

**CITY OF LOCKPORT
FOOD DISPENSING VEHICLES
APPLICATION**

\$25.00 fee for one (1) year license



Office of the City Clerk
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This application pertains to any person engaged in business of selling food products from a vehicle, self-powered or otherwise, on the public and private streets and sidewalks of the City, provided that the words "vehicular vendor" shall not include salesmen who use vehicles to go from place to place for the purpose of making sales on the premises of a prospective purchaser. (Per Chapter 110, §110.80 of the Lockport Code of Ordinances)

**APPLICATION FOR FOOD DISPENSING VEHICLES
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LOCKPORT, ILLINOIS 60441**

\$25.00 Annual Fee

Please fill out as thoroughly as possible.

Please print.

DATE: _____

CORPORATION NAME: _____

BUSINESS NAME (DBA): _____

BUSINESS ADDRESS: _____

BUSINESS PHONE: () _____

APPLICANT'S FULL NAME: _____

APPLICANT'S ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP CODE: _____

CELL PHONE NUMBER: _____

EMAIL ADDRESS: _____

DRIVER'S LICENSE/STATE I.D. NO. _____

(Please provide a copy if you have a Food Dispensing Vehicle)

VEHICLE INFORMATION:

YEAR _____ MAKE _____ MODEL _____ COLOR _____

(If more than one vehicle please list on a separate sheet of paper)

IF FOOD TRUCK WILL BE PARKED, WHAT IS THE ADDRESS OF THE LOCATION WHERE THE FOOD TRUCK WILL BE PARKED/LOCATED:

IS THIS CITY OWNED PROPERTY? YES NO

IS THIS PRIVATELY OWNED PROPERTY? YES NO
(Please provide a copy of Owner's approval)

HOW MANY DAYS WILL THE FOOD TRUCK BE OPERATING AT THIS LOCATION? _____

VEHICLE INSURANCE COMPANY NAME, POLICY NUMBER, EXPIRATION DATE:
(Please provide a copy)

IF GRANTED A LICENSE HEREUNDER, WILL YOU OBEY THE ORDINANCES OF THE CITY?
 YES NO

For and in consideration of investigation and consideration by the City of the propriety of issuing said license, the undersigned forewith deposits the license fee required hereunder and agrees to be bound by all the terms and conditions of Chapter 110.80 of the Lockport Municipal Code of the City of Lockport, governing the terms of issuance of said license and refund of any monies deposited and also all terms and conditions of the Ordinance under which application for license is hereby made. Further, that the terms hereof become a part of said license when and if issued.

Applicant's Signature/Date

IMPORTANT:

These documents must be attached to your Food Dispensing Vehicles or Carts License application:

1. Valid copy of Vehicle Insurance
2. Valid Will County Health Department Inspection Report
3. Copy of Driver's License and/or State I.D.

§ 110.80 FOOD DISPENSING VEHICLES OR CARTS.

(A) *Definitions.* As used in this section, the following terms shall have the following meanings, unless the context clearly indicates that a different meaning is intended:

(1) **CITY.** The City of Lockport.

(2) **PLACE OF BUSINESS** or **BUSINESS HEADQUARTERS.** A place where food products are stored or dispensed to vehicles.

(3) **VEHICULAR FOOD VENDOR.** Any person engaged in business of selling food products from a vehicle, self-powered or otherwise, on the public and private streets and sidewalks of the city, provided that the words "vehicular vendor" shall not include salesmen who use vehicles to go from place to place for the purpose of making sales on the premises of a prospective purchaser.

(B) *License required.* No person shall operate as a vehicular food vendor without having first secured a valid license for each place of business operated within the city and also for each vehicle to be used in the operation of any such business.

(C) *Application.* Any person desiring a license shall make application therefore in writing to the City Clerk and accompany the application with the required license fee. The application shall be a form prepared by the City Clerk and shall contain:

(1) Each applicant, owner, or employee will be required to produce a valid photo ID, i.e. driver's license, State ID card, or other means of identification.

(2) Each applicant, owner, or employee will be required to fill out a personal data form which will include name, address, date of birth, social security number, vehicle information and thumb print.

(3) Each applicant, owner, or employee will be photographed.

(4) Each applicant, owner, or employee will be furnished with a numbered photo I.D. which he or she will be required to wear on the front outside portion of his or her shirt or jacket, readily visible to the public.

(5) Any applicant, owner, or employee who violates this section are subject to fine.

(D) The hours that the vehicles or carts may vend are from 11:00 a.m. until 9:00 p.m.

(E) *Investigation of facilities and vehicles prerequisite for issuance.*

(1) Upon the filing of an application, the health officer shall investigate the facilities for storage and dispensing of food products at the business headquarters and in each vehicle of the applicant if the facilities or vehicle are found to be unsatisfactory, the health officer shall so report to the City Clerk and the license shall be denied. If the facilities or vehicles are found to be satisfactory, the health officer shall so report to the City Clerk. The report shall be returned to the City Clerk not more than five days after application is made.

(2) Upon the filing of an application hereunder, the chief of police or his representative shall investigate each vehicle to determine that it is mechanically and operationally safe. If the vehicle is found to be unsafe, the chief of police shall so report to the City Clerk, and the license shall be denied. If the vehicle is found to be safe, the chief of police shall so report to the City Clerk. The report shall be returned to the City Clerk not more than five days after application is made.

(3) If the reports of the health officer and of the chief of police indicate that the facilities and the vehicles are in satisfactory and safe condition, the City Clerk shall then issue the license.

(4) If a license is rejected because of conditions found by the health officer, the health officer shall state the specific reasons in writing, and the clerk shall provide a copy of the reasons to the

applicant. If the license is rejected because of conditions found by the chief of police, the chief of police shall state the specific reasons in writing, and the clerk shall provide a copy of the reasons to the applicant. The applicant may correct the conditions and reapply upon submitting a reinspection fee of \$10 for each vehicle or facility to be reinspected.

(F) *Reinspection of facilities and premises; unsatisfactory condition grounds for license revocation.*

(1) The licensee's place of business and vehicles shall be subject to periodic reinspection throughout the license period by the health officer and chief of police, or their representatives.

(2) If an unsatisfactory sanitary, mechanical or operational condition is noted by an inspector, the licensee shall remedy the same without delay. Failure to so remedy an unsatisfactory condition shall be cause for revocation of the applicable license.

(G) *Report of changes.* Each licensee shall report any changes in facilities to the Clerk. No new vehicle shall be put in service until a \$10 vehicle inspection fee has been paid and the vehicle has been inspected and approved.

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