



Code of Conduct and Operational Guidelines

The following provides a code of conduct we must insist upon for the consideration and safety of all the people, whether they are customers of Bashas' or property cohabitants, members of Bashas' or employees of other business establishments, and all representatives or individuals of your organization as well. If any individuals, group, or members thereof, fail to abide by the criteria established, Bashas' reserves the right to refrain from allowing solicitation and related activities to occur outside its stores.

1. **Organizations must provide their own supplies and equipment** (i.e. tables, chairs, etc.), not to include the use of any type of public address system and handbills for distribution purposes. All equipment and solicitors must be at a **minimum distance of 15 feet** from any parking or building entrance/exit so as not to obstruct vehicular or pedestrian traffic in any manner. Organization representatives are also required to **remain in the area provided** so as not to obstruct vehicular or pedestrian traffic as well. All signage used must be affixed to a table, chair or must be freestanding. **The use of the building to display signage will not be permitted.**
2. All Organization Representatives must be 18 or older, or accompanied by an adult at all times. All authorized representatives must be clearly identified with name badges or in Organization's uniform.
3. Petitioners must realize they are Bashas' guests while in front of any store and should conduct themselves accordingly. **The tactical use of abusive, foul and/or threatening or intimidating language, obtrusive behavior and physical contact of any kind by a member of your organization is strictly prohibited.** While in front of the store, all group members **must remain seated at their table** and must **not approach any Bashas' customer** who is entering or exiting the store. Group members **may not call out to customers** who are passing by, and may verbally address only those individuals who are within earshot of **normal, conversational speech**. The primary attraction to your table should be the signage your group attaches to it, and your group should generally wait until you are approached by a passerby to discuss your cause, and not the other way around.
4. All persons involved in this activity are **assumed to be familiar with these rules** and will further be **assumed to have agreed** to immediately vacate the premises at the request of Bashas' Store Management if, in the opinion of said management, these guidelines have not been observed.

By signing this document, I understand that all girls and volunteers boothing at Bashas', Food City or AJ's Fine Foods in my troop will abide by the Bashas' Code of Conduct and Operational Guidelines; and will represent Girl Scouts in a professional manner by following all other Girl Scout Arizona Cactus-Pine boothing codes of conduct, behavior expectations and girl safety guidelines. Failure to do so will result in a loss of boothing privileges in the Council I will bring a signed copy of this document to the booth.

Bashas', Food City or AJ's Fine Foods booth date: _____ Girl Scout Troop number: _____

Troop Leader's Name: _____

Troop Leader's Signature: _____