



**TOWN OF AMHERST
APPLICATION FOR A LUNCH CART
LICENSE**

FEE: \$100.00

To the Licensing Authorities:

The undersigned hereby applies for a Lunch Cart License in accordance with the provisions of the Statutes and local ordinances relating thereto:

Name of Applicant: _____

Owner/Manager if different: _____

Name of Business: _____

Street Address: _____

City/Town _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Home/Cell Phone _____ Email: _____

Size/dimensions of lunch cart: _____ **(Please Attach Photographs)**

Days & Hours of Operation: _____

State clearly what type of food will be sold: _____

Location Request for On street:

- West side of the Town Common, South of Spring Street
- West side of Kendrick Park
- North and east sides of Sweetser Park

Location Request for On sidewalk:

- West side of the Town Common, South of Spring Street
- West side of Kendrick Park
- North and east sides of Sweetser Park
- In front of St. Brigid's Church
- "Realignment Park" at corner of North Pleasant and Hallock (south of Kendrick Park)
- In front of the South Pleasant St. section of Bank of America
(south of the crosswalk by benches)
- In front of the Jones Library
- Plaza area in front of Unitarian Meetinghouse

THE FOLLOWING LICENSES ARE REQUIRED WITH THIS APPLICATION:

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| 1. MA Hawker & Peddlers License | 2. Town of Amherst Health Permit |
| 3. License Attestation | 4. Workers Compensation Affidavit |
| 5. Form MT-1: Sales Tax Registration Certificate | |

_____/_____
(Applicant's signature) Date

For Office Use Only: License # _____ Date of SB Meeting Approved/Denied: _____

Date Approved/Denied: _____
Chief of Police

Date Approved/Denied: _____
Inspections/Zoning Department

Management Plan Special Conditions

Town of



AMHERST *Massachusetts*

Town Hall - 4 Boltwood Avenue - Amherst, MA 01002

License Attestation Form

License Year: _____

LICENSEE/APPLICANT:

Individual or Corporate Name _____

D/B/A (if applicable): _____

Address _____

MANAGER: _____

“Pursuant to M.G.L. c 62C, s 49A, I certify under the penalties of perjury that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, I am in compliance with all laws of the Commonwealth relating to taxes, reporting of employees and contractors, and withholding and remitting child support”.

Signature of Applicant
Corporate Officer (Mandatory, if applicable)

Business Telephone #

Federal Identification Number (**Required**)

Home/Cell Phone

Social Security Number
(Voluntary if FIN Provided)

Email

- This license **will not be issued or renewed** unless this certification clause is signed by the applicant.
- The Federal IN or SS if no FI number provided will be furnished to the Massachusetts Department of Revenue, which they use to determine whether you have met tax filing or tax payment obligations. Licensees who fail to correct their non-filing or delinquency may be subject to license suspension or revocation. This request is made under the authority of Massachusetts General Laws, Chapter 62C, Section 49A.



The Commonwealth of Massachusetts
 Department of Industrial Accidents
 1 Congress Street, Suite 100
 Boston, MA 02114-2017
 www.mass.gov/dia

Workers' Compensation Insurance Affidavit: General Businesses.
 TO BE FILED WITH THE PERMITTING AUTHORITY.

Applicant Information

Please Print Legibly

Business/Organization Name: _____

Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____ Phone #: _____

Are you an employer? Check the appropriate box:

- 1. I am a employer with _____ employees (full and/ or part-time).*
- 2. I am a sole proprietor or partnership and have no employees working for me in any capacity. [No workers' comp. insurance required]
- 3. We are a corporation and its officers have exercised their right of exemption per c. 152, §1(4), and we have no employees. [No workers' comp. insurance required]**
- 4. We are a non-profit organization, staffed by volunteers, with no employees. [No workers' comp. insurance req.]

Business Type (required):

- 5. Retail
- 6. Restaurant/Bar/Eating Establishment
- 7. Office and/or Sales (incl. real estate, auto, etc.)
- 8. Non-profit
- 9. Entertainment
- 10. Manufacturing
- 11. Health Care
- 12. Other _____

*Any applicant that checks box #1 must also fill out the section below showing their workers' compensation policy information.

**If the corporate officers have exempted themselves, but the corporation has other employees, a workers' compensation policy is required and such an organization should check box #1.

I am an employer that is providing workers' compensation insurance for my employees. Below is the policy information.

Insurance Company Name: _____

Insurer's Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Policy # or Self-ins. Lic. # _____ Expiration Date: _____

Attach a copy of the workers' compensation policy declaration page (showing the policy number and expiration date).

Failure to secure coverage as required under Section 25A of MGL c. 152 can lead to the imposition of criminal penalties of a fine up to \$1,500.00 and/or one-year imprisonment, as well as civil penalties in the form of a STOP WORK ORDER and a fine of up to \$250.00 a day against the violator. Be advised that a copy of this statement may be forwarded to the Office of Investigations of the DIA for insurance coverage verification.

I do hereby certify, under the pains and penalties of perjury that the information provided above is true and correct.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Phone #: _____

Official use only. Do not write in this area, to be completed by city or town official.

City or Town: _____ Permit/License # _____

Issuing Authority (circle one):

- 1. Board of Health 2. Building Department 3. City/Town Clerk 4. Licensing Board 5. Selectmen's Office
- 6. Other _____

Contact Person: _____ Phone #: _____

Information and Instructions

Massachusetts General Laws chapter 152 requires all employers to provide workers' compensation for their employees. Pursuant to this statute, an *employee* is defined as "...every person in the service of another under any contract of hire, express or implied, oral or written."

An *employer* is defined as "an individual, partnership, association, corporation or other legal entity, or any two or more of the foregoing engaged in a joint enterprise, and including the legal representatives of a deceased employer, or the receiver or trustee of an individual, partnership, association or other legal entity, employing employees. However, the owner of a dwelling house having not more than three apartments and who resides therein, or the occupant of the dwelling house of another who employs persons to do maintenance, construction or repair work on such dwelling house or on the grounds or building appurtenant thereto shall not because of such employment be deemed to be an employer."

MGL chapter 152, §25C(6) also states that "**every state or local licensing agency shall withhold the issuance or renewal of a license or permit to operate a business or to construct buildings in the commonwealth for any applicant who has not produced acceptable evidence of compliance with the insurance coverage required.**"

Additionally, MGL chapter 152, §25C(7) states "Neither the commonwealth nor any of its political subdivisions shall enter into any contract for the performance of public work until acceptable evidence of compliance with the insurance requirements of this chapter have been presented to the contracting authority."

Applicants

Please fill out the workers' compensation affidavit completely, by checking the boxes that apply to your situation and, if necessary, supply your insurance company's name, address and phone number along with a certificate of insurance. Limited Liability Companies (LLC) or Limited Liability Partnerships (LLP) with no employees other than the members or partners, are not required to carry workers' compensation insurance. If an LLC or LLP does have employees, a policy is required. Be advised that this affidavit may be submitted to the Department of Industrial Accidents for confirmation of insurance coverage. **Also be sure to sign and date the affidavit.** The affidavit should be returned to the city or town that the application for the permit or license is being requested, **not** the Department of Industrial Accidents. Should you have any questions regarding the law or if you are required to obtain a workers' compensation policy, please call the Department at the number listed below. Self-insured companies should enter their self-insurance license number on the appropriate line.

City or Town Officials

Please be sure that the affidavit is complete and printed legibly. The Department has provided a space at the bottom of the affidavit for you to fill out in the event the Office of Investigations has to contact you regarding the applicant. Please be sure to fill in the permit/license number which will be used as a reference number. In addition, an applicant that must submit multiple permit/license applications in any given year, need only submit one affidavit indicating current policy information (if necessary). A copy of the affidavit that has been officially stamped or marked by the city or town may be provided to the applicant as proof that a valid affidavit is on file for future permits or licenses. A new affidavit must be filled out each year. Where a home owner or citizen is obtaining a license or permit not related to any business or commercial venture (i.e. a dog license or permit to burn leaves etc.) said person is NOT required to complete this affidavit.

The Department's address, telephone and fax number:

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