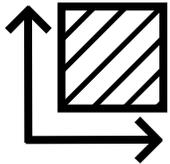




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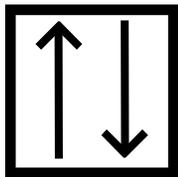


See State Guidelines for maximum table occupancy



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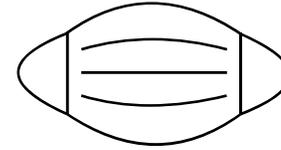
Square Foot Maximum (20' x 20')



Don't block fire lanes, entrances, exits, or ADA parking spaces



No electrical extension cords or generators.



Employees must still wear masks



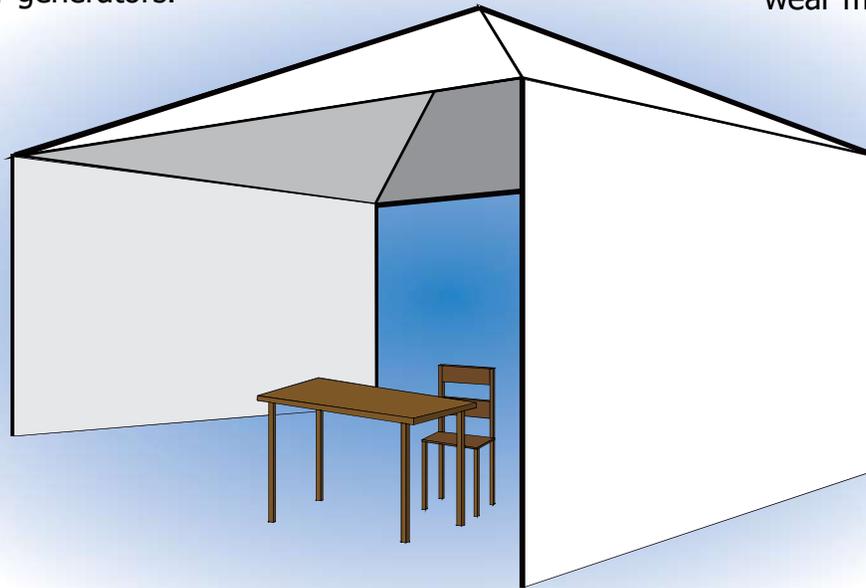
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Day time limit



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Feet minimum clearance between all structures and other tents



No open flame, heat, combustible liquids, gas, charcoal, or cooking devices are permitted inside or within 20-feet of the tent



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Minutes to air out structure before cleaning. No new party before sanitizing

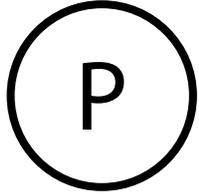


All temporary structures must be secured and resist any wind loads that may occur per the 2018 IBC





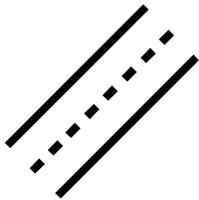
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Parking Lot Activity

City Council suspended parking lot activities code provisions to allow businesses to use their private parking lots to provide flexibility to operate and comply with the requirements issued by the Governor.

City Council also suspended the application fees associated with Right-of-Way Use Permits.

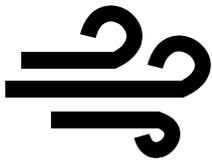


Right-of-Way Use Permits

A public right of way includes improved and unimproved streets, alleys, planting strips, and sidewalks. Temporary structures are preferred to be proposed where a sidewalk exists. The purpose of a right-of-way use permit is to ensure that structures or uses do not obstruct, hinder, jeopardize, injure or delay the use of the right-of-way for its primary function of vehicular and pedestrian travel.

Proposed structures in the public right-of-way require a Right-of-Way Use Permit.

Right-of-Way Use permits can be found on the City's website in the Permit Center



Wind Considerations

Consider any weather elements that may affect the temporary tent or membrane structure. The business owner is responsible for securing temporary structures from the elements or remove prior to any inclement weather conditions.

It is recommended that temporary tents be taken down each night or when unattended.

Thank you for your commitment to weather this crisis together and help support a thriving economy. The provisions of this guide are only valid during the COVID-19 Emergency. The City will re-evaluate the situation in August 2021 should the need for these provisions continue.

For proposals not covered in this guide, please contact us for further guidance. Please check the Governor's latest information for updates and guidance that may affect your business.



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