

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF WEWAHITCHKA
GULF COUNTY FLORIDA
REGULATING FOOD VENDORS
WITHIN THE CITY OF WEWAHITCHKA
AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the City Commission of Wewahitchka, Florida is responsible for the health, safety and welfare of the citizens of Wewahitchka; and

WHEREAS, the City Commission of Wewahitchka, Florida has determined that it is not in the best interest of the City of Wewahitchka to allow vendors of certain types of business to establish an open business operation outside of a permanent building; and

WHEREAS, the City does not have an existing ordinance to prohibit these type vendors from setting up in the City; and

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY OF WEWAHITCHKA:

SECTION ONE:

Any vendor selling prepared food must have a permanent building that complies with all land use and building code requirements for this type of establishment except the businesses described in Section Two.

SECTION TWO:

Exceptions:

A. Vendors that are set up in conjunction with any of the following are allowed up to a two-week period. Any Vendor that needs to set up for a period longer than two weeks, shall have to request Board of City Commission approval before doing so.

1. Festivals or any city approved function within the city parks
2. Sporting events, ball games, soccer games, rodeos, etc.
3. Fund raisers such as:
 - a). Churches
 - b). Civic organizations
 - c). Schools
 - d). Non profit organizations
 - e). Ground breaking for new businesses
 - f). Annual meetings of established businesses
 - g). Political campaigns
 - h). Circus, fair and carnival

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- i). Meals sold for benefits such as:
 - 1). Money raised for a sick or injured person
 - 2). Families displaced by fire or other natural disaster
- j). Any other City approved event

SECTION THREE:

The City of Wewahitchka shall not issue an Occupation License for any business in violation of Ordinance No. 2007-1029L.

SECTION FOUR:

The City of Wewahitchka shall not approve any site plan that would allow the setup of this type vendor.

SECTION FIVE:

PENALTY

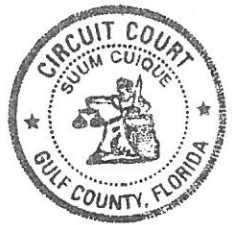
Any violator of Ordinance 2007-1029L shall be subject to a fine not to exceed Five hundred dollar (\$500.00) and/or penalties prescribed in the city's Occupational License Ordinance.

THIS ORDINANCE SHALL TAKE EFFECT IMMEDIATELY UPON ITS ADOPTION.

DULY PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Board of City Commissioners of Wewahitchka, Florida this 14TH day of May, 2007.

CITY OF WEWAHITCHKA
GULF COUNTY FLORIDA

By Ray Dickens
Ray Dickens, Mayor



ATTEST:

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