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County Executive

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Commissioner of Health

** PLEASE READ CAREFULLY AND ENTIRELY TO ENSURE TIMELY AND PROPER PROCESSING OF YOUR PERMIT APPLICATION**

Dear Food Service Vendor:

Enclosed is an application to operate a Temporary Food Establishment. The application and the appropriate fee(s) must be submitted at least 5 business days prior to your operation start date or a \$25.00 administrative late fee will be assessed.

The following MUST be completed in its entirety and returned in order for your application to be processed. The application CANNOT be processed if ANY of the required information below is missing or incomplete and will be returned and subject to a \$25.00 late fee, if applicable. Should you have any questions regarding the enclosed application, please call the Environmental Health Division at (845) 340-3010.

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	Complete application in its entirety
	Review items needed for operation (see reverse side of this letter for list of items)
	Enclose copies of *Workers' Compensation and Disability forms or signed CE-200 Exemption form
	*New York State Law requires every facility to have workers' compensation and disability insurance or to have a CE-200 Exemption form from the New York State Workers' Compensation Board. See page four of the application and the WC-DB information sheet for instructions regarding the forms that MUST be submitted.
	Enclose appropriate payment of fee(s) by check or money order payable to: <u>Ulster County Commissioner of Finance</u>
	If not-for-profit, please provide proof of status such as a copy of the NYS official Letter of Acceptance
	Fees for Temporary Food Service Establishments:
	For profit\$50.00
	*Not-for-Profit\$ 0.00
	Returned check fee\$20.00
	** <u>Administrative Late fee</u> \$25.00

ALL PERMIT APPLICATION FEES ARE NON-REFUNDABLE

□ Return all of the above to: Ulster County Department of Health Environmental Health Services Division

239 Golden Hill Lane Kingston, NY 12401

Website: www.co.ulster.ny.us/health

^{*} If your organization is not-for-profit, please record this in the proper space provided on the application, submit proof of your not-for-profit status such as a copy of the NYS official Letter of Acceptance and the \$50.00 fee will be waived. However, if application is not received five (5) business days prior to opening date, the administrative late fee will still be applied.

^{**} An administrative late fee of \$25.00 will be assessed if your application is not received 5 business days prior to your operation start date.

Anyone preparing food, other than on-site, must prepare their food at an establishment that has a valid Department of Health or Department of Agriculture and Markets permit and are also required to comply with the Ulster County Sanitary Code, Article VI.

ITEMS NEEDED FOR OPERATION

- Single service articles (paper plates, paper napkins, plastic utensils, etc.).
- Proper utensils, plastic gloves, and/or deli paper must be used to eliminate unnecessary hand-food contact.
- Equipment must be present to cook or reheat foods to 165 degrees Fahrenheit or above and to maintain food temperature at 140 degrees Fahrenheit during hot holding.
- Equipment must be present to maintain refrigerated food temperatures at 45 degrees Fahrenheit or below.
- Potentially hazardous foods must be transported at temperatures of above 140 degrees Fahrenheit or below 45 degrees Fahrenheit.
- Equipment used for refrigeration must have thermometers. A stab thermometer (0-220 degrees Fahrenheit) is required for checking hot and cold food temperatures.
- Water and ice must be obtained from an approved source. Home sources are not approved.
- Three containers (minimum 5 gallons each) to wash, rinse, and sanitize kitchenware.
- A container for sanitizing wiping cloths (100 ppm bleach).
- A covered container (minimum 5 gallons) with a spout for fresh water storage.
- Liquid soap dispenser and paper towels for hand washing.
- Food should not be stored in undrained ice.
- Garbage cans with liners and covers.
- Bathroom facilities must be provided at the temporary food service site.
- Waste water must be disposed of in a sanitary manner.