

Street Trading Consent

Local Government (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1982

Licensing
Public Protection Partnership
Council Offices
Market Street
Newbury
Berkshire
RG14 5LD

NOTES FOR APPLICANTS

1.	<p>Prior to any application being made, you should enquire whether or not planning permission is required for your chosen site.</p> <p>Note: Where planning permission is given or is already in place, it is not a forgone conclusion that a trading consent will be approved. You are strongly advised to discuss any potential site with a member of the licensing team.</p>
2.	<p>You should consider any selected site having reference to other street traders and businesses trading in similar foods/products. The Council may consider trading density in an area and refuse a licence where trading conflict arises.</p>
3.	<p>Any vehicle, trailer, van or stall must comply with the requirements of all relevant food safety law. Further information on food law can be obtained from the Council's food safety team.</p>
4.	<p>When selecting a trading location, consideration should be given to the accessibility of toilet facilities and an accommodation made to access such facilities during trading hours.</p>
5.	<p>When choosing a location, the applicant MUST consider the environmental impact upon nearby residents or businesses through noise and odour nuisance.</p>
6.	<p>Consent will be required for any vehicle, trailer or van which trades from place to place other than those businesses, which deliver specific pre-ordered goods or foods.</p>
7.	<p>Where consent is given for trading on any highway, this does not override any highway law administered by either the highways authority or the police.</p>
8.	<p>Licences are available for duration of either 12 or 6 months.</p>
9.	<p>Fees can change subject to be annual budget requirements. The current fees for both types of licence are available on request or are published on the Council's website.</p>
10.	<p>Where any licence, for either 12 or 6 months is surrendered prior to its expiry date, a refund is available. Refunds will be made for all complete unused months remaining on the licence at a pro-rata rate.</p>