



Town of Manchester



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Peddling and Soliciting

Rules and Regulations for Public Vending in the Town of Manchester

All licensees operating under the provisions of Town of Manchester, Code of Ordinances, Chapter 235, Peddling and Soliciting, shall abide by the following rules and regulations:

1. All vendors must display, in a prominent location at the place of business, the license issued by the Town of Manchester, with a copy of these rules and regulations attached.
2. Vendors may not block sidewalks, impede traffic, create a traffic hazard or otherwise violate any statute or ordinance. If any vehicle associated with the vendor is parked on the street, the vendor must comply with all parking regulations and the vehicle must be properly registered with the Department of Motor Vehicles.
3. No products or signs may be displayed on the ground. All items offered for sale shall be maintained within the tent, booth, cart or food vehicle designated for such purpose.
4. If food products are being sold, there must be strict compliance with all of the applicable provisions of Chapter 187 of the Manchester Code of Ordinances having to do with the sale of food, which is administered by the Health Department.
5. All vendor carts, vehicles, booths, tents or any appurtenant structures must be self-contained. No water, sanitary or other facilities shall be permitted, unless specifically authorized, in writing, by the Director of Health. Carts are subject to inspection by the Fire Marshall at any time.
6. All vendor carts, vehicles, booths, tents or any appurtenant structures shall be removed from the location when the vendor is not in operation. The operation of any such business at any location shall not be conducted before 7:00 a.m. or after 9:00 p.m. on any day.
7. Door-to-door sales by vendors shall not be conducted before 7:00 a.m. or after 7:00 p.m. on any day.
8. No sales may be made from Town facilities other than streets and sidewalks. Those Town facilities where sales are not allowed include, but are not limited to, parks, municipal parking lots, schools, fire stations and police stations.
9. Vendors who wish to operate on private property, state property or federal property need the permission of the property owner and a special exception for outdoor sales from the Manchester Planning and Zoning Commission. Such property must be in a commercial or industrial zone.
10. There shall be no vending operations on residential property.
11. Vendors may not trespass, harass, intimidate, threaten or otherwise violate local, state or federal law.

NOTICE: FAILURE TO COMPLY WITH ANY OF THESE RULES AND REGULATIONS MAY RESULT IN THE DENIAL, SUSPENSION OR REVOCATION OF A LICENSE.