

#### City of Minneapolis Licenses and Consumer Services

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# License Application Guidelines and Checklist

#### For Office Use Only

Expiration: April 1
AP: BLFood/BLSidewalk
Rev Code: 311009
MCO: 265

Adm Issuance: No

Application Type: Sidewalk Care					
DEFINIT	ION: A business licensed to sell food, beer or liquor for consumption and operating a portion of their business on				
the city	sidewalk and/or unrestricted parking lane (right of way) immediately adjoining their business. A public hearing at				
the Com	munity Development & Regulatory Services Committee of the City Council may be required for license approval.				
Liquor establishments interested in adding a sidewalk café must also file an Expansion of Premises application.					
Tables and chairs located in an unrestricted parking lane (Extended Street Café) must sit on a platform adjacent to the curb.					
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Initials	Minneapolis Development Review 250 South 4 <sup>th</sup> Street, Room 300 - Minneapolis, MN 55415 Free Parking.					
	1. License Application (Form #1)					
	2. Certificate of Liability Insurance (Sample form #2)					
	<ul> <li>This must be furnished by your insurance agent with the mandatory changes.</li> </ul>					
	b. You are required to have general liability that includes premises and operations insurance and products					
	and completed operations insurance with the following coverages:					
	\$50,000 per occurrence and \$300,000 aggregate for personal injury or death.					
	\$10,000 per occurrence for property damage.					
	The City of Minneapolis shall be named as an additional insured.					
	3. Attach an 8 ½" x 11" scaled sidewalk café plan that conforms to the sidewalk café standards (#3 attached). It					
	will be inspected and approved by Public Works-Traffic Engineering. Sidewalks café plans that do not conform					
	to the sidewalk café standards will be returned to the applicant as incomplete.					
	# Chairs # Tables This is subject to approval by a License Inspector.					
	4. Notification of the type of license; address of premises; applicant's name, address and telephone number;					
	Attach copies of letters or emails that have been sent to: City Council Member; Business Association(s);					
	and Neighborhood Organization(s). See sample letter.					
	5. SAC Determination Letter – Complete the Sewer Availability Charge (SAC) application and Affidavit of Business					
	Use (Form #4) and submit to <a href="mailto:SACprogram@metc.state.mn.us">SACprogram@metc.state.mn.us</a> . Attach a copy of your SAC Determination Letter.					
	6. \$License Fee plus New License Surcharge					

#### **Additional Information**

#### 1. Your License Application:

- a. Incomplete applications will be returned. All applications must be signed by an owner, partner, or principal.
- b. No license will be issued for a period longer than one year. Licenses are not transferable.
- c. Make a duplicate copy of this packet for your personal records before submitting. Minnesota Sales Tax ID Number or 651-296-6181.
- d. If you are applying for multiple licenses, applications may be combined. Talk to License Staff at 300 Public Service Center.

#### 2. Public Hearing:

This may be required and will be scheduled by your License Inspector.

#### 3. Information in Other Languages:

Yog xav paub tshaj nos ntxiv, hu 612-673-2800. Macluumaad dheeri ah, kala soo xiriir 612-673-3500. Para mas información llame al 612-673-2700.





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## **Food License Application**

I. APPLICANT INFORMATION					
Legal Company Name	Business Name/DBA				
Business Address	City	State	Zip Code		
E-mail Address	Cell Phone Number Business Telephone Number				
Name (Last, First, MI)	Owner Officer	]Partner			
Mailing Address (if Different than Business Address)	City	State	Zip Code		
Minnesota Sales Tax ID Number, Social Security Number, or Inc	dividual Tax ID Number		1		
Type of Ownership Corporation LLC Sole Proprietor Partnership Non-Profit	Date of Incorporation	State of Incorpo	oration		
Is this business publicly traded?	Proposed Opening Date				
II. BUSINES	S INFORMATION				
1. License(s) Requested					
2. As an Applicant/Licensee, I am  Starting a new business in a new building. (New Business) Starting a new business in an existing building. (New Business) Taking over an existing business (New Owner)  Name of Previous Tenant Equipment Changes. Provide equipment info and photos.  Remodeling Only					
3. Company Operations Is business over 5,000 sq ft.? Yes No If yes, how m	any facilities?				
INTERIOR	EXTERI	OR			
Gross Square Footage for Business Use	Gross Square Footage for Business	Use			
Seating Capacity Fire Occupancy	Seating Capacity Total	<b>Customer Capacity</b>			
Hours of Operation	Hours of Operation				
Describe in detail the principal products and/or services rendered.					

<ul> <li>4. Entertainment: Check all categories of entertainment you are planning to provide on your premises.         <ul> <li>No entertainment.</li> <li>Limited Entertainment: Limited to literary readings, storytelling, live solo comedians, electronically reproduced music (TV/radio), karaoke, jukebox, amplified or non-amplified music by five or fewer musicians, and group singing participated in by patrons of the establishment. No patron dancing. Describe below.</li> <li>General Entertainment: Other forms of entertainment which do not meet the definition above. Examples include two or more comedians, bands with amplified musical instruments, patrons dancing, plays, shows, contests, etc. Describe below.</li> <li>Adult Entertainment: Persons who are unclothed or in in attire/costume which exposes any portion of female breasts and/or male or female genitals (nude or semi-nude). Describe below.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>						
5. Are you planning or have you completed any construction or remodeling? YES NO	Name of Contractor or Building	Manager				
Explain the scope of the remodeling or construction.						
III. OWNERS, PAR	RTNERS, OFFICERS					
List all of the owners, officers, stockholders and/or partners. Owner	ship must add up to 100%. Attach a	dditional s	heets if ne	cessary.		
Full Name: Last, First, Middle	Telephone	Title		Ownership %		
Home Address	City	State	Zip	Date of Birth		
Full Name: Last, First, Middle	Telephone	Title		Ownership %		
Home Address	City	State	Zip	Date of Birth		
Full Name: Last, First, Middle	Telephone	Title		Ownership %		
Home Address	City	State	Zip	Date of Birth		
Have any of the people listed above been convicted of a crime? YES NO If Yes, please provide or attach specific information about date s and conviction .						
IV. BACKGROUND INFORMATION						
1. List any licenses you currently have or previously held in Minneapolis (Business or Individual).  1. List any licenses you currently have or previously held in Minneapolis (Business or Individual).						
2. Have you ever had a business license denied or revoked by Minneapolis or another government entity? YES NO If Yes, Indicate the Date of Denial/Revocation, Government Agency, and Reason for Denial or Revocation.						
3. Are you sharing the licensed premises with any other business	? Yes No If yes, describ	e.				

V. WORKERS COMPENSATION				
Workers' Compensation Compa	ny	Policy Number		Dates of Coverage
Legrify that Lam not required t	o carry workers compensat	Or ion insurance because	I am self-insu	red. 🗌 I am the sole proprietor
and I have no employees.   I h				
specifically exempted by statute	<del>-</del> -	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		spouse, parents, and children
regardless of age. All other worl			be covered.	
	VI. CERTII	TIED FOOD MANAGER		
Name of Certified Food Manage	r			
	1	/II. VEHICLES		
Will there be vehicles used in th		0		
Year/Make/Model	Vehicle Company ID	t VIN Numl	ber	License Plate # / State
		. VERIFICATION		
The data you furnish on this app				
Disclosure of this information is voluntary. You are not legally required to provide this data; however, if you fail to do so, the City of Minneapolis may be unable to process this application. Disclosure of your Minnesota Tax ID Number, Social Security Number,				
or Individual Tax ID Number is required by Minnesota Statutes 270C.72, and your Social Security number may be requested by and				
released to the Minnesota Commissioner of Revenue. After issuance of a license, all information contained in this application,				
except your Social Security Number, will be public information pursuant to Minnesota Statutes, Chapter 13.  A SIGNATURE IS REQUIRED IN ORDER TO PROCESS THIS APPLICATION				
A SIGNATURE IS REQUIRED IN ORDER TO PROCESS THIS AFFEIGATION				
I, (print name), certify or declare under penalty of perjury under the				
laws of the State of Minnesota that the foregoing is true and correct. All information given is subject to verification by the State of				
Minnesota. I understand that false information may result in the denial, suspension or revocation of my business license.				
SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT			DATE	

### City of Minneapolis Requirements for Insurance Certificates

#### CERTIFICATE OF LIABILITY INSURANCE

PRODUCER Agency Address City, State, Zip		NO RIG	THIS CERTIFICATE IS ISSUED AS A MATTER OF INFORMATION ONLY AND CONFERS NO RIGHTS UPON THE CERTIFICATE HOLDER.  THIS CERTIFICATE DOES NOT AMEND, EXTEND OR ALTER THE COVERAGE AFFORDED BY THE POLICIES BELOW.				
			INSURI	ERS AFFORDING CO	OVERAGE		
The Legal/Corporate Name	INSURED	)	INSURE	R A·			
must match exactly (word for word) to the			INSURE				
Approved Licensee Name	<b></b>	•	INSURE	R C:			
(including Inc, or LLC),			INSURE	R D:			
Trade Name (DBA)			INSURE	R E:			
and address of premises.	COVER	AGES	•				
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	INSR		POLICY NUMBER	EFFECTIVE DATE	POLICY EXPIRATION		
	LTR	TYPE OF INSURANCE GENERAL LIABILITY		(MM/DD/YY)	DATE (MM/DD/YY)		AITS
		SENERAL DIABILITY				EACH OCCURRENCE	\$
		† COMMERCIAL GENERAL LIABILITY			]	FIRE DAMAGE (Any	\$
		† CLAIMS MADE				one fire)	
		† OCCUR				MED EXP	\$
		†				(Any one person)  PERSONAL & ADV  INJURY	\$
		†				GENERAL AGGREGATE	\$
		GEN'L AGGREGATE LIMIT APPLIES PER:				PRODUCTS - COMP/OP AGG	\$
		† PROJECT † LOC AUTOMOBILE LIABILITY		40	<u> </u>	COMBINED	
		† ANY AUTO † ALL OWNED AUTOS	116		1	SINGLE LIMIT (Ea accident) BODILY INJURY	\$
		† SCHEDULED AUTOS † HIRED AUTOS † NON – OWNED AUTOS		10		(Per person)  BODILY INJURY (Per accident)	\$
		†				PROPERTY DAMAGE (Per accident)	\$
		GARAGE LIABILITY				AUTO ONLY – (Ea Accident)	\$
		† ANY AUTO †				OTHER EA THAN ACC AUTO	\$
	-	EXCESS LIABILITY	+			ONLY: AGG EACH OCCURRENCE	\$
		† OCCUR † CLAIMS MADE			]	AGGREGATE	\$
		† DEDUCTIBLE					\$
		† RETENTION				X/WC STATUTORY	\$
	A	WORKER'S COMPENSATION AND EM PLOYER'S LIABILITY				LIMITS / OTHER	
						E.L. EACH ACCIDENT	
					· ·	E.L. DISEASE – EA EMPLOYEE	
						E.L. DISEASE -	
		OTHER	+			POLICY LIMIT	
	DESCRI	PTION OF OPERATIONS/LOCATIONS/VEHI	ICLES/EXCLUSION	ONS ADDED BY EN	DORSEMENT/SPECI	AL PROVISIONS:	
	ADDITIO	ONAL INSURED; INSURER LETTER					
	City of	ICATE HOLDER Minneapolis es and Consumer Services					
Original signature or	1 City I		AUTHORIZE	D REPRESENTATI	VE		
stamp of Agent. —	350 South 5th Street		-				
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Applications will be returned if requirements are not complete.



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## Process and Criteria for Sidewalk Café Licenses Approved by the Minneapolis City Council, July 2006

The application for a license to operate a sidewalk café, or for the use of café area during winter months, heated or unheated, can be obtained from the Division of Licenses and Consumer Services.

A Sidewalk Café License Permit is required to place tables, chairs, or heating units on the public right of way. At the time of application, the applicant will be given a packet of information needed to complete the application. In this packet will be the application form, instructions on how to create a diagram showing the sidewalk café layout, insurance certificate form, and information on alcoholic beverage license request, if needed. Applications for a new sidewalk café location will have a public hearing at the Community Development and Regulatory Services meeting (MCO 265.300) between the submittal of the application and the approval of the City Council which takes approximately four weeks. If applicants currently hold a liquor license, the time is approximately six weeks. To get final approval, the application is routed to the Health Department and the Public Works Department for approval before sending it on to City Council.

#### **Checklist: Sidewalk Café License**

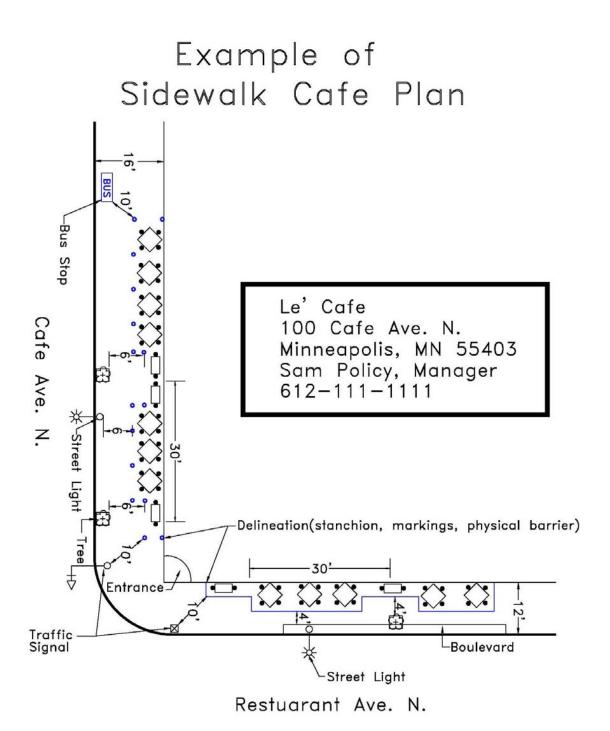
Attach a scaled plan of the proposed sidewalk café including the following elements:

- 1. The detailed floor plan must cover the entire area between curb and the building, including the curb line and building wall.
- 2. The plan must show all existing and proposed obstructions in this area. A checklist of possible items to be shown and located on the plan is the following:
  - width of grass area
  - width of sidewalk
  - sign posts
  - parking meters
  - miscellaneous (fire hydrants, planters, bus shelters or kiosk)
  - traffic signals
  - trees/grates
  - light poles
  - building entrances/exits
  - emergency exits
- 3.5% or a minimum of one (1) table must be ADA accessible.
- 4. Show the proposed sidewalk café area on the plan including:
  - number and size of tables
  - number of chairs and location to the tables
  - number of heating elements and location of storage area for gas cylinders
  - any other amenities to be placed, such as planters, lights, signs, umbrellas, etc.
  - delineation such as fencing, stanchions, etc.

Indicate whether any of the tables, chairs, heating devices, or other amenities will be physically attached to the public walk. If yes, a Public Works Encroachment Permit and permits associated with the use of any type of fuel for heating (obtained from Minneapolis Fire Department) must be submitted and subsequently approved.

5. Indicate any planted, groomed, or otherwise landscaped areas including boulevard of your building premises that are adjacent to the sidewalk areas.

- 6. The building wall shall identify all doors, windows, and other openings, as well as any building feature requiring emergency access.
- 7. Label all streets running in front of or adjacent to the property.
- 8. Indicate all sidewalk dimensions from building face to back of curb.
- 9. Indicate business name, address, and phone number on plan. Indicate contact name plus address and phone number if different than business.
- 10. The entire plan shall be dimensioned and must be on 8 ½- by 11-inch paper. Submit two legible hard copies to Business Licenses application for license.
- 11. A copy of the plan, license, and any additional permits (those needed for heating units) must be posted on-site and readily available upon request at all times. The name and phone number of sidewalk café manager must be on the plan. If the license and plan are not available, fines can and will be levied.



#### **Information Items**

- 1. The City of Minneapolis may approve sidewalk cafés with a standard less than the herein-mentioned standards when both the ADA requirements (four foot minimum) and limited pedestrian volumes are met.
- 2. A minimum of four (4) feet of clear, unobstructed pedestrian walkway shall be maintained between all obstructions and the proposed edge of café when the existing sidewalk is twelve (12) feet or less and will not extend more than thirty (30) feet where it shall widen to six (6) feet for a minimum of six (6) feet and provide ample room for two or more wheelchairs, strollers, pedestrians, etc., to pass. When two neighboring cafés fall within the thirty (30) foot zone, both will equally share the six (6) foot zone. A minimum of six (6) feet shall be maintained between all obstructions and the proposed edge of café when existing sidewalk is wider than twelve (12) feet. Alignment of tables/heating elements must be straight to the greatest degree possible.
- 3. Unless specifically exempted, all cafés must be within an area that is physically delineated. Operators may use structural devices (stanchions, planters, etc.) or may mark the sidewalk with paint markings at each corner of the approved area and every eight (8) feet of the area. (This is not permitted on Nicollet Mall.) These markings must be approved by Business Licenses and/or Public Works Traffic and Parking Services. Operation of the sidewalk café outside of the delineated area is not permitted.
- 4. Cafés approved after the effective date of this policy may be allowed next to street (curbside) on blocks where parking is prohibited. If allowed, a two (2) foot clear zone from *back of curb* must be maintained at all times when tables/chairs are occupied. No new sidewalk café license will be granted after the effective date of this policy if it is to be located next to the street (curbside) if parking meters or active loading zones are present anywhere on the block face.
- 5. At no time will wait staff be allowed to block pedestrian walkway when taking orders or delivering orders.
- 6. No portion of a sidewalk café (except those with ten (10) or fewer seats with the approval of Public Works Traffic and Parking Services) shall be located within ten (10) feet of designated bus stop, taxi stand, traffic signal, crosswalk, pedestrian curb cut, or active loading zone.
- 7. A minimum vertical height of six (6) feet six (6) inches shall be maintained between the sidewalk and the lowest edge of table umbrellas or awnings if the umbrella or awning extends over the edge of the café boundary.
- 8. All emergency entrances and exits must be clear of obstructions at all times and marked clearly on diagram and Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) requirements (four (4) foot minimum) shall be met.
- 9. No permanent attachments to the public sidewalk or other public improvements shall be permitted unless the applicant can provide sufficient proof that no public liability is likely to result and that any damage to public facilities will be repaired upon termination of the sidewalk café facility. A Public Works Encroachment Permit may be required.
- 10. Existing public street furniture, such as benches, planter boxes, kiosks, and trash receptacles shall not be moved or removed to accommodate a sidewalk café unless it can be determined that such street furniture is no longer needed or that they can appropriately be relocated elsewhere. Any removal or relocation of street furniture will be at the applicant's expense and with City of Minneapolis Business Licenses and Public Works approval.
- 11. The City of Minneapolis retains all rights to remove or alter any sidewalk café area at any time for public improvements or repairs to City of Minneapolis right of way, in the event of a civic event, or any identified safety issue or hazard.
- 12. Any sandwich board or menu stand pertaining to the holder of a sidewalk café permit must be located within the approved precincts of the sidewalk café.
- 13. The sidewalk café license term shall be April 1 to March 31 of each year.
- 14. Annual license renewal is required for all sidewalk cafés. With the exception of (4), above, as of April 1, 2006, all sidewalk cafés will have to come into compliance with the new policy.
- 15. Insurance must be submitted on a City of Minneapolis insurance certificate. The effective coverage dates are required to cover the entire length of the season. (Attach certificate to license application.)
- 16. All licenses are subject to City of Minneapolis approval and renewal plus any local service district review.
- 17. Failure to comply with any provision of the sidewalk café policy shall result in adverse licensing including but not limited to fines, suspension, and revocation.
- 18. If at any time ownership of the business changes, the current license becomes void and the new ownership must apply for a new sidewalk café license immediately.
- 19. Incomplete applications will not be accepted.
- 20. Use of LP gas for use in any form of heating device must meet City of Minneapolis Fire Department Regulations. Contact City of Minneapolis Fire Department when using any form of heating unit within the sidewalk café. Any permit needed for heating device must accompany the sidewalk café license and plan and be available when asked for.



# Sewer Availability Charge (SAC) 2017 DETERMINATION APPLICATION

Return to: SACprogram@metc.state.mn.us

If filling form out by hand, you must print clearly. We will reject incomplete or illegible forms.

Contact Email Address:

St. Paul, Minnesota 55101-1805 651.602.1770 | 651.602.1030 fax





#### APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS

- Business Name and Type of Business Name of the business that the SAC determination calculation is for and the type of business it is. (e.g. office, apartment, learning center, retail, clinic, etc.)
- 2. Estimated Year of Occupancy What year did (or will) this business move into this space?
- 3. Site Location/Campus The name of the building, such as Mall of America, Centennial Lakes, City Centre, etc.
- 4. Parcel Identification Number This is a unique number assigned by the County for the specific property where the building is located. If you don't know this information, you will need to contact the County, County website, City or property owner to get it. This helps us identify exactly where the property is located on a map.
- 5. Original Construction Year When the building was originally built. If you don't know this information, you will need to contact the County, County website, City or property owner to get it.
- 6. Project Description Describe the specific work you are doing at the property so that the SAC charges are assessed correctly.
- 7. **Previous Site/Business** This section helps identify potential SAC credits that could lower your SAC charges. Enter the previous business name, type of business, and estimated years of occupancy that the new business will be taking over. If the previous address and/or suite number is different than the current address and/or suite number, enter this information.
- 8. Contact Information This is the person the SAC Technician will contact if there are any questions. A copy of the determination letter will also be sent to this person.
- 9. Save this form and email with the other items from the list below.

#### ITEMS YOU ARE REQUIRED TO SUBMIT

- 1. SAC Determination Application (Transmittal-A)
- 2. Site Plan If not available, an aerial photo pinpointing the location of the building will be accepted
- 3. Architectural Floor Plans must be:
  - a. Same plan that you sent to your City for their review
  - b. Scalable, or with individual dimensions shown on the plan for every room and every space
  - c. All rooms labeled on the plan for the intended use of the space, or room schedule
  - d. Furniture plan (for restaurant, salon, bar, theater, stadium/arena seats) include indoor and outdoor
  - e. Plumbing fixture layout (for clinic, hospital, parking garage)
- 4. Additional Transmittal or Affidavit forms –Please review Transmittal-B, Affidavit-A, Affidavit-B or Reclaim forms to see if they apply to your specific project. Fill out all those that apply.

#### ADDITIONAL ITEMS THAT MAY BE REQUESTED FOR REVIEW

- 1. Building Tenant Layout Plan or drawing showing the location of the current business in the whole building
- 2. Demolition Floor Plans This helps identify the previous use to determine potential credits. Must be:
  - a. Scalable, or with individual dimensions shown on the plan for every room and every space
  - b. All rooms labeled on the plan for the previous use of the space, or room schedule April 2017 Page 10 of 11



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## Sewer Availability Charge (SAC) 2017 AFFIDAVIT OF BUSINESS USE FOOD AND DRINK ESTABLISHMENTS

YOU MUST ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS OR	WE WILL REJECT THE APP	CLICATION.
Business Name:		
Business Site Address:		
City Name:		
PLEASE MARK ALL BOXES THAT ARE TRU	E ABOUT YOUR BUSINESS	WITH AN X.
Type of Service Provided		
We Handle and Prepare Food, a	nd Have Customer Seatin	ng:
☐ Yes	□ No	
We Serve Drinks Only (We Don'	t Handle Food) and We F	lave Customer Seating:
☐ Yes	□ No	
We Serve Take Out Food Only a	nd Have No Customer Se	eating
☐ Yes	□ No	
Type of Seating Provided		
What Type of Seating Will the E	stablishment Have:	
☐ Indoor Seating	☐ Outdoor Seating	☐ No Seating
If your business has any restrictions on consulthe City-approved ordinance or City-issued bu		
I certify that I have read and understood all q and belief. I also understand that giving false recalculated, and I will be held responsible fo	answers in this affidavit is fr	
Print Name of Business Owner:		
Signature of Business Owner:		
Date:		