Mobile Vending Cart Checklist

**PRELIMINARY INFORMATION**

- Carts may only be operated outside of the Downtown area and carts must remain in motion when not actively making a sale.
- The license is issued to the Owner of the business, additional employees are covered under the owner’s license.

**CHECKLIST**

- A Food Permit must be acquired through the Kent County Health Department or Michigan Department of Agriculture and Rural Development for all carts selling food and/or beverages.
  - Kent County Health Department – (616) 632-7100
  - Michigan Department of Agriculture and Rural Development – (517) 284-5771
- Completed Mobile Vending Cart Application (part I and II).
- Completed Affidavit and Indemnity Agreement.
- Non-refundable application fee
- License must be kept with cart and produced upon request.

*To review rules and regulations associated with Mobile Vending Carts applicants may review [Chapter 99](#) of the Grand Rapids City Code entitled “Transient Merchants.”

**General Licensing Regulations can be found in [Chapter 91](#) of the Grand Rapids City Code entitled “Licensing and Regulation Generally.”

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