



OPEN AIR VENDORS - REQUIREMENTS AND STANDARDS

10.03.00 Open Air Vendors

- A. *Purpose.* The purpose of this Section is to provide for the regulation of Open Air Vendors allowed in commercial districts.
- B. *Applicability.* This Section Shall apply to all Open Air Vendors within the County, with the exception of roadside stands selling produce raised or produced on the farmland of which they are a part and are composed of a minimum Structure.
- C. *Requirements.* The County Manager or designee may approve the sale of merchandise or food by an Open Air Vendor for a period not to exceed thirty (30) days upon receipt of the following:
1. A valid occupational license;
 2. A letter from the Owner of the property upon which the vendor proposes to locate giving permission to locate on said property and indicating that sanitary facilities Shall be available to vendor customers.
 3. A Site Plan showing the proposed location of the vendor. Open Air Vendors Shall be located only in areas of commercial zoning. The vendor stall or area Shall be placed only in areas where there is sufficient parking to accommodate customers, and Shall not be located in an area that will interrupt the normal flow of traffic.
 4. Documentation that the Additional standards of D, below, have been met, as applicable.
- D. *Additional Standards.*
1. All pyrotechnical items sold must be consistent with state laws regulating same and all Persons selling pyrotechnical merchandise must be licensed by the State Fire Marshall.
 2. The location and sales of proposed sale of pyrotechnical items must be approved by the County Fire Marshall.
 3. Electrical hook-up or fixtures Shall meet the County adopted National Electrical Code.
- (Ord. No. 1997-22, § 3, 3-18-97)

10.03.01 Open Air Gatherings and Other Temporary Uses

- A. *Purpose.* The purpose of this Section is to provide for the regulation of open air gatherings in all zoning districts.
- B. *Applicability.* This Section Shall apply for all open air gatherings within the County for a public purpose.
- C. *Requirements.* The County Manager or designee may approve open air gatherings for a period not to exceed thirty (30) days upon receipt of the following:
1. A letter from the property Owner indicating that sanitary facilities are available to those in attendance of the gathering.
 2. A Site Plan showing the location of the gathering Site, parking, and Site entrance.

HOT DOG STANDS / BARBECUE GRILLS

To operate a hot dog stand or a barbecue grill, according to the Florida Division of Hotels and Restaurants, Department of Business and Professional Regulations (DBPR), the following rules apply:

HOT DOG STANDS:

- All must be licensed with DBPR.
- If a new unit that has never been inspected, they must submit plans and receive a license from DBPR.
- Licenses must be renewed each year.
- Commissary Required:
 - The vendor must have a commissary (i.e., a supermarket or fast food place) to dump water and waste from the cart.
 - Daily visits to the commissary are required.
 - A self-contained unit must go once a week to the commissary to dump and clean their carts.
- Hot and cold running water are required.
- May sell ONLY bagged chips, canned or bottled soda and water, and hot dogs and sausage in casings.

BARBECUE GRILLS:

- Are allowed ONLY at "events", and are inspected by DBPR inspectors that come to the events.
- The sale of food from a barbecue grill that is not completely enclosed is not allowed (other than events).
- The grill must be in an enclosed room and must have a three-compartment sink, hand sink, etc.
- Plans must be submitted and approved through DBPR and must be inspected and licensed prior to opening for business.

The Division of Hotels and Restaurants must be notified if anyone is operating a hot dog or barbecue stand without a license from them.

It is the vendor's responsibility to keep a license with them during operation of the stand.

The Division of Hotels and Restaurants can be reached at:

1-407-623-1240

1-800-375-6975

These regulations are in the Florida Administrative Code 61C4.