



COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

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Sidewalk Vending Information

You must follow these steps in the same order to obtain the required permits to sell food or merchandise on the sidewalks.

1. Obtain Orange County Health Department Permit (required for selling food/drinks).

Contact: Orange County Health Department
1241 E. Dyer Road # 120
Santa Ana, CA 92705
(714) 433-6000
Monday – Friday, 8am – 5pm
Email: ehhealth@ochca.com

2. Obtain a Seller's Permit with the California Department of Tax and Fee Administration.

Contact: California Department of Tax & Fee Administration
16715 Von Karman Avenue # 200
Irvine, CA 92606
(949) 440-3473
www.cdtfa.ca.gov
Email: IrvineInquires@cdtfa.ca.gov

3. Obtain a Certificate of Insurance and Additional Insured from your insurance company.

4. Complete a City of Tustin Sidewalk Vending Permit Application, which can be found at:
<https://www.tustinca.org/DocumentCenter/View/3837/Sidewalk-Vending-Permit-Application>

Once steps # 1 – 4 noted above are completed, please complete and submit a business license application and upload copies of the documents noted in steps # 1 – 4 noted above either online at:
<https://tustin.hdlgov.com/Apply/GettingStarted/BusinessLicense>

Or by visiting: City of Tustin
Business License Division
300 Centennial Way
Tustin, CA 92780
Tel: (714) 573-3144
businesslicense@tustinca.org

Once the Business License and Sidewalk Vending Permit is approved (typically within two weeks), you will be notified by email or telephone to stop by City Hall during business hours to pick-up the permit.

Please be advised that Tustin City Codes 3331 – 3339 further regulate vendor display, minimum safety distances and prohibited areas, which can be viewed online at:

https://library.municode.com/ca/tustin/codes/code_of_ordinances?nodeId=ART3BURE_CH3MOBU_PT3_VESI