



RAYMORE

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MOBILE VENDORS

WHAT IS A MOBILE VENDOR?

A mobile vendor is any person or business that operates a portable cart, vehicle, apparatus, trailer or structure used for the sale or display of food, beverages, goods or merchandise for walk-up customers. Examples include:

- Food trucks, trailers, etc.
- Pop up events
- Temporary buildings, sheds, etc.

WHERE ARE MOBILE VENDORS PERMITTED?

Mobile vendors are permitted, with property owner's permission, in agricultural, business, commercial and industrial areas and are allowed in parks, recreation and public use areas.

A mobile vendor cart, truck or similar vehicle used by the vendor **shall not be placed or parked** in a location that would:

- Impact pedestrian, bicycle or motor vehicle traffic circulation
- Interfere with or block any access drive, intersection, sidewalk, or pathway that provides access to a property or to a structure*

Except for groups of common vendors within carnivals and circuses as regulated by Section 420.060F of the Unified Development Code, a mobile vendor:

- **Shall not** remain overnight on the same property as where the sales occur. The cart, truck or similar vehicle can be brought to the same property on consecutive days
- **Shall not** be stored outdoors on a property when not open for business

WHAT PERMITS OR LICENSES ARE REQUIRED FOR A MOBILE VENDOR?

City of Raymore

An occupational license must be obtained from the City Clerk prior to conducting business. The following information must be submitted with the application:

- Mobile vendors selling food or beverages shall submit a copy of the food permit from the Cass County Health Department.
- Written permission of the owner of the property upon which the mobile vendor is located
- Retail sales tax license - no tax due statement from the Missouri Department of Revenue
- Any additional information required by the City Clerk to obtain an occupational license

The license fee is **\$100** per calendar year. The application form is available on the City website at www.raymore.com or can be picked up at City Hall, 100 Municipal Circle, Raymore, MO.

South Metropolitan Fire Protection District

A permit and inspection must be completed by the South Metropolitan Fire Protection District (SMFPD) Fire Marshal for compliance with relevant International Fire Code (IFC) provisions prior to the City issuing any licenses for a mobile vendor. The permit fee is **\$25**.

To obtain an application and inspection, please contact **Fire Marshal Brett Palmer** at bpalmer@southmetrofire.org or **816-331-3008**.

IS SIGNAGE ALLOWED FOR MOBILE VENDORS?

Signs are allowed on the portable cart, vehicle, apparatus, trailer, or structure that is used by mobile vendors.

One temporary event sign is permitted for the mobile vendor. The sign shall not be placed or located to be visible for display or advertising when the business is not open. The sign shall not be placed in the street right-of-way. No permit is required for the temporary event sign for mobile vendors.

***MOBILE VENDORS SHALL NOT BE PERMANENTLY PARKED IN THE STREET RIGHT OF WAY**

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