

ORDINANCE NO. 5, 2017 SERIES

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 111.21 OF THE CITY OF FRANKFORT CODE OF ORDINANCES RELATING TO ITINERANT MERCHANTS

WHEREAS, The Board of Commissioners wishes to amend Section 111.21 of the City of Frankfort Code of Ordinances to allow persons or entities holding a charitable fund-raising event, and governmental entities holding civic events within the City of Frankfort to pay a license fee of \$150.00 for a one-time group itinerant merchants license for persons or entities selling food or alcohol at said event.

WHEREAS, The Board of Commissioners states that persons or entities obtaining a one-time group itinerant merchants license are to be required to satisfy all other applicable City requirements, as well as the requirements of the Health Department, in providing services within the City of Frankfort.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY OF FRANKFORT, KENTUCKY, that Section 111.21 of the City of Frankfort Code of Ordinances which relates to Itinerant Merchants is amended as follows.

§ 111.21 ITINERANT MERCHANTS.

(A) Every person who shall engage in, do, or transact any temporary or transient business in the city, for the sale of any goods, wares or merchandise, or who, for the purpose of carrying on the business, shall hire, lease, use or occupy any building or structure, motor vehicle, tent, car, lot, boat or public room or any part thereof, including rooms in hotels, lodging houses, or in any street, alley or other public place or elsewhere, for a period of less than one year for the exhibition of or sale of goods, wares or merchandise shall pay a license fee of \$150. No person shall be exempt from the payment of the license imposed by this section by reason of a temporary association with any local merchant, dealer or trader or by reason of conducting the temporary or transient business in connection with or as a part of the business in the name of any local merchant, dealer or trader.

(B) Notwithstanding the language of Section 111.21(A), persons or entities holding a charitable fund-raising event, or governmental entities holding a civic event, within the City of Frankfort, may pay a license fee of \$150.00 for a one-time group itinerant merchants license applicable to persons or entities selling food or alcohol at said event that are not otherwise licensed to do business within the City of Frankfort. The one-time group itinerant merchants license shall expire four (4) days from the date of issuance or at the conclusion of the event, whichever first occurs, shall authorize sales only at said event, and shall not be applicable to vendors selling food or alcohol at more than two events per year. Persons or entities operating pursuant to a one-time group itinerant merchants license shall satisfy all other City applicable requirements, including the requirements of Chapter 115 of the Code of Ordinances and the requirements of the Health Department.

First Reading on the 2 day of May, 2017.

Final Adoption on the 8 day of May, 2017.

S/William I. May, Jr.
T/Mayor

Attest:

S/Chermie Maxwell
T/City Clerk

Summary: This amendment authorizes persons or entities holding a charitable fund-raising event, or governmental entities holding a civic event, within the City of Frankfort, to pay a license fee of \$150.00 for a one-time group itinerant merchants license so that they may sell food or alcohol at said events. The one-time group itinerant merchants license shall 1) expire four (4) days from the date of issuance or at the conclusion of the event, whichever first occurs, 2) shall authorize sales only at said event, and 3) shall not be applicable to vendors selling food or alcohol at more than two events per year. All other City applicable requirements, including the requirements of Chapter 115 and the requirements of the Health Department, must be satisfied.

S/Laura Milam Ross
T/City Solicitor

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