THE FOOD TRUCK INDUSTRY IN CHICAGO





Mobile Food Preparer (MFP)

and serves food from a mobile food vehicle. The license application fee is \$1,000 and is valid for a two year term.

Mobile Food Dispenser (MFD)

A licensed Mobile Food Preparer prepares A licensed Mobile Food Dispenser serves individual portions of food that are totally enclosed in a wrapper or container and which have been manufactured, prepared or wrapped in a licensed food establishment. The license application fee is \$700 and is valid for a two year term.

FREE MOBILE FOOD VEHICLE (MFV) ASSESSMENT

Does your MFV meet City of Chicago Health and Fire requirements? Let us assess your vehicle for free. Health and Fire inspectors will inspect your vehicle and provide you with an inspection report explaining the results. The MFV must be fully functional. MFV assessments are conducted by appointment only by contacting (312) 74-GOBIZ / 744-6249.

FIRE SAFETY PERMIT

MFV's equipped with gasoline, diesel or electric generator, propane or compressed natural gas, type II exhaust hood or fire suppression system must obtain a MFV Fire Safety Permit. Information is available on our website. MFV's that use propane or natural gas system must provide a certificate of commercial general liability insurance with limits of not less than \$350,000 per occurrence.

BECOME A LICENSED MOBILE FOOD OPERATOR

You may apply in-person at BACP's Small Business Center 121 North LaSalle Street, Room 800.

Application intake hours are from 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m., Monday through Friday.

An appointment is recommended, and can be made:

Online at www.cityofchicago.org/sbc Or by calling (312) 74-GOBIZ / 744-6249.



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