL ITEMS

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COMPA	NY:		BOOTH #:	·
CONTAC	CT:		PHONE #:	
	ACCES	SORIES		
QTY	DESCRIPTION	ADVANCE PRICE	AFTER DEADLINE	TOTAL
	Wastebasket	\$ 14.00	\$ 17.00	
	Bag stand	\$ 35.00	\$ 45.00	
	Easel	\$ 28.00	\$ 38.00	
	22" x 28" Sign Frame	\$ 48.00	\$ 58.00	-
	Free Standing Literature Stand	\$ 50.00	\$ 60.00	-
	Stackable Bookcase (27" wide x 11" deep x 37"high)	\$41.00		
	Chrome Stanchion	\$ 40.00	\$ 50.00	
	Roping (8' Sections)	\$ 40.00	\$ 50.00 \$ 50.00	
	Roping (o Sections)	\$ 40.00	\$ 50.00	
	4' Draped Table Riser	\$40.00	\$50.00	
	6' Draped Table Riser	\$45.00	\$55.00	
	CIRCLE COLOR: <b>Black Blue red</b>		GRAY BURGUNDY	GOLD
	PEGBOARD	S & TACKBOAR	DS	
QTY	DESCRIPTION	ADVANCE	AFTER	TOTA
QTY	DESCRIPTION	ADVANCE PRICE	AFTER DEADLINE	TOTAL
QTY	DESCRIPTION  4' x 8' Horizontal Pegboard			TOTA
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<i>QTY</i>	4' x 8' Horizontal Pegboard	PRICE \$ 136.00	DEADLINE \$ 165.00	<i>TOTAI</i>
<i>QTY</i>	4' x 8' Horizontal Pegboard 4' x 8' Horizontal Tackboard	PRICE \$ 136.00 \$ 136.00	DEADLINE \$ 165.00 \$ 165.00	
<i>QTY</i>	4' x 8' Horizontal Pegboard 4' x 8' Horizontal Tackboard 3' x 8' Vertical Pegboard	PRICE \$ 136.00 \$ 136.00 \$ 127.00	DEADLINE \$ 165.00 \$ 165.00 \$ 167.00	

Additional Items Total = \$\_\_\_\_\_ Taxable Service
Please enter total on Order Form Recap Sheet

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COMPANY:						
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	Your	r carpet order ca	nnot be process	sed without a	color select	ion.
CIRCLE C	OLOR CHOICE	<i>:</i> :				
	BLUE	GRAY	BLACK	HUNTER G	<i>REEN</i>	RED
QTY	ITEM	ADVA. PRIC		AFTEI DEAD		TOTAL
	9'X10'	12	1.00	145.00		
	9'X20'		4.00	278.00		
	9' X 30' 9' X 40'		7.00 9.00	411.00 545.00		
CIRCLE C	COLOR CHOICE BLUE	ices include Matchin E: GRAY	BLACK		ER GREEN	RED
		ADV PRI	/ANCE ICE		FTER ADLINE	TOTAL
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Plastic Co	vering:ft. x	:ft. =s	q. ft. x \$.45 sq.	ft. OR	\$.55 sq. ft	=
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FULL	COLOR DI	GITAL SIGN SIZE	ES QUO	OTED ON REQ	QUEST
QTY	SIZE	ADVANCI PRICE	E	AFTER DEADLINE	TOTAL
	7" X 11' 7" X 44' 11" X 14' 11" X 44' 14" X 22' 14" X 44' 22" X 28' 28" X 44'	, , , ,			
Banner Step Stake Retractable I	Banner	Quoted on request Quoted on request Quoted on request	(	Sign-a-cade Cutouts Floor Stickers	Quoted on request Quoted on request Quoted on request
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Choose subs	trate (check	one) Cora Plast_		Foam Core	

Special Signs Total = \$\_\_\_\_\_ Taxable Service
Please enter total on Order Form Recap Sheet

# Attention Exhibitors Need Graphics?



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COMPANY:	COMPANY:BO				OTH #:	
CONTACT:				PHONE #:		
		LABOR F	FUNCTIONS & RATE	ES		
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hours prio INS Exhibits are installed	r to scheduled st STALLATION & d prior to Exhibitor & D Supervisor. V	art time. This  DISMANTLE  's arrival and di  When requesting t	applies to both Exhib  WITH GREAT LAK  smantled after Exhibitor  this service, send set-up i  plus 30% Supervision Cl	itor and Great Lake, ES EXPO SUPERV 's departure under the instructions and packing	s supervision. ISION direction of Great Lake. g list.	
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	Installation & Dis				f:	

SHIPMENT/LABOR SUPERVISION

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COMPANY:	BOOTH #:					
CONTACT:	FAX#:					
PHONE #:	NONE #:WEEKEND/AFTER HOURS PHONE #:					
	INBOUND SHIPPING INFOR	MATION				
Shipment 1:						
<i>Carrier:</i>	Arrival Date:	No. of Pieces				
Weight:	Pro Number:					
Shipment 2:						
	A-minal Data	Ma af Diana				
Carrier:	Arrival Date:	No. of Pieces				
Weight:	Pro Number:					
Shipment 3:						
•	Arrival Date:	No. of Pieces				
Weight:	Pro Number:					
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	OUTBOUND SHIPPING INFO	DRMATION				
Consigned to:						
Attention:		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·				
Address.						
City:	State:	Zip:				
Method of shipping:	State:  Next Day	$\bigcirc$ $2^{nd}$ Day $\bigcirc$ Deferred				
○ Mote	or Freight O Van Line	Other				
Number of pieces:	Weight:					
Carrier:						

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To insure that Great Lakes Expo Services Company accepts and delivers your freight please adhere to the Advance or Direct shipping instructions provided in this Exhibitor Manual.

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COMPANY:	BOOTH #:		
CONTACT:	PHONE #:		
	MATERIAL HANDLING RATES		
For a	omplete information, descriptions, and rates, please refer to the		
TOT C	Advance or Direct Shipment forms.		
Plagra ha gu	vare of the Exhibitor move in and move out times and make note of any		
i tease be an	additional charges that may be applied for overtime.		
	SHIPPING ARRANGEMENTS		
	How to calculate your order:		
	When recording your weight, round up to the next 100 lbs.		
	Example: We will ship 265 lbs. (round up to 300 lbs.)		
	300 lbs. x RATE per cwt. = \$ Dollars		
	300 tos. A MITE per ewi.		
***FREIGI	HT WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED WITHOUT PRIOR PAYMENT***		
ADVANCE SH	IPMENTS:		
	lbs. @_\$90.00 per cwt. (100 lbs.)=\$(minimum of \$180.00)		
	wrive after $\underline{MARCH 6, 2026}$ :lbs @\\$30.00_per cwt =\\$(min ber shipment plus advanced rate)		
DIRECT SHIP.	MENTS:		
	lbs. $\$90.00$ per cwt. $(100 \text{ lbs.}) = \$$ (minimum of $\$180.00$ )		
FREIGHT SHI	PPED BACK TO WAREHOUSE UPON SHOW CLOSING FOR		
	K UP: Reminder you must schedule your carrier to pick up your		
	arehouse between 8:00AM-4:00PM		
	\$60.00 per cwt. (100 lbs.)=\$ (minimum of \$120.00)		
ALL	SHIPMENTS ARE CHARGED A MINIMUM OF 200 LBS.		
AL	L MATERIAL HANDLING CHARGES MUST BE PREPAID		
We understand	your calculation may only be an estimate. Invoicing will be done from		
	nt as listed on the inbound bills of lading. Adjustments will be made		
accordingly. If	you have any questions about material handling, please contact our		

Non - Taxable Service

Exhibitor Services Department

Material Handling Total = \$

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### ADVANCE WAREHOUSE MATERIAL HANDLING SERVICES

### RATES INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING:

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- ♦ *Unloading of crated material*
- ♦ Storage at warehouse for up to 30 days
- ♦ *Delivery to your booth at show site*
- ♦ Storage and return of empty containers
- Reloading of material on to your carrier at the close of the show

### ADVANCE WAREHOUSE SHIPPING INSTRUCTIONS

- ♦ All shipments must arrive to the advance warehouse by MARCH 6, 2026 If your shipment arrives after this date you will be charged an additional late fee (rate listed below). There are no exceptions to this fee!
- ♦ The absolute latest date for shipments to arrive to the advance warehouse is MARCH 13, 2026 with late fee applied. Any shipments sent to the advance warehouse after MARCH 13, 2026 will not be accepted, please follow deadline dates above.
  - Shipping hours are Monday Friday 8:00 A.M. 4:00 P.M. (Straight Time) at the warehouse. No shipments will be accepted on weekends or holidays.
- ♦ Mandatory Documentation: Shipments received without receipts, freight bills or specified unit counts on the receipts or freight bills, such as UPS, DHL and FedEx, will be delivered to the exhibitor's booth without guarantee of the piece count or condition. Great Lakes Expo Services Company will assume no liability for such shipments.
- Insurance: Be sure your materials are insured from the time they leave your company until they are returned after the show. It is suggested that exhibitors arrange all risk coverage, "riders" to existing policies can usually do this. Great Lakes Expo Services Company is not responsible for the security of items after they are delivered to each booth or until they are picked up at each booth for reloading at the close of the show. Please take all necessary precautions.

### ADVANCE WAREHOUSE SHIPPING INFORMATION

### LABEL EACH CRATE OR PACKAGE AS FOLLOWS:

TO: (EXHIBITING COMPANY NAME & BOOTH NUMBER)
FOR: HARD HAT EXPO 2026
C/O GREAT LAKES EXPO SERVICES
825 EAST FERRY STREET
BUFFALO, NY 14211
585-458-2200

## ADVANCE WAREHOUSE RATES ALL SHIPMENTS ARE CHARGED A MINIMUM OF 200 LBS.

**ADVANCE CRATED SHIPMENT**: Arriving on or before deadline date. Each shipment is considered separately. No cumulative weights will be allowed.

**Rate:** \$ 90.00 per cwt. (100lbs.)

Minimum charge of 200 lbs. totaling \$180.00

ADVANCE CRATED SHIPMENTS ARRIVING AFTER DEADLINE OF MARCH 6, 2026:

Advance rate plus additional \$30.00 per cwt. (100 lbs)

FREIGHT LOADING /UNLOADING ON OVERTIME HOURS: Advance rate plus additional \$35.00 per cwt. Overtime includes Monday – Friday 4:00 P.M. and beyond, Saturday, Sunday, Holidays

FREIGHT SHIPPED BACK TO WAREHOUSE UPON SHOW CLOSING: \$60.00 per cwt. (minimum \$120.00)

\*\*FREIGHT ARRIVING AT THE WAREHOUSE AFTER THE SHOW OPENS WILL BE REFUSED!

ADVANCE SHIPPING LABELS

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PLEASE AFFIX THESE LABELS TO ALL ITEMS BEING SENT TO THE ADVANCE WAREHOUSE \*Shipments will be refused if payment information is not sent in prior to arrival!

Deliveries must arrive on or before MARCH 6, 2026 to avoid surcharges.

BOOTH:

FOR:

HARD HAT EXPO 2026

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### DIRECT MATERIAL HANDLING SERVICES

### **RATES INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING:**

- Unloading material at convention facility and delivery to your booth
- Storage and return of empty containers at the close of the show. Due to Fire Marshall Regulations, empties may be stored outdoors.
- Reloading of material on to your carrier at the close of the show

### **DIRECT SHIPPING INSTRUCTIONS**

- Shipments will only be received during the move in period, MARCH 17, 2026. As an exhibitor it is your responsibility to instruct your carrier of the proper date for direct deliveries to the convention facility. Any shipments arriving prior to the first day of move in will be refused and returned to the local trucking terminal.
- Mandatory Documentation: Shipments received without receipts, freight bills or specified unit counts on the receipts or freight bills, such as UPS, DHL and FedEx, will be delivered to the exhibitor's booth without guarantee of the piece count or condition. Great Lakes Expo Services will assume no liability for such shipments. Weight tickets or bills of lading indicating weight must accompany all freight. Failure to have proper weight certification will delay unloading. Great Lakes Expo Services reserves the right to estimate the weight of a shipment if no certification is presented upon the time of delivery Invoicing will be based upon this estimate. The appropriate paperwork must be presented to GLE before the close of the show or the estimate will serve as the billing weight. The driver's signature on the show site receiving reports will verify the total piece count and weight.
- Insurance: Be sure your materials are insured from the time they leave your company until they are returned after the show. It is suggested that exhibitors arrange all risk coverage, "riders" to existing policies can usually do this. Great Lakes Expo Services is not responsible for the security of items after they are delivered to each booth or until they are picked up at each booth for reloading at the close of the show. Please take all necessary precautions.

### **DIRECT SHIPPING INFORMATION**

### LABEL EACH CRATE OR PACKAGE AS FOLLOWS:

TO: (EXHIBITING COMPANY NAME & BOOTH NUMBER)
FOR: HARD HAT EXPO 2026
GREAT LAKES EXPO SERVICES
C/O NEW YORK STATE FAIRGROUNDS
581 STATE FAIR BOULEVARD
SYRACUSE, NY 13209
315-487-7711

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FREIGHT THAT ARRIVES AFTER THE SHOW OPENS: Direct rate plus additional \$ 25.00 per cwt.

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### PLEASE AFFIX THESE LABELS TO ALL ITEMS BEING SENT TO NYS FAIRGROUNDS EXPOSITION CTR

\*Please complete the method of payment form prior to the show as freight WILL NOT be released if payment information has not been completed!

*TO*:

**BOOTH:** 

FOR:

HARD HAT EXPO 2026 NYS FAIRGROUNDS EXPOSITION CTR 581 STATE FAIR BLVD. SYRACUSE, NY 13209

DIRECT SHIPMENTS WILL ONLY BE ACCEPTED DURING THE MOVE IN

**DATE: MARCH 17, 2026** 

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The consignment or delivery of shipments to Great Lakes Expo Services by an exhibitor, or by any shipper to/or on behalf of the exhibitor, shall be construed as an acceptance by such exhibitor (and/or other shipper) of the terms and conditions set forth below

### **INSURANCE**

Great Lakes Expo Services is not an insurer, the exhibitor should obtain insurance. It is suggested that exhibitors arrange all risk coverage. This can be done by endorsements to existing policies. Exhibitor's materials should be insured from the time they leave their firm until they are returned after the closing of the show. Please indicate in the space below what your Exhibition Booth Insurance plans are for this event:

MANDATORY INSURANCE NOTIFICATION

PLEASE RETURN TO GREAT LAKES EXPO SERVICES				
COMPANY:	CONTACT:	BOOTH #:		
SHOW NAME: HARD HAT EX	TPO 2026			
WE HAVE CHOSEN THE FOLLOWING AS OUR INSURANCE COVERAGE (CHOOSE ONE)				
SELF – INSURED (INCLUDE COMPANY NAME):				
OTHER (INCLUDE COMPANY	NAMF).			

- 1. Great Lakes Expo Services and its subcontractors shall not be responsible for damage or loss resulting from any act of the exhibitor or any shipper, including, but not limited to, improper packing or loading of materials, neglect to describe materials sufficiently, and neglect to mark materials properly.
- 2. Great Lakes Expo Services and its subcontractors shall not be responsible for damage to/or loss of uncrated materials, or damage concealed from Great Lakes Expo Services.
- 3. There may be a period of time between the delivery of the materials to the exhibitor's booth by Great Lakes Expo Services and the arrival at the booth of a representative during which the materials will be left unattended. Great Lakes Expo Services and its subcontractors shall not be responsible for loss, theft, or disappearance of exhibitor's materials during this period or at any time following delivery to exhibitor's booth.
- 4. Likewise, there may be a period of time between the packing of materials and pick-up by Great Lakes Expo Services during which the materials will be left unattended. Great Lakes Expo Services and its subcontractors shall not be responsible for loss, theft, damage or disappearance of materials during this period or at any time prior to reloading after the show. Bills of lading covering outgoing shipments, which are furnished by Great Lakes Expo Services to exhibitors, will be checked at time of actual pick-up from the booth and corrections will be made where discrepancies occur.
- 5. Empty labels will be available at the Great Lakes Expo Services, Service Center. It is the responsibility of the exhibitor or his representative to affix these labels to each empty container. All previous labels should be removed or obliterated. Great Lakes Expo Services assumes no responsibility for the following: Not following procedures above, removal of empties with old labels and without Great Lakes Expo Services labels, improper information on empty labels, the security of empties while in storage, the condition of empties upon return, materials stored in containers with empty labels, or damage to containers stored outside due to inclement weather.
- 6. Great Lakes Expo Services and exhibitors subcontractors shall not be responsible for damage caused by inclement weather to storage crates that are stored outside.
- 7. Claims for loss or damage, while on premises, must be reported immediately to Great Lakes Expo Services. An incident report must be completed and submitted to your insurance company or Great Lakes Expo Services within 24 hours. No claim or dispute will be accepted any later than 30 days after such claim or dispute arises. No suit or action shall be brought against Great Lakes Expo Services or its subcontractors more than one year after the accrual of the cause of action.
- 8. Great Lakes Expo Services and its subcontractors shall not be liable to any extent whatsoever for any actual, potential, or assumed loss of profits or revenues, or for any collateral costs, which may result from any loss or damage to an exhibitor's materials which may make it impossible or impractical to exhibit those materials. The liability of Great Lakes Expo Services and its subcontractors shall be limited to their negligence in the actual physical handling of the materials in its shipments. If the exhibitor and/or representative is supervising the handling and/or spotting of exhibit, machinery or display, the exhibitor and/or representative will assume responsibility.
- 9. In the event that Great Lakes Expo Services or its subcontractors are liable for negligence, any recovery against Great Lakes Expo Services shall be limited to the physical loss of or damage to the specific article which is lost or damaged, and in any event, the maximum liability of Great Lakes Expo Services or its subcontractors shall be

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limited to \$.30 per pound per article with a maximum liability of \$50.00 per item, or \$1000.00 per shipment, whichever is less, unless the exhibitor or other shipper discloses or declares that the goods have a greater value.

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- 10. Great Lakes Expo Services and its subcontractors shall not be liable for damage to or loss of materials of unusual or special value unless their true character and value is stated at the time of the shipment.
- 11. The provisions limiting the liability of Great Lakes Expo Services and its subcontractors shall be fully severable, and if any such provision shall be unenforceable under the laws of any jurisdiction, that provision shall be considered deleted, without affecting any other provision of this section, and in its place shall be submitted a provision as alike as possible in tenor and effect as shall be enforceable.
- 12. Great Lakes Expo Services and its subcontractors shall not be responsible for any loss, damage, or delay due to thievery, defective equipment, breakage, leakage, dangers of the sea or lake, weather, fire, Acts of God, acts of a public enemy, acts or mandates of a public authority, the inherent nature or propensities of any material to be handled, strikes, lockout or work stoppages of any kind, delay caused in transportation or delivery other than delay caused by the negligence of Great Lakes Expo Services or its subcontractors, or to any other cause beyond the control of Great Lakes Expo Services or its subcontractors.
- 13. In the event that the carrier designated by the EXHIBITOR, does not pick up materials within the allotted time, Great Lakes Expo Services will have the authority to reroute the exhibitor's materials onto the house carrier. Great Lakes Expo Services will not be responsible for any loss from such rerouting and/or handling. Great Lakes Expo Services will not be held liable for any failure to provide these terms and conditions to the exhibitor and/or representative.
- 14. If a dispute between Great Lakes Expo Services and the exhibitor occurs, and is relative to a loss, damage, or claim, the exhibitor shall not withhold <u>any</u> payment for <u>any</u> services provided by Great Lakes Expo Services. All claims against Great Lakes Expo Services will be considered a separate instance and shall be resolved on its own.
- 15. If Great Lakes Expo Services is found liable for any loss or damage, the maximum liability to an exhibitor's materials is limited to repairing or replacing, with relative likeness and quality. The dollar amount will be limited to the amount paid by the exhibitor to Great Lakes Expo Services for material handling services.
- 16. Great Lakes Expo Services and its subcontractors shall not be responsible for loss, delay or damage due to strikes, lockouts or work stoppages of any kind.
- 17. Great Lakes Expo Services and its subcontractors shall not be responsible for loss, injury or damage caused by tradesmen or equipment furnished by Great Lakes Expo Services or its subcontractors except when such tradesmen are working or operating equipment under the direct supervision of a supervisor designated by Great Lakes Expo Services.
- 18. Great Lakes Expo Services and its subcontractors shall not be liable to any extent whatsoever for any actual, potential or assumed loss of profits or revenues, or for any collateral costs which may result from any loss, injury or damage to an exhibitor's materials or exhibitor personnel which may make it impossible or impractical to exhibit the exhibitor's materials.
- 19. Claims for loss, injury or damage which are not submitted to Great Lakes Expo Services within thirty (30) days of the close of the show on which loss, injury or damage occurred shall be considered waived. No suit or action shall be brought against Great Lakes Expo Services or its subcontractors more than one year after the accrual of the cause of action, therefore.
- 20. Great Lakes Expo Services and its subcontractors shall not be responsible for improper packing of exhibitor material and its products or incorrect labeling if working under the supervision of the exhibitor.
- 21. Great Lakes Expo Services and its subcontractors shall not be responsible for improperly packed or concealed damages to exhibits.
- 22. The placing of an order for the services of tradesmen and the use of equipment by an exhibitor or any agent of the exhibitor shall be construed as an acceptance by such exhibitor or agent of the terms and conditions set forth in numbers 16 through 21 above.

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### IMPORTANT SHOW CLOSING GUIDELINES

Carefully read the following move out procedures to allow for an organized and safe move out.

- ♦ All carriers must check in by 5:00PM on MARCH 19, 2026
- ♦ All aisle carpet must be removed before any empty containers will be returned. Please allow ample time for this to do be done.
- ♦ It is the Exhibitor's responsibility to arrange for shipment of outbound freight from the show. Please notify your carrier of the designated carrier check in date and time.
- ♦ A bill of lading must be filled out and returned to the Great Lakes Expo, Exhibitor Service Desk for all shipments leaving the facility (including UPS and FedEx). Be sure to fill out one per destination.
- ♦ Be sure all outbound freight is clearly labeled. Complimentary shipping labels are available at the Great Lakes Expo Service Desk. Any materials being shipped out FedEx, UPS or DHL must have the appropriate shipping labels, these will not be provided for you.
- ♦ All exhibitors must settle their account with Great Lakes Expo Services before receiving a bill of lading.
- ♦ In the event that your carrier fails to check in by the designated deadline Great Lakes Expo Services reserves the right to reroute your shipment back to our warehouse with a fee.
- Great Lakes Expo Services strongly recommends that you stay with your materials until they are loaded onto your designated outbound carrier. Great Lakes Expo Services is not responsible for any materials left unattended in your booth. Please take all necessary precautions when possible.

YOUR COOPERATION DURING MOVE OUT IS GREATLY APPRECIATED