

Dog Friendly Dining Application

-Cedar Key Building Department-

Pursuant to Chapter 509.233(4)(a), Florida Statutes, any public food service establishment allowing entrance of patron's dogs to an outside dining area must submit a permit application to the local governing authority.

DBPR License #: _____

Facility Name: _____

Facility Address: _____

Dog Dining Days and Hours of Operation: Day: S M T W T F S Hours: _____

Facility Phone: _____

Applicant Name: _____

Mailing Address: _____

The undersigned applicant hereby agrees to operate the canine dining area described in this application in accordance with the requirements of Chapter 509.233(4)(a), Florida Statutes and the Laws of the City of Cedar Key, Section 6.08.05 Dog Friendly Dining. The undersigned certifies the information contained in this application is true and correct. The undersigned understands this application is not transferable and will abide by the parameters of the Ordinance.

Applicant Signature: _____

Date: _____

Required Attachments:

- Description of outdoor area designated available for patron's dogs
- Diagram of designated area drawn to scale
- Dimensions of designated area
- Description of number of tables
- Placement of tables, chairs and restaurant equipment (if any)
- Ingress and Egress to designated outdoor area
- Boundaries of designated area and other outdoor areas not available to dogs
- Any fences or barriers
- Surrounding property lines and public rights-of-way; sidewalks and pathways
- Sample of proposed signage for designated area
- Permit Fee of \$50.00: Permit Fee pursuant to section 6.08.05.D, Chapter 4, Laws of Cedar Key

FOR OFFICE USE ONLY

Date Received: _____

Plan Review by: _____

Permit #: _____

Signature: _____

Title: _____

Dog Friendly Dining Ordinance

Chapter 4, 6.08.05. Dog Friendly Dining

A. Public Food Service Establishments that have received a permit pursuant to this section are exempt from those sections of the Food and Drug Administration Food Code that prohibit live animals in Public Food Service Establishments to the extent allowed by the approved permit.

B. Definitions.

Administrator : The Cedar Key Code Enforcement Officer.

Division : The Florida Department of Business and Professional Regulation, Division of Hotels and Restaurants.

Public Food Service Establishment : Public Food Service Establishment has the meaning given it by section 509.013, Florida Statutes.

C. No dog shall be in a Public Food Service Establishment unless allowed by state law and the Public Food Service Establishment has received and maintains a permit pursuant to this section allowing dogs in designated outdoor areas of the establishment.

D. Public Food Service Establishments must apply for and receive a permit from the Administrator before patrons' dogs are allowed on the premises. The City shall adopt a reasonable fee by resolution to cover the cost of processing the initial application, permitting, inspections, and enforcement. The application shall be submitted on a form

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326 Article VI: Development Design And Improvement Standards provided for such purpose by the Administrator, and shall include, along with any other such information deemed reasonably necessary by the Administrator in order to implement and enforce the provisions of this section, the following:

1. Name, location, mailing address and Division-issued license number of the Public Food Service Establishment.
 2. Title, name, mailing address, and telephone contact information of the permit applicant. Applications shall be accepted from only the owner of the Public Food Service Establishment or the owner's authorized agent, which authorization must be in writing and notarized. The name, mailing address, and telephone contact information of the owner of the Public Food Service Establishment shall be provided if the owner is not the permit applicant.
 3. A diagram and description of the outdoor area which is requested to be designated as available to patrons' dogs, including dimensions of the designated area; a depiction of the number and placement of tables, chairs, and restaurant equipment, if any; the entryways and exits to the designated outdoor area; the boundaries of the designated area and of the other outdoor dining areas not available for patrons' dogs; any fences or other barriers; surrounding property lines and public rights-of-way, including sidewalks and common pathways. The diagram shall be accurate and to scale but need not be prepared by a licensed design professional. A copy of the approved diagram shall be attached to the permit.
 4. Days of the week and hours of operation that patrons' dogs will be permitted in the designated outdoor area of the Public Food Service Establishment.
- E. Public Food Service Establishments that receive a permit to allow dogs in a designated outdoor area pursuant to this subsection are subject to the following requirements:
1. Employees shall wash their hands promptly after touching, petting, or otherwise handling any dog. Employees shall be prohibited from touching, petting, or otherwise handling any dog while serving food or beverages or handling tableware or before entering other parts of the Public Food Service Establishment.
 2. Patrons in a designated outdoor area shall be advised by appropriate signage, at conspicuous locations, that they should wash their hands before eating. Waterless hand sanitizer shall be provided at all tables in the designated outdoor area.
 3. Patrons shall keep their dogs under control and on a leash at all times. Employees and patrons shall be instructed that they shall not allow dogs to come into contact with serving dishes, utensils, tableware, linens, paper products, or any other items involved with food service operations.

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4. Employees and patrons shall not allow dogs to come in contact with chairs, tables, or other furnishings.
 5. All table and chair surfaces shall be cleaned and sanitized with an approved product between seating of patrons. Spilled food and drink shall be removed from the floor or ground as soon as possible but in no event less frequently than between seating of patrons.
 6. All dog waste shall be cleaned immediately and the area sanitized with an approved product. A kit with the appropriate materials for this purpose shall be kept near the designated outdoor area.
 7. Dogs shall not be permitted to be in, or to travel through, indoor or nondesignated outdoor portions of the Public Food Service Establishment. Ingress and egress to the designated outdoor area shall not require entrance into or passage through any indoor area or non-designated outdoor portions of the Public Food Service Establishment.
 8. At all times while the designated outdoor portion of the Public Food Service Establishment is available to patrons and their dogs, at least one sign shall be posted in a conspicuous and public location near the entrance to the designated outdoor portion of the Public Food Service Establishment, notifying patrons that the designated outdoor portion of the Public Food Service Establishment is currently available to patrons accompanied by their dog or dogs. The mandatory sign shall be not less than eight and one-half inches in width and 11 inches in height (8 1/2 × 11) and printed in easily legible typeface of not less than 20 point font size.
 9. At least one sign reminding employees and patrons of the applicable rules, including those contained in this section, and any permit conditions, which may be imposed by the Administrator, be posted in a conspicuous location within the designated outdoor portion of the public food service establishment. The mandatory sign shall be not less than eight and one-half inches in width and 11 inches in height (8 1/2 × 11) and printed in easily legible typeface of not less than 20 point font size.
 10. The Public Food Service Establishment and designated outdoor area shall comply with all permit conditions and the approved diagram.
 11. Employees and patrons shall not allow any dog to be in the designated outdoor areas of the Public Food Service Establishment if the Public Food Service Establishment is in violation of any of the requirements of this section.
 12. Permits shall be conspicuously displayed in the designated outdoor area.
- F. Expiration.** A permit issued pursuant to this section shall expire automatically upon the sale of the Public Food Service Establishment and cannot be transferred to a subsequent owner. The subsequent owner may apply for a permit pursuant to this section if the subsequent owner wishes to continue to allow patrons' dogs in a designated outdoor area of the Public Food Service Establishment.
- G. Request for Review of Permit Decision.** An applicant or any adversely affected person may request an appeal to the City Commission of a final decision of the Administrator on an application pursuant to this section. The appeal shall be in accordance with part 12.12.00 of this Chapter.
- H. Complaints and reporting.**
1. Complaints may be made in writing to the Administrator. The Administrator shall accept, document, and respond to all complaints and shall timely report to the Division all complaints and the response to such complaints.
 2. The Administrator shall provide the Division with a copy of all approved applications and permits issued.
- I. Enforcement and Penalties.**
1. It shall be unlawful to fail to comply with any of the requirements of this section. Each instance of a dog on the premises of a Public Food Service Establishment that does not have a valid permit authorizing dogs at the Establishment is a separate violation.
 2. Any Public Food Service Establishment that fails to comply with the requirements of this section shall be guilty of violating this part of the Laws of Cedar Key and shall be subject to any and all enforcement proceedings consistent with the Laws of Cedar Key and general law. Each day a violation exists shall constitute a distinct and separate offense.

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-NOTICE TO PATRONS-

6.08.05

- Please wash hands with sanitizer prior to eating
- Keep your dog(s) under control and on a leash at all times
- Do not allow dogs to come into contact with serving dishes, utensils, tableware, linens, paper products, or any other items involved with food service operations
- Do not allow any part of a dog to be on chairs, tables, or other furnishings
- Dog waste must be removed immediately along with the floor or ground sanitization with an approved product
- Dogs may NOT be in, or travel through, indoor or non-designated outdoor portions of the Public Food Service Establishment
- Do NOT allow any dog to be in the designated outdoor areas of the Public Food Service Establishment if the Public Food Service Establishment is in violation of any of the requirements of this ordinance.

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-Outdoor Seating Available Here-

OPEN

FOR

DOGS

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-Notice to Employees-

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- Do NOT allow any part of a dog to be on chairs, tables, or other furnishings
- Clean and sanitize all table and chair surfaces with an approved product between seating of patrons
- Remove all dropped food and spilled drink from the floor or ground as soon as possible but in no event less frequently than between seating of patrons at the nearest table
- Remove all dog waste immediately and the floor or ground must be immediately sanitized with an approved product
- Dogs may not be in, or travel through, indoor or non-designated outdoor portions of the Public Food Service Establishment
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-Plain Language Version-

(Also see checklist on application)

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