Western Michigan University (WMU) is an open community where free speech is protected and civility powerfully affirmed to value all forms of expression, including the sharing of information and ideas through civil and public forums. To this end, WMU has established “The Triad” on campus (see map below).

Instructions: To assist WMU in appropriate scheduling and record-keeping, please complete the following:

Name: ________________________________________________

Address: ________________________________________________ Zip ___________

Telephone: __________

Date(s) and Time(s): date ________________ time ________________

Instructions: At your earliest convenience, please return the completed Outdoor Expression Notice to Student Activities & Leadership Programs anytime before appearing at “The Triad.” You may submit the Outdoor Expression Notice via fax, mail (allow 4 business days for receipt), or in person on the date of appearance.

Address: Student Activities & Leadership Programs Fax: Attn: SA&LP
2420 Faunce Student Services Building 269 387-2554
Western Michigan University
1903 W. Michigan Avenue
Kalamazoo MI 49008-5356

Business Hours: Monday through Friday 8:00 am - 5:00 pm

GENERAL RULES FOR ALL CAMPUS OUTDOOR AREAS (INCLUDING “THE TRIAD”)

Western Michigan University outlines the following general rules:

1. “The Triad” has been established as the “marketplace” of ideas. To this end, WMU has designated “The Triad” (see map below) for typical outdoor expression that does not engage in any commercial activity.

2. Person may not engage in any activity which is “a clear and substantial risk of physical harm or injury to other person or of damage to or destruction of the property of WMU; or an unreasonable prevention or disruption of the customary and lawful functions of WMU, by occupying space necessary therefore or by use of force or by threat of force.”

3. The University reserves the right to disband any activity which undermines campus safety and security.

4. No activity may utilize amplified sound, including hand-held megaphones, without prior authorization.

5. Person will incur any costs resulting directly or indirectly from activity, including trash removal, etc.

6. Person will conduct him/herself in accordance with all established federal, state, local and campus laws, statutes, codes, ordinances and policies.

7. Person will have a copy of this notice present when engaging in said activity stated above.

•Please complete backside•
Finally, it is understood that the person above, jointly and severally, is responsible for the activity at “The Triad” cited above, and that such person assumes responsibility and indemnifies and holds harmless Western Michigan University, its Trustees, employees, and agents for any and all liability which may result from the activity cited above, including (by way of example and not by way of limitation) any judgment costs, attorney’s fees, discovery costs, or other expenditures.

Print Name: __________________________

Signature: ___________________________ Date: ________________

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Date received: ________________ Via: __ person __ mail __ fax Logged by: ____________________

Special Authorization: ________________________________________________________________

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