CITY OF CLERMONT

PEDDLERS AND ITINERANT VENDORS PERMIT

FILING INSTRUCTIONS

Permit Application Information:

A site plan or area plan drawn to scale must be submitted. The site plan should indicate the proposed location and all access points. Additional parking may be required depending on the permit request.

Approved application and site plan must be submitted to the Development Services Department at least seven days prior to the time at which the permit applied for shall become effective. Complete application is required or additional time may be required.

All sidewalks and driveways must remain clear at all times, unless approved by the City of Clermont.

All federal, state and other applicable regulatory agencies rules must be adhered to.

If any electrical connections are required, a temporary hookup from the appropriate electric service provider is required and must be approved by the Fire Marshall.

A permit shall be limited by time and date as determined by the City Manager in accordance with the Code.

City of Clermont – Land Development Code:

DIVISION 2. PEDDLERS AND ITINERANT VENDORS

Sec. 18-51. Definitions.

The following words, terms and phrases, when used in this division, shall have the meanings ascribed to them in this section, except where the context clearly indicates a different meaning:

Itinerant vendor means any person who engages in the temporary business of selling and delivering goods, merchandise or services, and which, in furtherance of such purposes, leases, uses or occupies any building or property in the city for the exhibition and sale of such goods and services. The person engaged as an iterant vendor shall not be relieved from complying with the provisions of this division merely by reason of associating temporarily with any local merchant.

Peddler means any person traveling by foot, wagon, automotive vehicle or other type of conveyance from place to place, house to house, or street to street carrying, conveying, transporting goods, wares, merchandise, fruits, services, etc., and offering or exposing the same for sale.

(Code 1962, § 12-11; Code 1998, § 18-51)

Sec. 18-52. Permit—Required.

No itinerant vendor or peddler shall offer any goods for sale, lease or trade within the city without a permit from the city manager or his designated representative authorizing such sales, and, if applicable, a local business tax receipt as prescribed in chapter 58, article IV.

(Code 1962, § 12-11; Code 1998, § 18-52)

Sec. 18-53. Same—Application.

(a) An application for a permit as an itinerant vendor or peddler shall be made to the city manager upon forms provided by the city. Such application shall be filed with the city manager at least seven days prior to the time at which the permit applied for shall become effective; provided, however, that the city manager may, for good cause shown, allow the filling of an application in less than the seven days prescribed in this section.

(b) The application required in this section shall contain:

(1) The purpose for which sales are to be made;

(2) An outline of the methods to be used in conducting sales;

(3) The time when such sales shall be made, giving the dates for the beginning and ending of such sales;

(4) A statement of the character and nature of the goods, services or articles for which the sales are being done by the applicant; and

(5) Such other information as may be reasonably required by the city manager in order to determine the kind and character of the proposed sales.

(Code 1962, § 12-11(a); Code 1998, § 18-53; Ord. No. 231-C, § 1, 3-22-1983)

Sec. 18-54. Same—Granting or denying applications.

The city manager shall issue the permit provided for in section 18-52, whenever he shall find the following:

(1) All of the statements made in the application are true.

(2) The applicant has not been convicted of a crime of moral turpitude.

(3) The control and supervision of the itinerant vendor or peddle will be under responsible and reliable persons.

(4) The applicant has not engaged in any fraudulent transaction or enterprise, and the sales will not be a fraud on the public.

(5) All other ordinances and regulations are being complied with.

(Code 1962, § 12-11(b); Code 1998, § 18-54; Ord. No. 231-C, § 1, 3-22-1983)

Sec. 18-55. Same—Denial of application.

If the application does not meet the requirements enumerated in this division, the city manager shall deny the application. Any decision of the city manager to deny an application may be appealed to the city council.

(Code 1962, § 12-11(c); Code 1998, § 18-55; Ord. No. 231-C, § 1, 3-22-1983)

Sec. 18-56. Same—Revocation.

Whenever it shall be shown or whenever the city manager has knowledge that any person to whom a permit has been issued under this division has violated any of the provisions of this division or that any vender or peddle has misrepresented the purpose of the sales, the city manager shall immediately suspend the permit and give the permit holder written notice by hand delivery or by registered mail of such suspension. Any revocation or suspension may be appealed to the city council.

(Code 1962, § 12-11(d); Code 1998, § 18-56; Ord. No. 231-C, § 1, 3-22-1983)

Sec. 18-57. State permit; when required.

If the total price of any goods or services is in excess of $25.00 as defined in F.S. §501.021, the applicant shall present a state solicitation permit.

State law references: Home solicitation permit required, F.S. § 501.022.

DO NOT include the instructions with your application

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BUSINESS NAME (if applicable)			Date:
APPLICANT/CONTACT INFORMATION			
Name			
Address	City	State	Zip
Telephone	Fax		
Email			
PROPERTY OWNER INFORMATION			
Owner's Name			
Owner Address	City	State	Zip
Telephone	Fax		
PERMIT INFORMATION			
Purpose for which sales are to be made:			
Types of goods, services or articles for sale:			
Methods used to conduct sales and description of proposed operation (attach additional information as necessary):			
Proposed location(s) (attach site plan, map, aerial, etc. as needed to demonstrate proposal):			
Date(s) for which permit is requested:			
Hours of operation:			

I/We, the undersigned property owner/applicant, do hereby state the I/we have read the City of Clermont's regulations for Open Air Sales and will abide by these regulations. By signing below, applicant and/or property owner understands that should the Open Air Sales not occur on the date specified above, subsequent requests may be denied.

_____	_____
Applicant Name (print)	Applicant Name *(signature)*
_____	_____
Owner Name (print)	Owner Name *(signature)*

_____	_____
Approved by the City of Clermont	**Date**