

Merchants may obtain permits for sidewalk sales from the [Borough Clerk's Office](#) . Permits cost \$10.00 and may be used for up to three consecutive days. A sidewalk sale shall not exceed 12 hours in any day. There is a limit of four permits per merchant per calendar year, and each permittee must maintain a clear right-of-way at least four feet wide for pedestrians walking on the sidewalk.

Relevant Ordinance Provisions:

Chapter 342

SIDEWALK SALES

§ 342-1. Permit required.

Sidewalk sales are prohibited in the Borough of Fort Lee unless a permit to conduct a sidewalk sale has been issued by the Borough Clerk.

§ 342-2. Definitions.

As used in this chapter, the following terms shall have the meanings indicated:

SIDEWALK SALES - An outdoor display of any portion of the sidewalk by any merchant for the exhibition or sale of goods or services, excepting live nursery products .

§ 342-3. Permit application; fee.

- A. Application forms for sidewalk sales shall be supplied by the Borough Clerk.
- B. The fee for all sidewalk sale permits shall be \$10.

§ 342-4. Permit regulations.

- A. Permits must be conspicuously displayed on the exterior of the premises at all times during the sidewalk sale.
- B. No permit shall be issued to any merchant whose business is not located within Fort Lee.
- C. No permit shall be sold or otherwise transferred for use by anyone other than the permittee named on the application and permit.
- D. Each individual merchant must apply for and obtain a permit.
- E. Upon issuance of a permit, the Borough Clerk shall file a copy with the Chief of Police.

§ 342-5. Sunday sales prohibited; display of goods.

- A. No sidewalk sales shall be held on Sundays.
- B. No merchandise shall ever be displayed on the street or roadway and no parking shall be obstructed.
- C. Only those goods and services normally sold by the permittee shall be displayed or sold during a sidewalk sale.
- D. Each permittee shall be required to maintain at least a four-foot-wide clear right-of-way for pedestrians using the sidewalk.
- E. Normal ingress and egress to and from the merchant's store or premises shall not be impaired.

§ 342-6. Time allowed for sales; number of permits per year.

- A. Sidewalk sales shall not continue for more than three consecutive days under one permit, and such sales shall not be in effect for more than 12 hours in any day.
- B. No more than four sidewalk sale permits will be issued to any one merchant during any calendar year.

§ 342-7. Violation and penalties.

Any person or business found guilty of violating any provisions of this section shall be subject to a fine of not more than \$100 for a first offense. Second, subsequent or continuing violations shall be subject to a fine of not more than \$500.

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