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Merten's Prime

35 Oakes Street SW, Grand Rapids, MI 49503



Parking and Exterior Lighting.

Metered on-street parallel-style parking is available across the street from the venue. No designated accessible parking spaces are present. The area is lit by standard street lamps. There is a nearby intersection with curb ramps present up onto the sidewalks. The crosswalks are marked.

Main Entrance and Accessibility.

The venue is a part of the larger 35 Oakes building. The venue street entrance has manual push/pull doors. The entrance has a set of steps up from the sidewalk in front of the venue. The street entrance door is wood and may be heavy.

The 35 Oakes building entrance has push-button-activated powered push/pull double doors. The entrance is flush with the sidewalk. Mertens Prime has an entrance in the 35 Oakes entrance lobby.

Interior Layout and Navigation.

The venue is on the first floor of the larger 35 Oakes building. There is a roof top patio on the top floor. There is an elevator that provides access to the top floor. The venue has wide level routes through tables and other fixtures.

The barroom has low booth with chair, and low table with chair seating options available. The booths are flush with the floor. There is high bar with stool seating available. There is no lowered section of counter present.

The Rooftop Patio has low table with chair seating options available.



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Lighting and Atmosphere.

The barroom is kept moderately-lit. The Rooftop Patio is moderately lit with overhead string lighting.

The venue has high ceilings.

The venue is generally quiet, but noise levels may become elevated during peak hours.

The venue has tile floors.

Restrooms.

There are unisex single-user restrooms present in the back hall of the barroom. The interiors are spacious. There are grab bars around the toilets. The toilets and sinks are manually operated.

There is a unisex single-user restroom present adjacent to the elevators on the rooftop level.