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Environmental Health Division

Enclosed is the Food License application. Attached are the following documents that need to be returned prior to issuing your food license:

- Application for Food License
- Minnesota Business Tax Identification form
- Workers' Compensation Insurance form

If you are a new owner of a previous food-licensed business, call the Environmental Health division at (952) 939-8280 or email PublicHealth@minnetonkamn.gov

If you are opening a newly built food facility or remodeling a current establishment, you will need to submit a plan review. Plan review applications can be uploaded using the city's [online permits system](#)

The Environmental Health Division's staff will review your plans and inform you of the following classification and applicable fee of your food license:

Type of License	Fee
Class A —Supper clubs; sit-down, drive-in, delivery, take-out restaurant; or similar facility	\$920
Class B —Mobile food vendor, limited food vendor, mobile food car, or similar facility (see attached requirements including supplemental information and consent form)	\$250
Class C —Grocery, meat market, bakery, deli, rental kitchen, limited food service, or similar facility	\$715
Class D —Snack stands, or similar facility	\$480
Class E —Limited grocery, retail, <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Potentially hazardous foods, or bulk foods ➤ Non-potentially hazardous foods 	\$360 \$280
Class G —Prepackaged, non-perishable, candy, or coffee (no refrigeration needed)	\$190
Additional Facilities If more than one of any type or types of any operation listed within the classes. <i>(this fee is applicable only after one of the above "Classes" is paid at full fee)</i>	\$315
Food Vehicle—delivery only, no food preparation: Each vehicle - both potentially hazardous and non-potentially hazardous	\$100
School Kitchen Inspection Fee	\$715
Special Food Handling Facilities – Daycare Centers <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Full Service ➤ Limited Service 	\$540 \$270
Temporary Food Service (less than 6 months)	\$170
Plan Reviews:	
New Establishment	Fee: 100% of license fee
Remodel	Fee: 50% of license fee
Hazard Analysis Critical Control Plan (HACCP)	\$150
Re-inspections:	
Second re-inspection	Fee: 25% of license fee
Third or more re-inspection	Fee: 50% of license fee

Please send your application and fee to:

City of Minnetonka
 Community Development – Licensing
 14600 Minnetonka Blvd
 Minnetonka, MN 55345



COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT-LICENSING
 14600 MINNETONKA BLVD
 MINNETONKA, MN 55345
 (952) 939-8274

Application for Food License

for _____
 (insert year)

Please enter a response on every line. Any incorrect information or an incomplete application is a violation of the City Ordinance and can result in denial of licensing and/or prosecution.

ESTABLISHMENT			
Establishment/trade name			
Establishment address			
City, State, Zip			
Establishment phone number		Email address	
Manager or agent of owner			
LICENSEE INFORMATION			
State Law: this must be a corporation or partnership name, or the individual's name that carries the tax liability.			
Licensee name			
Primary Officer			
Licensee address			
City, State, Zip			
Telephone Number			
Return license and send all notices & billing renewals to (all must be sent to the same address)			
Company Name			
Attention			
Address			
Telephone Number		Email address	
CLASS & FEE INFORMATION			
(use only the same Class name and fee as on the Food Fee Schedule):			
Type of business: Class		\$	
Additional business: Class		\$	
Additional business: Class		\$	
Additional business: Class		\$	
Additional business: Class		\$	
Total		\$	

Note: Proper signature required: if a corporation owns this establishment, an officer of the corporation must sign below; if a partnership, one of the partners; if an individual, the owner.

I, (WE) THE UNDERSIGNED, HAVE COMPLIED WITH ALL REQUIREMENTS OF THE CITY CODE OF THE CITY OF MINNETONKA NECESSARY FOR OBTAINING THIS LICENSE. NOW, THEREFORE, I (WE) HEREBY MAKE APPLICATION TO OPERATE THE ABOVE NAMED ESTABLISHMENT SUBJECT TO ALL CONDITIONS AND PROVISIONS OF THESE ORDINANCES.

		Print name: _____
Signature	Date	Print title: _____

MINNESOTA BUSINESS TAX IDENTIFICATION LAW

Pursuant to Minnesota Statute 270C.72 (Tax Clearance; Issuance of Licenses), Subd.4, **the licensing authority is required to provide, upon request of the Minnesota Commissioner of Revenue, either the applicant's Minnesota business tax identification number with the business name and address – or the social security number of the primary officer, along with their complete name, home address, and home phone number.**

Under the Minnesota Government Data Practices Act and the Federal Privacy Act of 1974, **we are required to advise you of the following regarding the use of this information:**

1. This information may be used to deny the issuance or renewal of your license in the event you owe Minnesota sales, employer's withholding, or motor vehicle excise taxes.
2. Upon receiving this information, the licensing authority will supply it only to the Minnesota Department of Revenue. However, under the Federal Exchange of Information Agreement, the Department of Revenue may supply this information to the Internal Revenue Service.
3. Failure to supply this information may jeopardize or delay the processing of your license issuance or renewal application.

NAME UNDER WHICH THE MN TAX ID IS FILED (<u>licensee</u> name)			Type of license applying for:		
			Food		
Licensee: Address	L City	L State	L Zip	L Phone	
Establishment: Name			Minnetonka License Number (completed by Minnetonka)		
Establishment: Address	E City	E State	E Zip	E Phone	
Minnesota Tax Identification Number		Federal Tax Identification Number			

Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

INSTRUCTIONS FOR BOXES BELOW:

1. **If all boxes above are completed**, including both the Minnesota and Federal Tax numbers, no additional information is required by the MN Department of Revenue below.
2. **However, if all boxes above are not completed**, Minnesota law requires personal information about the primary owner or primary officer. In this case you must complete all boxes below, including the owner or primary officer's social security number, home address, and home phone. (NOTE: If the business and home address are the same, please check the box indicating this.)

Applicant's (person's) name (LAST, first, middle initial)		Social Security Number	
Home address	Home City, State, Zip code		Home Phone number
<input type="checkbox"/> Check if address is for both home & business			

Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

Certificate of Compliance Minnesota Workers' Compensation Law

Minnesota Statutes, Section 176.182 requires every state and local licensing agency to withhold the issuance or renewal of a license or permit to operate a business or engage in any activity in Minnesota until the applicant presents acceptable evidence of compliance with the workers' compensation insurance coverage requirement of Minnesota Statutes, Chapter 176. The required workers' compensation insurance information is the name of the insurance company, the policy number, and the dates of coverage, or the permit to self-insure. If the required information is not provided or is falsely stated, it shall result in a \$2,000 penalty assessed against the applicant by the commissioner of the Department of Labor and Industry.

A valid workers' compensation policy must be kept in effect at all times by employers as required by law.

BUSINESS NAME (Individual name only if no company name used)	LICENSE OR PERMIT NO (if applicable)
	Completed by Minnetonka

DBA (doing business as name – local establishment name – only if different than above)

DBA/LOCAL BUSINESS ADDRESS (PO Box must include street address)	CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE
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**YOUR LICENSE OR CERTIFICATE WILL NOT BE ISSUED WITHOUT THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION.
You must complete number 1, 2 or 3 below.**

NUMBER 1 COMPLETE THIS PORTION IF YOU ARE INSURED:

INSURANCE COMPANY NAME (not the insurance agent)

WORKERS' COMPENSATION INSURANCE POLICY NO.	EFFECTIVE DATE	EXPIRATION DATE
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NUMBER 2 COMPLETE THIS PORTION IF YOU ARE SELF-INSURED:

I have attached a copy of the permit to self-insure.

NUMBER 3 COMPLETE THIS PORTION IF YOU ARE EXEMPT:

I am not required to have workers' compensation insurance coverage because:

I have no employees.

I have employees but they are not covered by the workers' compensation law. (See Minn. Stat. § 176.041 for a list of excluded employees.) Explain why your employees are not covered: _____.

Other: _____

ALL APPLICANTS COMPLETE THIS PORTION:

I certify that the information provided on this form is accurate and complete. If I am signing on behalf of a business, I certify that I am authorized to sign on behalf of the business.

APPLICANT SIGNATURE (mandatory)	TITLE	DATE
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NOTE: If your Workers' Compensation policy is cancelled within the license or permit period, you must notify the agency who issued the license or permit by resubmitting this form.

This material can be made available in different forms, such as large print, Braille or on a tape. To request, call 1-800-342-5354 (DIAL-DLI) Voice or TDD (651) 297-4198.



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Food Establishment Construction Guide and Plan Review Application

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Purpose

This guide will help individuals or groups submit food establishment plans to the Minnetonka Environmental Health Division (MEHD). Construction, equipment, and physical facility standards outlined in this guide are Minnesota Food Code minimum requirements.

Definitions

Food and beverage service establishment

“Food and beverage service establishment” means a building, structure, enclosure, or any part of a building, structure, or enclosure used as, maintained as, advertised as, or held out to be an operation that prepares, serves, or otherwise provides food or beverages, or both, for human consumption. – Minnesota Statutes, section 157.15, subdivision 5

HACCP plan

“Hazard analysis critical control point (HACCP) plan” means a written document that delineates the formal procedures for following the HACCP principles developed by the National Advisory Committee on Microbiological Criteria for Foods. – Minnesota Statutes, section 157.15, subdivision 17

Food catering

“Food catering” means food that is prepared for service in support of an event with a predetermined guest list such as a reception, party, luncheon, conference, ceremony, or trade show. A food establishment doing catering is responsible for maintaining control of and ensuring the safety of the food from preparation to service to the consumer. – Minnesota Rules, part 4626.0020, subpart 32a

Restrictions

HACCP plan review

Specialized Processes in Retail Food Establishments require a HACCP plan review.

You can find details linked [here](#).

Catering

Preparing, storing, transporting, and serving large volumes of food at catered events presents increased food safety risks. Include catering operations in the project description so that equipment needs specific to catering are considered during the plan review process.

You can find details linked [here](#).

Approved source

Food establishments must not use or serve food that was stored or prepared in a private home. All food prepared, sold or served in a food establishment must come from approved sources for food products. You can find details linked [here](#). Plan Submittal and Review

Projects that require plan review

- **New construction:** A building that is newly constructed or conversion of an existing building for use as a food establishment.
- **Remodel or addition:** The extensive remodeling of a food establishment or a change of type of food establishment or food operation if the regulatory authority determines that plans and specifications are necessary to ensure compliance.

Plans must be submitted to MEHD at least 30 days before beginning construction, extensive remodeling or conversion of an existing structure to a food establishment. Changes to your proposed plan may be required during the plan review process. If you begin work before plans are approved, MEHD may order work to stop when it determines work may lead to noncompliance. – Minnesota Rules, part 4626.1720, subpart D and F

Please contact MEHD at 952-939-8280 if you have questions about whether a plan review is needed for your food establishment.

Plan review process

1. Submit your plan review application, all required information and appropriate fee to:

Mailing Address	Online Submittal
Minnetonka Environmental Health Division 14600 Minnetonka Blvd. Minnetonka MN 55345	Minnetonka Permit System or PublicHealth@minnetonkamn.gov

2. Plan review applications are reviewed in the order they are received. Submit all required information listed in the Required Plan Contents section of this guide. If your application is incomplete, the review process may take longer.
3. Your plan reviewer will notify you when review starts, and will contact you to request any missing or additional information.
4. When review is complete, you will receive a letter approving your plans.
5. Wait to begin your project until after plans are approved.

Minnetonka Building Division

Click links below for information and other building permits that your project may require.

Building permits

Electrical permits

Mechanical permits

Plumbing permits

Required plan contents

Make sure to include all the following when you submit your completed plan review application and the required fees.

- The intended menu.
- A description of the proposed project including the anticipated volume of food to be stored, prepared, sold or served.
- Easily readable layout drawn to scale indicating the location of all equipment (e.g., cooking equipment, ventilation hood, refrigerators, food prep counters, handwashing sink(s), three-compartment sink, and food prep sink).
- Finish materials for floors, base coves, walls, and ceilings.
- Proposed equipment list that includes types, manufacturers and model numbers.
- Manufacturer's specification sheets for new equipment.
- Counters and cabinetry shop drawings, indicating cabinet construction, and countertop finish.
- The source of water (private or public) for your food establishment. Include unique well number for private systems.
- The method of sewage disposal (public or private) for your food establishment. Include individual sewage treatment system certificate of compliance for individual sewage disposal systems.
- A copy of the zoning approval or building permit from the local unit of government.

HACCP plan review submittals, if required, must include:

- HACCP Plan Review Submittal Form
- All supporting documents relating to your establishment's HACCP plan
- \$150 HACCP plan review fee (payable to City of Minnetonka)

Additional information may be requested during the plan review process to allow for a thorough review.

Licensing and preoperational inspections

Once your project is near completion, follow these steps:

1. Apply for license.

Click on the [Minnetonka Commercial Food page](#) or;

Email Community Development Coordinator – Fiona Golden at:
fgolden@minnetonkamn.gov or call 952-939-8274 or;

Contact MEHD staff listed on your plan review

Submit the completed license application and required license fee prior to the preoperational inspection.

The license fee is separate from the plan review fee.

2. Have your food establishment inspected.

Contact MEHD staff listed on the plan review letter 14 days before the intended opening date to schedule a preoperational inspection. The inspection will cover all aspects of your approved project, including:

- Equipment is present, correctly installed and operational.
- Floor, wall and ceiling finishes are installed as approved.
- Mechanical and plumbing installations are approved by the appropriate authority.

3. Post the license in the food establishment.

After a successful preoperational inspection, MEHD will issue a license. Prominently post the original license in the food establishment at all times. The license is valid for one year and must be renewed annually.

General Equipment Information

Include specifications, proposed locations and intended use for all new and used equipment in submitted plan. Menu and food processes determine the type of equipment required. Complex food processes may require additional or specialized equipment.

Equipment design and construction

Some equipment must be certified or classified for sanitation by an American National Standards Institute (ANSI) accredited certification program for food service equipment and include:

- Manual warewashing sinks
- Mechanical warewashing equipment
- Mechanical refrigeration units except for reach-in or chest freezers
- Walk-in freezers
- Food hot-holding equipment
- Cooking equipment, except for microwave ovens and toasters
- Ice machines
- Mechanical slicers
- Mechanical tenderizers and grinders
- Food preparation surfaces including sinks used for food preparation

If there is no certification or classification for sanitation by an ANSI accredited certification program for a piece of equipment, the equipment must:

- Be designed for commercial use.
- Be durable, smooth, and easily cleanable.
- Be readily accessible for cleaning.
- Have food-contact surfaces that are not toxic.

Most common ANSI accredited certification programs

Certifying Group	Mark
NSF International (NSF)	
Intertek Marked "ETL Sanitation."	
Underwriters Laboratory (UL) Marked "Classified UL EPH."	
Canadian Standards Association (CSA) Marked "CSA Sanitation to NSF/ANSI."	
Baking Industry Sanitation Standards Committee (BISSC) Marked "Certified BISSC."	

Equipment numbers and capacities

Provide mechanical equipment that meets the cooking, cooling, re-heating, ventilation and hot and cold holding needs of the food establishment. Install and use equipment as intended by the manufacturer.

Some common circumstances with special equipment requirements include:

- Walk-in refrigeration units installed outside must be designed for extra structural loads from snow and ice.
- Food guards, display cases or other effective means must be provided to protect unpackaged food from contamination while on display.

Equipment locations and installation

Locate or install equipment so that food and food-contact surfaces are not exposed to contamination and the areas around and beneath the equipment are accessible for cleaning.

If equipment is not easily moveable, seal it to the surface or mount it on legs.

- Six-inch legs are required for floor-mounted equipment.

Examples of equipment and storage locations that are frequently submitted but **not approved** include:

- Under an open stairwell
- In a mechanical room
- In a garbage room
- Under a sewer line that is not shielded
- In a toilet room
- Under piping on which water has condensed
- Above unprotected food, such as beverage dispensing equipment above an ice bin

Sinks

Include specifications, proposed locations and intended use for all sinks.

Handwashing sinks

Install handwashing sinks to provide easy access for all employees who are:

- Preparing or dispensing food and beverages.
- Conducting warewashing.
- Using the toilet room.

Each handwashing sink must be equipped to provide water at a temperature to allow handwashing for at least 15 seconds through a mixing valve or combination faucet. A self-closing, slow-closing, or metering faucet must provide a flow of water for at least 15 seconds without the need to reactivate the faucet.

MDH may require splash guards on handwashing sinks to limit contamination of food, clean equipment and utensils, and single-service and single-use articles.

Manual warewashing sink

If your plans do not include a warewashing machine that can accommodate the largest piece of equipment and utensils, provide equipment for manual warewashing.

Provide a sink with at least three compartments and drainboards on each end. All compartments and the drainboards must be part of the same piece of equipment. You cannot attach drainboards to meet this requirement. Utensil racks or tables may be required for storing all dirty and clean equipment and utensils.

Sink compartments must be large enough to allow immersion of the largest piece of equipment and utensils.

Manual warewashing sinks must be certified or classified for sanitation by an American National Standards Institute (ANSI) accredited certification program.

Food preparation sink

Provide a designated food preparation sink if the proposed menu includes a food product that requires washing or thawing in a sink.

Food preparation sinks must be certified or classified for sanitation by an American National Standards Institute (ANSI) accredited certification program.

Service sink

Provide one conveniently located service sink or curbed cleaning facility equipped with a floor drain for the cleaning of mops or similar wet floor cleaning tools, and for the disposal of mop water and similar liquid waste. In your plans, include a way to store mops between uses so that they do not soil or damage walls, equipment or supplies.

Other sinks

The sinks listed above have use limitations. Other common sinks used in a food establishment may include:

- Dump sink – for bars, blender drinks and espresso areas.
- Dipper well sink – for in-use utensils such as ice cream scoops.

Warewashing Machines

Include specifications and proposed locations for all warewashing machines. Drainboards, utensil racks, or tables are required for storing dirty and clean equipment and utensils.

Warewashing machines must be certified or classified for sanitation by an American National Standards Institute (ANSI) accredited certification program.

Chemical sanitizing

Component	Requirement
Sanitizer alarm	Audible or visual indicator of low sanitizer level
Space for air-drying	Minimum of five racks
Pre-cleaning area	Spray sink, garbage disposal or other means for disposal of garbage
Interlocking door device (ventless dish machines)	Prevents the door from opening until the vent cycle operation is complete May be an additional accessory for the machine

Hot water sanitizing

Component	Requirement
Space for drying	Minimum of three racks
Pre-cleaning area	Spray sink, garbage disposal or other means for disposal of garbage
Interlocking door device (ventless dish machines)	Prevents the door from opening until the vent cycle operation is complete May be an additional accessory for the machine

Ventilation Systems

Include specifications and proposed locations for ventilation hoods in submitted plans. Design and install ventilation systems according to [Minnesota Rules, chapter 1346](#) Minnesota mechanical and fuel gas code. [Minnesota Rules, part 1346.0507](#) provides commercial kitchen hood requirements for some equipment.

Ventilation hood systems and devices must be sufficient in number and capacity to prevent grease or condensation from collecting on walls and ceilings. Adequate ventilation and make-up air is required for equipment that produces excessive steam, condensation, vapors, obnoxious or disagreeable odors, smoke and fumes.

Design ventilation systems to prevent grease or condensation from draining or dripping onto food, equipment, utensils, walls, ceiling, linens and single-service articles. Grease filters used in an exhaust ventilation hood or other grease extracting equipment must be designed to be readily removable for cleaning and/or replacing if not designed to be cleaned in place.

Counters, Cabinetry and Tables

Include specifications, proposed locations and intended uses for all counters, cabinetry, tables, and customer self-service areas in submitted plans.

Food-contact surfaces

A food-contact surface is a surface of equipment or utensil that directly contacts food. Food-contact surface also includes a surface of equipment or utensil from which food may drain, drip or splash, such as an interior of a reach-in cooler.

Food-contact surfaces must be certified or classified for sanitation by an American National Standards Institute (ANSI) accredited certification program.

Food-contact surfaces must be:

- Safe
- Durable, corrosion-resistant and nonabsorbent
- Sufficient in weight and thickness to withstand repeated warewashing
- Finished to have smooth, easily cleanable surface
- Resistant to pitting, chipping, crazing, scratching, scoring, distortion, and decomposition

Examples of activities requiring approved food-contact surfaces include:

- Chopping, cutting or mixing raw foods
- Cooking foods using equipment such as grills, deep fryers, flat tops, or ovens
- Assembling foods such as sandwiches or salads
- Storing equipment before and after warewashing
- Other activities creating splash, food soiling or requiring frequent cleaning.

Non-food-contact surfaces

A non-food contact surface is a surface of equipment that does not directly contact food, such as surfaces of millwork and cabinetry. Non-food-contact surfaces of equipment that are exposed to splash, spillage, other food soiling or that require frequent cleaning must be constructed of a corrosion-resistant, nonabsorbent, and smooth material.

Non-food-contact surfaces must be free of unnecessary ledges, projections, and crevices, and designed and constructed to allow easy cleaning and to facilitate maintenance.

Examples of areas with non-food contact surfaces include:

- Beverage service areas for beverage dispensers such as espresso or coffee machines, or pop dispensers
- Customer self-service areas such as condiment display stations
- Cashier or ordering areas at bar or wait stations

Unfinished wood is not allowed. All surfaces (e.g., cutouts in millwork, underside of countertops and shelving) must be properly finished. Cabinets with enclosed hollow bases are prohibited. Base cabinets must be provided with six-inch legs or a solid base.

Floors, Walls and Ceilings

Include proposed finish materials for all floor, wall and ceiling surfaces. Provide smooth, nonabsorbent, durable and easily cleanable floors, walls and ceilings in the following areas:

- Food and beverage preparation areas
- Walk-in refrigerators or freezers
- Warewashing areas
- Toilet rooms
- Servicing areas
- Service sink areas
- Dry storage
- Areas subject to flushing or spray cleaning methods

Prior to selecting floor, wall and ceiling surfaces, owners, design professionals, and others involved in preparing the plans should consider the following factors:

- Type and amount of use
- Type of soil and cleaning methods
- Life span of the surface

Floors

Select and install flooring surfaces that meet the needs of your establishment. Follow all manufacturer's recommendations.

Some specific restrictions are:

- Vinyl flooring is not allowed in walk-in coolers or freezers.

- Sealed concrete is not allowed except in garbage rooms, or areas used for closed case lot storage.
- Carpeting is not allowed within three feet of permanently installed bars and salad bars and other food service equipment.
- Mats and duckboards must be designed to be removable and easily cleanable.

Install a coved base at all floor-wall junctions. Select and install coved base according to manufacturer's specifications. Figure 1 shows correct and incorrect positioning of coved base tile relative to flooring surface.

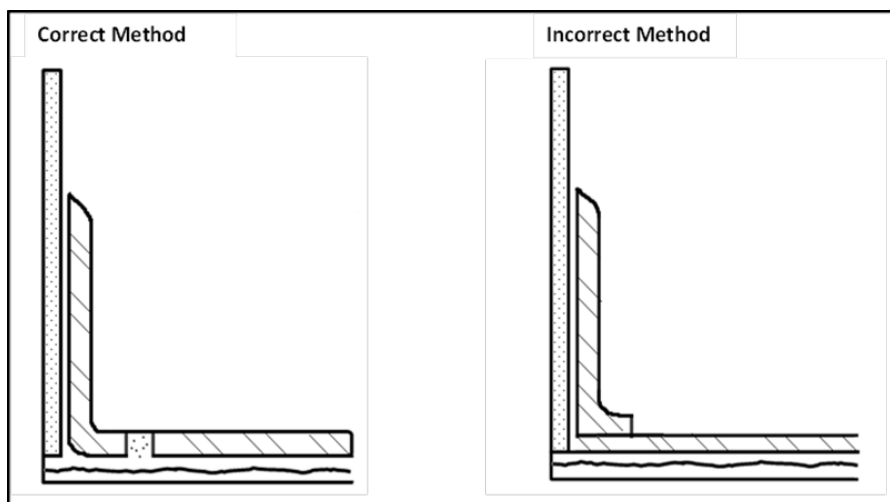


Figure 1

Walls and ceilings

Select and install wall and ceiling surfaces that meet the needs of your establishment. Follow all manufacturer's recommendations.

Some specific restrictions are:

- Unfinished, porous concrete blocks or bricks are not allowed except in dry storage areas.
- Light fixtures, vent covers, fans or other wall and ceiling attachments must be easily cleanable.
- Exposed studs, joists and rafters are not allowed except in areas used only for the storage of unopened packages.

Non-food Areas

Include proposed locations for non-food areas such as toilet rooms, storage of employee personal items, garbage and recyclables and laundry facilities. Provide non-food areas to meet the needs of your establishment.

Toilet rooms

If public toilet rooms are not available, provide at least one toilet and handwashing sink for employee use. Refer to [Minnesota Rules, chapter 4714](#), plumbing code, for minimum number of toilets required for your food establishment. Completely enclose the toilet room(s), and provide a tight-fitting and self-closing door.

Garbage and recyclables

Provide an area separate from food preparation and storage areas for collection and storage of garbage and recyclable materials.

Use concrete, asphalt, or other nonabsorbent material for outdoor garbage and recyclable material storage areas. The pad must be smooth, durable and graded to drain.

Personal items

Lockers or other suitable facilities must be used for the orderly storage of employee clothing and other possessions.

Laundry facilities

If laundry facilities are provided on-site, locate the washer and dryer to prevent contamination of food, clean equipment, utensils, linens, or unwrapped single-service or single-use articles.

Utilities

Include specific information for water supply, water heaters, sewage disposal system, and other utilities in submitted plans. Provide utilities to meet the needs of your food establishment.

Enclose utility service lines and pipes, including beverage lines. Install utilities so they do not obstruct or prevent cleaning of the floors, walls and ceilings.

Water supply

Identify the source of the water for your establishment in submitted plans.

A safe and adequate supply of water must be provided to meet the needs of your food establishment. Water for your establishment must be obtained from a municipal water supply or a water supply that meets the requirements of [Minnesota Rules, chapter 4720](#), Public Water Supplies; and [Minnesota Rules, chapter 4725](#), Wells and Borings.

Water heaters

Include specifications and proposed locations for water heaters in submitted plans. Select and install commercial water heaters (traditional and tankless) that are adequately sized to meet the peak hot water demands of the food establishment.

Sewage disposal

Identify the method of sewage disposal (public or private) for your food establishment in submitted plans. Provide a sewage disposal system that meets the peak sewage needs of your food establishment.

Septic systems must be designed, installed and maintained according to [Minnesota Rules, chapter 7080](#), individual subsurface sewage treatment systems (SSTS) and [Minnesota Rules, chapter 7081](#), mid-sized subsurface sewage treatment systems.

Individual and mid-sized SSTS requirements are adopted and enforced locally. A copy of the individual sewage treatment system certificate of compliance for individual sewage disposal systems must be provided with plans. For assistance, contact your local unit of government (county, city, or township).

Lighting

Provide adequate lighting to meet the needs of your establishment. Use either shatter-resistant bulbs or shielded light fixtures.

Light intensity is measured 30 inches above the floor. Requirements vary depending on food activities:

- 10 foot-candles – walk-in coolers, walk-in freezers or dry storage areas
- 20 foot-candles – consumer self-service areas, inside reach-in and under-counter refrigerators, toilet rooms or areas used for handwashing, warewashing, and equipment and utensil storage
- 50 foot-candles – food preparation areas or where employee safety is a factor

Minnetonka Environmental Health Plan Review Application

SUBMIT TO: Upload to the city's [online permits system](#) or;
Email: publichealth@minnetonkamn.gov

Name of Facility			
Address of Facility			
Name of Owner			
Address			
Telephone		Email	
Responsible Agent, if other than owner (plan review correspondence will be sent to this person)			
Name/Title			
Email Address			
Check Most Appropriate	<input type="checkbox"/> Operator <input type="checkbox"/> Contractor <input type="checkbox"/> Designer/Architect <input type="checkbox"/> Supplier <input type="checkbox"/> Other (Specify)		
Mailing Address			
Telephone		Email	
Basic Facility Information	<input type="checkbox"/> New <input type="checkbox"/> Remodeled <input type="checkbox"/> Conversion		
Plan Review Fee <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • New 100% of license fee • Remodel 50% of license fee • Hazard Analysis Critical Control Plan (HACCP) \$150 	\$		
Service Type — Provide description of the basic type of food and beverage service and nature of operation			

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Menu Information* — Type of food/beverage products involved, basic delivery information (sources): *attach a copy of the menu				
Employee Involvement — Provide information on the number and the category of workers anticipated, both total and per shift				
Projected Service Capacity				
Seating		Services		
Other (Specify)				
CONSTRUCTION	Anticipated State Date		Anticipated Completion Date	

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT: _____ DATE: _____

NOTE: Allow at least 14 - 30 days for the plan review to be complete. Final approval of the plan review will not be issued until approval is obtained from the following departments:

- Planning & Zoning
- Fire
- Building (plumbing, electrical, and mechanical / HVAC)