

## **CHAPTER 610: MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS REGULATIONS**

### **SECTION 610.010: SOLICITORS, SALESMEN, PEDDLERS & VENDORS**

#### **A. *Sale of Goods and Wares Within Central Business District.***

1. Any person who shall desire to solicit, sell, distribute or peddle, goods, wares or services within the Central Business District, General Business District or Light Industrial District of the City of Platte City shall apply for and obtain a permit for such activity from the City Clerk.
2. Such permit shall entitle said person to solicit, sell or peddle goods, wares or services and shall be valid for a period of twenty-four (24) hours from time of issuance, except as otherwise permitted by this Code. Solicitation shall only occur during the hours of 8:00 A.M. in the forenoon until 5:00 P.M. in the afternoon pursuant to this permit.
3. The fee which shall be paid for said twenty-four (24) hour permit shall be Fifty Dollars (\$50.00).
4. No person shall be entitled to more than two (2) consecutive twenty-four (24) hour permits, except as otherwise permitted by this Code.
5. The permit required hereby shall only be valid for one (1) activity and if carried out from a space created for the activity shall only be valid for one (1) such space.

#### **B. *Sale of Goods and Wares Within Residential Districts.***

1. Any person who shall desire to solicit, sell, distribute or peddle, goods, wares, or services within the Residential Districts of the City of Platte City shall apply for and obtain a permit for such activity from the City Clerk.
2. Such permit shall entitle said person to solicit, sell or peddle goods, wares or services and shall be valid for a period of twenty-four (24) hours from time of issuance, except as otherwise permitted by this Code. Solicitation shall only occur during the hours of 8:00 A.M. in the forenoon until 5:00 P.M. in the afternoon pursuant to this permit.
3. The fee which shall be paid for said twenty-four (24) hour permit shall be Fifty Dollars (\$50.00).
4. No person shall be entitled to more than two (2) consecutive twenty-four (24) hour permits, except as otherwise permitted by this Code.

C. *Sale of Goods and Wares Within the City Limits of Platte City on or for "Special Events".*

Definition - Special Event -- A special event is defined as any event planned and sponsored by a recognized group, organization, or business which is held on a specific day(s).

1. Any person or organization who shall desire to participate in a special event shall apply for and obtain a permit for such activity from the City Clerk.
2. Such permit shall entitle said person or organization to solicit, sell, distribute or peddle, goods, wares, or services during the normal operating hours of the Special Event for the duration of the Special Event which may exceed twenty-four (24) hours in duration and a separate permit shall not be required for each twenty-four (24) hour period.
3. The sponsoring group or organization shall ensure that the permit forms are completed and the fee is collected from each participating vendor and shall return said forms and fees to the City Clerk.
4. The fee which shall be paid for said Special Event permit shall be Fifty Dollars (\$50.00).
5. A Special Event shall be permitted for no more than five (5) consecutive days.
6. Permits will be granted for no more than five (5) single days throughout the calendar year, renewable subject to approval by the City Administrator or Board of Aldermen.
7. The permit required hereby shall only be valid for one (1) activity and if carried out from an established space created for the activity shall only be valid for one (1) such space.(Ord#1323; 8-26-03)

D. *Exemption for Certain Organizations.*

The following organizations shall be exempt from any requirement to pay the permit fees described in subsections A, B and C of this Section, but shall be required to obtain the applicable permit and shall be subject to any applicable regulations contained herein: Agencies or departments of any governmental subdivision of the State of Missouri, public service organizations, churches, and organizations which are tax exempt pursuant to Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of the United States of America so long as any such organization regularly meets or has its principal offices located within the City limits of the City of Platte City, Missouri.(Ord#1326, 9-9-03)

**APPLICATION FOR PURCHASE OF  
PEDDLERS/VENDORS LICENSE**

**City of Platte City, Missouri**

\_\_\_\_\_ Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Business Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Address

\_\_\_\_\_  
Address

\_\_\_\_\_  
City State Zip

\_\_\_\_\_  
City State Zip

\_\_\_\_\_  
Phone Number

\_\_\_\_\_  
Business Number

\_\_\_\_\_  
Type of Activity

\_\_\_\_\_  
Location of Activity

1. Any person who shall desire to solicit, sell, distribute or peddle, goods, wares, or services within the City of Platte City shall apply for and obtain a permit for such activity from the City Clerk.
2. Such permit shall entitle said person to solicit, sell or peddle such goods, wares or services for a continuous period of twenty-four (24) hours from the time of issuance. However, said solicitation shall only occur during regular business hours, which shall be 8:00 a.m. in the forenoon until 5:00 p.m. in the afternoon.
3. The fee which shall be paid for said twenty-four (24) hour permit shall be fifty dollars (\$50.00).
4. No person shall be entitled to more than two (2) consecutive twenty-four (24) hour permits.
5. Any person who shall fail to apply for and obtain such permit shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and punished under the general misdemeanor provisions of this Code.

**Date(s) Approved for Sales:** \_\_\_\_\_

**LICENSE EXPIRES:** \_\_\_\_\_

**FEE PAID:** \_\_\_\_\_

**APPROVED BY:** \_\_\_\_\_

The above applicant is licensed to solicit, sell, distribute, peddle or vend goods, wares or services with the City of Platte City through the end of the expiration date above.

**The City of Platte City reserves the right to revoke any peddlers/vendors licenses issued and fees shall be forfeited.**