

## **GENERAL CONDITIONS FOR HAWKERS PERMIT**

### **CHRISTCHURCH CITY PUBLIC PLACES BYLAW 2008 TRADING AND EVENTS IN PUBLIC PLACES POLICY 2010**

#### **Hawkers - Permit Required**

Hawkers are **not permitted** within:

- The central city area bounded by and including Moorhouse Avenue, Fitzgerald Avenue, Bealey Avenue, Park Terrace, Rolleston Avenue and Antigua Street (to Moorhouse Ave).
- The Akaroa Business District being Rue Lavaud, Beach Road from Rue Benoit to the Akaroa Lighthouse, and Church Street.

A permit is required for hawking in any public place (outside the not-permitted areas), with applications considered on an individual basis. The conditions for Hawkiers and the areas where this activity is permitted will be set out in an approval letter after consideration of the application.

In considering an application to hawk, the Council will take into account:

- The nature of the merchandise involved.
- The quality of the merchandise.
- The environment the applicant requests to operate in, including the width of the footpath and the volume of pedestrian movement.
- Access requirements for wheel chairs and push chairs; and the impact on local existing businesses.

#### **General Conditions for Trading in Public Places**

Unless otherwise stated, a Council permit or licence will be required for any trading in a public place, (refer to clause 8 of the Trading and Events in Public Places Policy 2010).

1. Unless specifically allowed to remain, any stall or market must be removed from the site at the end of each day.
2. All permits / licences are non-transferable, unless stated otherwise on the permit / licence and can be suspended or cancelled at any time due to non-compliance.
3. Permits / licences must be displayed to the public at all times.
4. Applications for permanent stalls or trading sites within Worcester Boulevard or along the banks of the Avon River will not be considered.
5. Applications for a one-off, short-term/temporary food stall site in a public place may be considered on a case-by-case basis. Any one-off, short-term/temporary food stall trading permit / licence will need to comply with all other relevant regulations and all conditions placed on the permit / licence by the Council.
6. Permit / licence holders of food stalls or stalls in open air markets selling food, on public or private land, need to obtain a certificate of registration under Regulation 4 of the Food Hygiene Regulations 1974.
7. A permit / licence under this policy only gives the applicant the right to trade in the specified public area. It is not a permit / licence for the purposes of food hygiene, sale of alcohol or traffic management. Any other required permits / licences must be obtained through the proper process. Obtaining the appropriate permits / licences will be a condition of the permission to trade in a public place.