

CITY COUNCIL

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Subject: **Ordinance concerning Amending Section 127-10
Food Truck Requirements**

(Public Hearing)

Date: **11/8/2022**

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Purpose:

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 Read and Comment as Needed
 Action Required by November 21, 2022
 In Confidential File Drawer

Approve:

Casi Boyer Yes No No Comment

Comment: _____

Dave Martin Yes No No Comment

Comment: _____

Jim Ringsaker Yes No No Comment

Comment: _____

Jason Robertson Yes No No Comment

Comment: _____

Tammy Lynn Schneegas Yes No No Comment

Comment: _____

Carolyn Zinner Yes No No Comment

Comment: _____

Note: Amendment made on First Reading noted in document.

CITY COUNCIL
OF
HAVRE DE GRACE, MARYLAND

ORDINANCE NO. 1090
(As Amended)

Introduced by _____ Council President Ringsaker

AN ORDINANCE BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF HAVRE DE GRACE, MARYLAND, ADOPTED PURSUANT TO THE AUTHORITY OF ARTICLE XI-E OF THE MARYLAND CONSTITUTION, THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT ARTICLE OF THE ANNOTATED CODE OF MARYLAND, AND SECTIONS 33 AND 34 OF THE HAVRE DE GRACE CITY CHARTER TO AMEND SECTION 127-10 FOOD TRUCK REQUIREMENTS OF THE CITY CODE CHAPTER 127 TITLED PEDDLING AND SOLICITING

On: 11/7/2022

at: 7:00 p.m.

Ordinance introduced, read first time, ordered posted and public hearing scheduled.

PUBLIC HEARING

A Public Hearing is scheduled for 11/21/2022 at 7:00 p.m.

EXPLANATION

Underlining indicates matter added to existing law.

[Bold Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.

Amendments proposed prior to final adoption will be noted on a separate page with line references or by handwritten changes on the draft legislation.

31 **WHEREAS**, the Mayor and City Council desire to amend Section 127-10 Food Truck
32 Requirements to the Peddling and Soliciting Chapter 127 of the City Code;

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34 **NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED AS FOLLOWS:**

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36 1. Chapter 127 of the City Code shall be amended and added to as follows:

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38 §127-10 Food truck requirements.

39 A food truck operator must comply with the following requirements to operate within the Havre
40 de Grace City limits:

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42 A. Licenses.

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44 (1) Food truck operators must possess a current Harford County Health Department
45 license.

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47 (2) Food truck operators must possess a current insurance certificate and be in good
48 standing with the State of Maryland.

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50 (3) Food truck operators must obtain a license to operate at one of the City's approved
51 locations. (Exhibit A)

52 (a) Four spaces at Hutchins Park.

53 (b) Three spaces at the North Park (Conestee Street loop).

54 (c) On private property within the C/Commercial zoning district.

55 (d) On private property within the RB/Residential Business zoning district and
56 RO/Residential Office zoning district, with the following conditions:

57 1. Proposed location must have an existing non-residential land use;

58 2. The Department of Planning will review the application and approve,
59 approve with conditions or deny the application based on location,
60 available parking, traffic concerns, and the health safety and general
61 welfare of the public.

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63 **[(4) Food truck operators may operate on private property, but must have in their**
64 **possession a signed written document from the property owner providing permission to**
65 **operate and a current Harford County Health Department license.]**

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67 **[(5)] (4)** Food truck operators must keep the area within a twenty-five-foot radius of his/her truck
68 free of trash and food scraps.

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70 **[(6)] (5)** Food truck operators will not conduct business in a residentially zoned portion of the
71 City.

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73 ~~[(7)]~~ (6) Food truck operators will not display any signage other than what is lettered on his/her
74 food truck and up to two sandwich-style boards or similar signs for the purpose of posting a food
75 menu. Such sandwich board signs must be located no farther than 15 feet from the food truck.
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77 ~~[(8)]~~ (7) Food truck operators must be self-contained, meaning that all water, wastewater and
78 electric shall be produced and managed by the food truck.
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80 ~~[(9)]~~ (8) Waste cooking oil, wastewater, and trash shall be removed by the operator daily.
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82 **NOW THEREFORE**, it is determined, decided, and ordained by the City Council that the
83 foregoing amendments to the City Code are hereby approved.
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85 ADOPTED by the City Council of Havre de Grace, Maryland this ___ day of _____, 2022.
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87 SIGNED by the Mayor and attested by the Director of Administration this ___ day of
88 _____, 2022.
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91 ATTEST: MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL
OF HAVRE DE GRACE
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95 Stephen J. Gamatoria
96 Director of Administration
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_____ William T. Martin
Mayor

98 Introduced/First Reading: 11/7/2022

99 Public Hearing: 11/21/2022

100 Second Reading/Adopted:
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102 Effective Date:
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104 Legislative History

105 Ordinance No. 1039 As Amended, enacted 8/17/2020

106 Ordinance No. 987, enacted 3/20/2017

107 Ordinance No. 732, enacted 6/5/1989

108 Ordinance No. 604, enacted 1/5/1981

109 Ordinance No. 506, enacted 7/6/1959

110 Ordinance No. 463, enacted 4/19/1948

111 Ordinance No. 408, enacted 3/2/1936

112 Ordinance No. 270

113 Ordinance No. 188 enacted 12/18/1905
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115 Note: The following was stricken from line 55 on first reading and item d became c and item e
116 became d:

117 (c) Two spaces on the northeast corner of Washington Street and Congress Avenue.

Exhibit A





