



TRADING IN PUBLIC PLACES – FOOD VEHICLES POLICY

POLICY NUMBER: DS-HC-003

PURPOSE

The purpose of this policy is to regulate the operation of food vehicles in the public places of the City.

SCOPE

This policy applies to all operators of food vehicles in Kalgoorlie-Boulder and all City officers with responsibility for managing the approvals of them.

DEFINITIONS

City means the City of Kalgoorlie-Boulder.

Food Vehicle means a vehicle (other than a food transport vehicle while it is engaged in the transport of food) that complies with the requirements Food Act 2008 and Australia New Zealand Food Standards Code for the sale of food.

Public Place includes –

- (a) any thoroughfare or place which the public are allowed to use whether or not the thoroughfare or place is on private property; and
- (b) local government property,

but does not include premises on private property from which trading is lawfully conducted under a written law.

Vehicle means a vehicle as defined in the Road Traffic (Administration) Act 2008 as amended.

POLICY STATEMENT



The City is committed to ensure it is fair and consistent in its decision making and has developed this policy to ensure that these principles are applied to its management of food vans in Kalgoorlie-Boulder.

POLICY DETAILS

1. Guidelines

The City must from time-to-time develop, maintain and implement guidelines and general requirements in respect of the implementation of this policy and the then current Trading in Public Places and Thoroughfares Local Law.

2. Criteria for food vehicle approvals

1. No food vehicle shall be granted approval to operate in the central business districts of Kalgoorlie or Boulder as deemed in the current Local Town Planning Scheme unless part of an approved event.
2. No food vehicle shall operate in front of any business outside the central business districts of Kalgoorlie or Boulder unless the written permission of the business operator has been obtained and a copy provided to the City.
3. No food vehicle shall be permitted to park within 50m of any residence between the hours of 2200 to 0700 hours (City's discretion reserved).
4. No food vehicles shall be granted approval to park in a public place outside the central business districts of Kalgoorlie or Boulder unless the City is satisfied that the location of the vehicle will not pose a traffic problem or a danger to the safety of the general public.
5. The CEO is authorised to vary or waive any of conditions when the applicant wishes to operate during an approved event or any other exceptional circumstances.

COMPLIANCE REQUIREMENTS

Food Act 2008

Food Standards Code

City's local laws

Environmental Protection (Noise) Regulations 1997

RELEVANT DOCUMENTS



Trading in Public Place Guidelines

Trading in Public Place Application

DOCUMENT CONTROL		
Responsible department	Environmental Health	
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