

**Vernon Township** 

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# **Temporary Food & Drink** (less than one week) License Application Fee: \$20.00

ORGANIZATION INFOR	RMATION					
Name					Туре	
Address						
Telephone		Fax		E-Mail	E-Mail	
Name of Organization Represe	entative					
EVENT INFORMATION						
Date(s) of Event	Hours	Hours				
Location of Event			1			
FOOD INFORMATION						
Type of food to be served/sold	i:					
Where will food be bought?						
Where will food be prepared a	nd stored prior to the	e event?				
Signature of Applicant		Date				
Print Name/Title						
FOR OFFICIAL USE ONLY						
Date Rec'd	Fee Rec'd		Date Issued		License #	

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**Food Handling and Preparation Requirements** 

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Please study the following requirements for handling food and insure that all persons connected with the food handling process also study the list and follow the requirements.

#### Food handlers shall follow these practices:

- Practice a high degree of personal hygiene and cleanliness in work practices and dress.
- Food handlers must wear disposable gloves and change them frequently while in the process of handling ready to eat foods only. These gloves need to be removed when exchanging cash or handling other non food items.
- When gloves are not used work with clean hands. Wash hands thoroughly after any work interruption. Hands should be kept away from mouth, nose and hair. Fingernails should be closely cut and cleaned. Do not handle food with open wounds or sores.
- Proper hand washing facilities must be provided, which includes soap, towels, running water and a dirty water collection container.
- If Port-A-Johns are provided, hand washing is needed in the Port-A-John.
- Smoking is prohibited while handling food and while in the food preparation area.
- Food handlers with communicable illness, cuts and/or infections are prohibited from preparing or serving food.
- Food handlers shall wear an apron, work shirt/blouse. These clothing items must be changed when they become heavily soiled.
- Appropriate food handling person, with copy of food handling certificate, must be present during facility operation.

## Food display and service requirements:

- All potable water connects shall be made with food grade hose.
- All porous floor surfaces (dirt/grass) shall be covered with non porous flooring material.
- Sanitizing solution must be provided and must be at proper strength.
- Provide thermometers for monitoring cold and hot temperatures.
- Proper equipment must be provided to keep cold foods cold and hot foods hot
- All potentially hazardous foods which include food that contains milk products, eggs, meat, poultry, fish, and shellfish, must be kept hot or cold as follows:
  - Hot food must be held at 135°F or higher.
  - Cold food must be held at 41°F or lower.
- Safe Cooking Temperatures (internal temperatures for raw animal meats):
  - Fish, meat, pork and game animals must be cooked to 145°F.
  - Ground meat/fish, injected meats and pooled eggs must be cooked to 155°F.
  - Poultry and stuffed meat/pasta/fish must be cooked to 165°F.
- Hamburgers must be cooked thoroughly until well done.
- Cross contamination of foods must be avoided. After handling raw products such as meats, poultry, eggs and fish: Change gloves/wash hands; sanitize equipment, utensils, and surfaces which were in contact with raw product.
- Condiments, especially mayonnaise and butter should be served in individual pre-wrapped packages. Do not store in the hot sun. They should be stored at or below 41°F.