

ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH FOOD TRUCK PERMITS & **FOOD HANDLERS COURSES**

DSHS - Approved Food Handler Course

FOOD TRUCK PERMITS

- Health Permit
- Vending Permit

Yearly Fees - Permits Expire on Dec. 31

FEES

\$140

\$120

Renewals Due by January 15



\$12.00 **FOOD HANDLER PERMIT** *CASH ONLY*

Permit must be renewed every (2) years.

Must arrive 15 minutes before class.



ENGLISH CLASSES

Held every Monday at Health District 1702 Horne Rd.

9:00 am - 10:30 am 3:00 pm - 4:30 pm 5:30 pm - 7:00 pm



CLASES EN ESPANOL

SÓLO EN EFECTIVO

El Tercer Jueves de Cada Mes

3:00 pm - 4:30 pm

Debes llegar 15 minutos antes de la clase





1702 Horne Rd Corpus Christi, TX 78416



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CITY OF CORPUS CHRISTI MOBILE FOOD VENDOR PERMITTING

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Application

- Food Vendor Application
- Employee Background Check
- Sales Tax

- DBA doing business as Certificate
- Liability Insurance
- Food Manager and Food Handler cards

02

Mobile food vending units operating within the city limits of Corpus Christi must obtain a Health Permit and a Street Vending Permits. Both Permits can be obtained at the:

Corpus Christi Health Department

1702 Horne Rd, Corpus Christi TX 78416

Health Permit

Fee: \$140 per year per unit

Call our office at (361) 826-7222 for appointment date/time to have your unit inspected.

9:00 AM TO 3:00 PM FRIDAY 9:00 AM TO 11:00 AM

Vending Permit

Fee: \$120 per year

Requirements:/

1. General compre	ehensive liability	insurance nam	ing the City of C	Corpus Christi as
additional <mark>i</mark> nsure	ed: \$1,000,000 p	er person, per	occurrence and	l <mark>property d</mark> amage.

- 2. Current Texas State Sales Tax Certificate -State Comptroller, 400 Mann Street, Ste 600 (361) 882-1234
- □ 3. Current Assumed Name Certificate (DBA) -County Clerk's Office Located at the Nueces County Courthouse (361) 888 -0580
- ☐ 4. Current state vehicle license and state inspection sticker
- 5. Complete application at the Environmental & Consumer Health Division during time of appointment
- ☐ 6. Photo of vehicle will be taken at Environmental & Consumer Health Division
- ☐ 7. Background Checks are required for all Mobile Vendors wanting to conduct business within the City of Corpus Christi. Must go through a 3rd Party agency and agency must email results to us directly at **ccenvo.admin@cctexas.com** or in sealed envelope.
- 8. Food Trucks must have <u>water</u> in tanks, <u>thermometers</u> in all <u>coolers</u>/freezer and <u>generator</u> during inspection. (No Power Source Available at Health Dept.)

Must have permanent license plate upon inspection
(Temporary Tags are not allowed.)

Fire Inspection

A Fire Department inspection will be required to be Completed if the vending unit has one or more of the following but not limited to:

- Propane/ propane piping.
- Solid fuels such as wood or charcoal are used
- Exposed surface cooking. Fire Inspection Frost bank Building (3rd floor)
 2406 Leopard St Corpus Christi Ph# (361) 826-3930

Locations

Completing Steps 1 & 2 does not guarantee availability or approval for Corpus Christi Public Parks, Beaches and Marina you must call **361-826-3411** to get a permit.

GUIDELINES FOR MOBILE FOOD VENDING



FOOD TRUCKS ARE NOT ALLOWED TO SELL AT RESIDENTAL HOMES

Mobile Unit
 Unit will be fully enclosed with any outer openings protected by mesh screen, self- closing door and serving window must be provided.
 Floors, walls, ceiling and attached equipment should be constructed of smooth and cleanable surface.
All lighting should have shield fixtures.
Equipment adequate to maintain products temperature.
<u>Documents</u>
Ocertified Food Manager must be onsite at all times and all employees need Food Handler cards.
Food product obtained from an approved source.
OPotable water from an approved source.
Equipments & Supplies
Three compartment sink. (The sink must be large enough to wash the biggest piece of equipment used.)
Separate hand washing sink must be installed and conveniently located and accessible.
 Soap, paper towels, detergent and sanitizing chemicals provide and stored in a safe place away from food products.
○Hot and cold running water with pressure at all sinks.
 Liquid Waste Retention tank provided and Capacity at least 15% larger than the potable water storage tank, permanently installed, sloped to drain and labeled "waste water.
OPotable water distribution pipes or tubing constructed and installed
<u>Fire</u>
 Mobile units must have a suppression system if cooking with open flame (system must meet Fire Marshal requirements)
Generator must be used to provide electricity to mobile unit.
C Food Trucks must have water in tanks, thermometers in all coolers/freezer and generator during

inspection (No Power Source Available at Health Dept.)

CORPUS CHRISTI HEALTH DEPARTMENT

ENVIRONMENTAL & CONSUMER HEALTH DISTRICT 1702 HORNE RD, CORPUS CHRISTI TX 78416 AUTOMATED CLASS SCHEDULE (361) 826-7235

DSHS-APPROVED FOOD HANDLER COURSE

The Health District offers DSHS - Approved food handler's course. **ONLY** students are allowed in the classroom



\$12.00 FOOD HANDLER PERMIT

CASH ONLY

- Permit must be renewed every two (2) years
- Replacement Permit \$12.00
- Must arrive 15 minutes before each class and on first come first serve basis



ENGLISH CLASSES EVERY MONDAY

*SHOULD MONDAY BE A CITY HOLIDAY CLASS WILL BE HELD ON THE NEXT BUSINESS DAY

AVAILABLE COURSE TIMES (ENGLISH CLASSES)

9:00 am - 10:30 am

3:00 pm - 4:30 pm

5:30pm - 7:00 pm



SPANISH CLASSES

Every 3rd Thursday of the Month 3:00 p.m - 4:30pm





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