



## How to get a **"YES"** when asking for a community (non hot-spot) cookie booth

**What is a community non-hot spot?** This is a booth location your troop organizes and sets up at a business or community location.

**Suggested types of businesses to contact:** Think where in the community a lot of people go--the more people traffic the better.

- Local groceries
- Banks
- Athletic events at schools
- Ice rink/outdoor events
- Car wash
- Places of worship
- Large parking lots near busy intersections
- Parking lots near busy locations that are NOT on the council hot-spot list
- Salons
- Family-friendly locations

### **Tips when asking for permission and how to get a **"YES"****

- Be personable, do you shop in their store, let them know that!
- Ask who is the best person to talk to. Find the best person available when you are there vs. having to come back. Be sure to tell them why you are calling and ask for the appropriate staff to talk to about "Girl Scout Cookie booth opportunities". Often, the store manager does not handle this, but another staffer does.
- In-person is likely better than a phone call
- Possible way to ask: "Would it be possible for our troop to have a Girl Scout Cookie booth at your store? Our troop will provide everything we need, including the table/chairs. We just need the space either inside or out?"
- Be sure to understand where in the store/parking lot you can set up.
- Be sure to ask how many people may be present at one time at this booth. This is up to the location.

### **Make the most of the **"YES."** Add your community booth information in eBudde**

By entering your community, non-hot spot booth into eBudde, you are gaining free advertising in the council-wide booth locator! This means when customer look for a booth "near them" your booth will show up.



You must enter these 72 hours prior to the booth time. If you have any problems entering a booth spot into eBudde, please contact our customer care team at 317.924.6800- they are standing by!

Please note: council will deny any booth locations that are adult-only locations and hot-spot locations See hot-spot locations to avoid below

**Troop 6073 Booth Sales**

Settings | Girls | Init. Order | Delivery | Girl Orders | **Booth Sites** | Transactions | Rewards | Deposits

Below are the currently defined Booth Sales  
To view or signup for Council Troop sales chose Council Sales in the drop down. My Sales

**Troop 6073 Sales** Green=Approved Orange=Denied

[ - ] My Booth Sales [\(add a Location\)](#)

Becky's Pizza Parlour 1231 Upas St...  
--Wed Dec 10, 2014 8:00am - 12:00pm

Business Name:

Location and Contact Info. [Map](#)

Addr:  Addr2:

City:  ST:  Zip:

Contact:  Phone:

eMail:

Format: 10/25/2011 for dates 9:00am for times.

Sale Date:  Start:  End:  Approval:

Requested:

Reason for approval/denial:

Use the dropdown to select the My Sales option.

Click on the text of Add a Location. A window on the right will be displayed so you can enter the information necessary.

Click Add once all the information is entered. The system will display a confirmation window. Your request is in a Pending status until reviewed.

It will be approved or denied by an authorized council designated person.

A screenshot of a web form for business location and contact information. The form is titled "Business Name: Becky's Pizza Parlour". It has a section for "Location and Contact Info." with a "Map" link. The form contains several input fields: "Addr1: 1231 Upas St.", "Addr2:", "City: San Diego", "ST: CA", "Zip: 92101", "Contact: Store Manager", "Phone: 555-5555", and "eMail: store@lbb.com". There is a "Format: 10/25/2011 for dates 9:00am for times." section. Below that, there is a "Sale Date: 12/10/2014", "Start: 8:00am", "End: 12:00pm", and an "Approval" dropdown menu set to "Denied". A "Requested: Nov 4, 2014 at 9:17AM" timestamp is shown. A "Reason for approval/denial:" section contains the text "Another troop has this time". At the bottom, there are three buttons: "Delete", "Update", and "Cancel".

On the left, the color-coding helps identify the status of the request.

Blue location indicates that the request is pending

Green location indicates that the request has been approved

Orange location indicates that the request has been denied

You can also look over to the right and view the status in the box labeled Approval. You also can view any messaging on approval/denial process.

**Hot-spot community locations you may not contact:** These locations have already agreed to host booths. You can sign up for these in eBudde.

- Baesler's Market
- Castleton Square Mall
- College Mall
- GNC
- Greenwood Park Mall
- Jiffy Lube (Greenwood ONLY)
- JoAnn Fabrics
- Lafayette Square Mall
- Lowe's Home Improvement
- Rural King
- Sam's Club
- Tippecanoe Mall
- Walmart
- Walmart Neighborhood Market