

## AMELIA'S MEXICAN FOOD JOINS THE CARTS ON THE SQUARE





PORTLAND, OR - (September 28, 2020) - Our City's Living Room is proud to welcome <u>Amelia's Mexican Food</u> to the <u>Carts on the Square</u>. Amelia's will join four of Portland's top food carts currently at The Square: <u>Fried Egg I'm in Love</u>, <u>Olympia Provisions and Tillamook Melty & Meaty Food Truck</u>, <u>The Whole Bowl and The Block</u>.

Amelia's founder and executive chef, Amelia Mondragon, operates their two restaurant locations and one food cart alongside her son, Josue. Their menu provides unique offerings featuring recipes passed down through generations mixed with fresh twists Amelia Mondragon picks up on her annual trips to Mexico. Popular menu items include the Azabache Burrito, Tostada Oaxaqueña and Burrito Loco. Amelia's Mexican Food opened in 2004 with their first food truck. In 2008 they acquired their first restaurant, Amelia's Exquisite Mexican Dining in Hillsboro, OR, with their second restaurant opening in 2015.

Amelia's is excited to expand their culinary offerings by bringing delicious Mexican cuisine into Portland's Living Room. "Our goal is to provide meals just the way we would eat at either of my grandmothers' homes and now at my own mother's home. I've always thought it would be amazing to have my own food cart at Pioneer Courthouse Square and now it's finally happening," says Josue Mondragon.

Amelia's Food Cart will be sited in the Carts on the Square directly across from The Block. Minimum hours of operations will be Monday through Friday 11:00 am to 3:00 pm. For the most up to date information on Amelia's Mexican

Food at Pioneer Courthouse Square, and the rest of the Carts on the Square, visit <u>thesquarepdx.org</u> or follow us on <u>Facebook</u>, <u>Instagram</u> and Twitter.

## About Pioneer Courthouse Square, Inc.

Pioneer Courthouse Square, Inc. is a non-profit organization whose mission is to manage Downtown's central public gathering space, known adoringly as Portland's Living Room, to achieve an active and healthy downtown environment. Typically hosting more than 300 programmed events each year, through a diverse range of public and private partnerships, Pioneer Courthouse Square, Inc. operates within a budget of \$2.2M composed of cash and inkind donations...