City of Bryan
Mobile Food Vendor FAQ’s

How Long is the Permit Valid?
• Permits are valid for one (1) year and expire on December 31

What is the Permit Fee?
Mobile Food Trucks and Concession Trailers;
  o New $500/year/vending unit
  o Renewal $250/year/vending unit
Concession Carts;
  o New $250/year/vending unit for the
  o Renewal $125/year/vending unit

How are Inspections Performed?
• Vending units are inspected annually at the time of permit issuance. An appointment must be scheduled for each inspection; walk-ins are not accepted. Inspections can be scheduled by calling the Public Works Call Center at 209-5900.

Where Can I Sell?
• On private property with written permission from the owner
• Within one hundred feet to a property with an active building permit
• Public park facility when park concessions are not open

Do I Need Written Permission to be on Private Property?
• Yes. A copy of the written permission to operate in a specific location, signed by the private property owner, shall be kept within the mobile vending unit at all times.

How Long Can I Stay Stationary at One Location?
• No more than five (5) consecutive days
• Not to exceed eight(8) hours/location/day
• Not to exceed thirty (30) minutes on any public street designated on the City of Bryan’s Thoroughfare Plan as major collector or lesser
• Vending unit must be removed from the point of sale each day and may not remain parked overnight

Where Can I Not Conduct Sales?
• In congested areas where the operation impedes vehicular or pedestrian traffic or where it impedes access to the entrance of any adjacent building or driveway
• In public parking spaces in downtown Bryan and designated bike lane
• Within the boundaries of Downtown First Fridays unless specifically authorized by permit issued by the Downtown Bryan Association
How Can I Dispose of My Waste?

1) Form a partnership with a food service establishment for disposal of solid waste and wastewater;
2) Dispose of solid waste in your residential container as long as it does not overfill your container; or
3) Dispose of wastewater at the City of Bryan, Still Creek WWTP located at 2028 Quality Park Lane, Bryan, TX 77803

What are My Responsibilities Around the Point of Sale?

• Clean-up, contain and remove all waste from the point of sale
• Vending unit must be self-sufficient for water and sewer (e.g. no direct connections to water and sewer are allowed). Extension cords are allowed as long as they do not pose a threat of fire or personal injury and permission for use is granted by the property owner
• Signage may not be placed in the right of way
• Display current vending authorization sticker on permitted vending unit