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MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

KANSAS ORIGINALS MARKET was created as a place for Kansas artists, craftsmen and food producers to sell their products. The business is located in a 3,000 sq. ft. building located at the Wilson exit on I-70. It has a large showroom, two handicapped-accessible rest rooms, an office, and a Kansas Food Room.

Membership in THE POST ROCK OPPORTUNITIES FOUNDATION is required in order to sell in KANSAS ORIGINALS MARKET. Sustaining memberships are \$35.00 per year and are available to any Kansas artist, craftsman or food producer. Contributing memberships are \$10.00 per year and are only available to those artists, craftsmen and food producers who are age 62 or over, or handicapped, or members of a low income family. Non-profit organizations may obtain a Contributing Membership.

Items that are sold in the outlet are selected by a committee on the product's salability and the inventory needs of the outlet. Our goal is to help each member produce a marketable product. Saleable art, handcrafts and packaged foods are in demand.

We have three billboard signs on Interstate 70 and have been receiving over 4,000 visitors a month. Through story boards and brochures, we also promote area attractions.

Kansas Originals Market is a means to help the economically depressed rural economy of north-central Kansas. It is owned by The Post Rock Opportunities Foundation, a non-profit membership corporation designed to help the economy of rural Kansas. The project was supported by a grant from the Presbyterian Church One Great Hour of Sharing's Self-Development of People. Grants have also been received from the Kansas Arts Commission and the Kansas Department of Commerce. The corporation is in need of finances to help cover both the expenses of the building and the operating expenses. Memberships and donations help the Post Rock Opportunities Foundation meet its goals.

Checks are payable to PROF. Our address is KANSAS ORIGINALS Market, RR 1 Box 8A, Wilson, KS 67490. Our phone number is 913-658-2602. We are located on the north side of Interstate 70 near the Interstate House Restaurant.