

ORDINANCE

By Schroeder

Amending Title 13, Chapter 295 of the Minneapolis Code of Ordinances relating to Licenses and Business Regulations: Mobile Food Stores.

The City Council of the City of Minneapolis do ordain as follows:

Section 1. That Section 295.30 of the above-entitled ordinance be amended to read as follows:

295.30. Place of sale limited. ~~No sales of food or other products shall be made from any mobile food store upon the city streets, alleys or public ways, and sales of food from such mobile food stores shall be limited to parking lots accessory to commercial, industrial, or high-density residential properties, with the written permission of the property owner or manager. No mobile food store may operate within one hundred (100) feet of a licensed grocery store or operating farmers market, except with the express permission of that grocery store or farmers market. Mobile food stores shall not block fire lanes or access for persons with disabilities, and shall operate in a manner that avoids pedestrian and motor vehicle conflicts.~~

(a) Mobile food stores may only operate on lots accessory to commercial, industrial, or high-density residential properties, with the written permission of the property owner or manager.

(b) The licensing official shall maintain a map of eligible operating locations that is available for review by the public.

(c) Mobile food store vehicles may park on streets only when in compliance with all ordinances, regulations, parking zones, and posted signage. Sales shall be made on the curbside only, and the vehicle shall be parked within one (1) foot of the curb. No mobile food store may operate within one hundred (100) feet of a licensed grocery store or operating farmers market, except with the express permission of that grocery store or farmers market.

(d) No mobile food store shall operate where a bicycle lane exists between the parking space and the curb.

(e) Mobile food store vehicles shall not block fire lanes or access for persons with disabilities, and shall operate in a manner that avoids pedestrian and motor vehicle conflicts.

(f) No mobile food store vehicle shall park at a metered parking space.

(g) No mobile food store vehicle shall operate within two hundred (200) feet of park board property without written consent in the form of a permit, agreement, or other required written authorization from the park board.