



2026 Chef Hop & Vine Application for Consideration

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EVENT DATE: Thursday, May 28, 2026

ENTRY FEES: Due on acceptance into the Chef Hop & Vine. \$2,000 per home, in addition to the fee for entering the Columbia Credit Union Tour of Homes (required). This fee includes the following exposure and benefits:

- ✓ Promotion of your home in all releases, promotions, and ads regarding Chef Hop & Vine.
- ✓ \$500 to participating Chef in your home, to help compensate them for their food & supplies for the evening.
- ✓ \$200 to participating beverage partner in your home, to help compensate them for their supplies.
- ✓ 2 cases of water provided for your home the night of Chef Hop & Vine to give guests an alternative to the beer/wine.
- ✓ 10 wristbands to Chef Hop & Vine. Each person in the home is required to have a wristband. This also allows your staff to rotate, so they can visit other homes on the tour. Additional tickets may be purchased for the \$75 per ticket cost.

TIMELINE:

Now – March 1, 2026 **Entries accepted – No changes to home entries will be accepted after homes have been approved for tour.**



HOME ENTRY INFORMATION

Company Name _____

Contact Name _____

Name of Subdivision _____

Entry House Address _____

City _____ Zip _____ Participated before?

2026 Chef Hop & Vine BUILDER PARTICIPATION CONTRACT

Name of Contractor _____

Contractor Registration Number _____ Expiration Date _____

Mailing Address _____ City _____ Zip _____

Phone _____ Email _____

This is a **Legal Contract** set forth by the Building Industry Association of Clark County, 103 E. 29th St, Vancouver, Washington 98663. This document contains rules, regulations, and requirements pertaining to the 2026 Chef Hop & Vine.

I. BUILDER REQUIREMENTS

- **I agree to provide** kitchen photos, and a company logo, in the requested formats, to be delivered to the Building Industry Association Office no later than **March 1, 2026**.
- **I agree to be in communication** with the paired food and or beverage partner(s).
- **I agree to meet all deadlines** as outlined in the Columbia Credit Union Tour of Homes contract. Failure to meet any deadline may result in forfeiture of deposit and inability to participate in the event.
- **I shall ensure personnel** are on site to meet & greet patrons. This includes **preparing and opening the house on time** and not closing the home prior to posted hours of the event during the dates of the Chef Hop & Vine. **Tour date and times are Thursday, May 28 from 5pm – 9 pm. Chef Hop & Vine will only be on this day.**
- **I fully understand** that failure to provide a valid copy of my company's General Liability Insurance Coverage listing the Building Industry Association as an additional insured by the above-listed deadline, will prevent my company from participating in Chef, Hop & Vine.
- **I fully understand** that as the builder I am solely responsible for ensuring the safety and security of the home and all visitors during the event and will indemnify, defend



and hold harmless the BIA and its officers, directors, employees, staff, marketing subcontractors, sponsors, members and volunteers against any claims, actions, expenses or their liabilities for personal injury, theft, or property damage sustained to any persons caused in whole or in part by any acts and/or omissions occurring at or relating to or resulting from Builder's entry in the Chef Hop & Vine.

- **I fully understand** that my designated representative or I will be responsible for proofing the accuracy of all material (to include but not limited to directions to the tour home, photos, price, etc.) supplied to the Building Industry Association and/or its publisher as pertains to the Chef Hop & Vine.

Builder Initials

- **I have made** my staff and or realtor representing the house aware of the Builder Responsibilities as it relates to them and this house being entered in the Union Chef Hop & Vine.

Builder Initials

- **I fully understand** and agree that the Building Industry Association will provide event signage for the Chef Hop & Vine. By signing this agreement, I will let the BIA know of any specific directions I want the signs placed to get to the home, so the sign company can place as requested.

Builder Initials

- **I agree to complete and return** a Builder Information and Contract form for each home our company enters in the Chef Hop & Vine.

Builder Initials

II. RULES AND REGULATIONS

- **I agree to abide by** all rules, regulations and decisions made by the Building Industry Association of Clark County and the Chef Hop & Vine Committee. Failure to abide by said rule, regulations, and decisions may result in my company being dismissed from participating in the Chef Hop & Vine.
- **I also agree** that any person attending the Chef Hop & Vine Committee meeting on behalf of my company is assumed to have the authority to agree to and make decisions on behalf of my company as well as be responsible for conveying pertinent information and all items discussed and agreed upon as a group.

Builder Initials

- **I agree to meet all deadlines** set forth by the Chef Hop & Vine Committee.
- **I will provide personnel** to attend a meeting on the operations of the Chef Hop & Vine on a date to be determined. This brief meeting is **mandatory** and will insure all personnel are aware of all rules, marketing and expectations.
- **I understand** that the Chef Hop & Vine and Tour of Homes logo is the property of the Building Industry of Clark County and may not be used in any publications or advertising without the written consent of an authorized representative of the Building Industry Association of Clark County.
- **I understand that the Building Industry Association of Clark County has the right to solicit sponsorships for the Chef Hop & Vine, and that only official event sponsors may have a visible presence in the Columbia Credit Union Tour Homes on the night of the Chef Hop & Vine. All signage, displays or logos that are not affiliated with official Tour sponsors will be removed and the builder responsible**



for the property will be required to pay a fine of \$100 per offense.

Builder Initials

- **I fully understand** that I may withdraw an entry at any time, however I will forfeit the entry fee for the home withdrawn. If a home is withdrawn after March 1, 2026, I may be charged for the time and cost of creation of marketing materials.
- **I fully understand** that if it becomes necessary to cancel the Chef Hop & Vine for any reason, eligible funds will be refunded, and I waive any claim for damages. The BIA makes no claim that a particular property will sell, be sold, and is not responsible if said property does not sell.
- **I agree as the named builder for the house or houses I am entering in Chef Hop & Vine, that I will be responsible for all entry fee payments to the Building Industry Association of Clark County.**

III. FEE SCHEDULE/FINAL DATES

ENTRY FEES: Due on approval of involvement - \$2,000 per home in the Chef Hop & Vine.

I have read and understand the rules, requirements, and responsibilities set forth by the Building Industry Association of Clark County, Board of Directors, and the Chef Hop & Vine Committee as outlined in this document. I agree to abide by all the rules and regulations. I understand failure to do so could result in non-participation in Chef Hop & Vine and/or extra charges, as set by the Chef Hop & Vine Committee. I have also read and understand the Fee Schedule, Deadlines, Participation Requirements, Builder Responsibilities, Builder Information and this Builder Contract. This is a legal and binding contract set forth by the Building Industry Association of Clark County 103 E. 29th St., Vancouver, Washington 98663, Phone: 360-694-0933. This document contains rules, regulations, and requirements pertaining to the Columbia Credit Union Tour of Homes event produced by the Building Industry Association of Clark County annually. By signing this contract I agree to abide by all of the terms, conditions, responsibilities, deadlines, and requirements of this contract, and hold all Board members, employees, and volunteers of the Building Industry Association of Clark County harmless during the planning and implementation of this event. I understand failure to abide by this contract could result in non-participation in the Building Industry Association of Clark County Tour of Homes event in the future.

I, _____, have read all of the terms of this agreement and agree to abide
(Builder Printed Name)

by all the terms of this contract this _____ day of _____ 2026.

DATE _____ BUILDER PRINTED NAME _____

BUILDER SIGNATURE _____