HRS-LEON COUNTY PUBLIC HEALTH UNIT, ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH REQUIREMENTS FOR FOOD BOOTHS AT TEMPORARY EVENTS

(Concessionaires at Red Hills Horse Trials shall comply with any and all state and local regulations wether or not they are contained herein.)

Food Service

The Leon County Public Health Unit (LCPHU), under the authority of the Department of Health (DOH) is responsible for regulating licensed and non-licensed food service establishments, food vending establishments, food catering establishments, food concessions, and residential food service.

LCPHU conducts inspections in conjunction with EH&S in an effort to ensure that each establishment is properly designed, built and equipped for its intended purpose; has a safe water supply and waste disposal system; obtains food supplies from approved sources; and maintains food free from contamination and at safe temperatures.

Temporary Food Sales

Temporary food sales are defined as the sale or offering of food to the general pubic, not to exceed 18 days in conjunction with a single event or celebration. They include, but are not limited to, soft drink sales, lemonade stands, snow cones, and the like.

Temporary food sales are conducted at portable booths, stands or tables. All temporary food and drinks sold must be obtained from and prepared and packaged by an approved source (food store, bakery, restaurant, caterer, or food distributor which has been approved by the local health authority).

No temporary food or drinks from an individual family living unit shall be distributed.

EH&S conducts the random inspection of temporary food sales. Standards governing these facilities include Florida Administrative Codes:

- Chapter 64E-11 Food Hygiene, Department of Health
- Chapter 6C2-2.013 Commercial Solicitations
- Chapter 6C2-2.007 Use of Campus Facilities

YOU MUST VISIT THE FOLLOWING WEBSITE AND REVIEW THE REQUIREMENTS. PLEASE PRINT THEM AND SIGN AT THE BOTTOM THAT YOU HAVE READ THEM.

http://www.myfloridalicense.com/dbpr/hr/forms/documents/ application packet for food service license.pdf

Food vendors who have questions regarding licensing please contact the Florida Department of Business and Professional Regulation Customer Contact Center at 850-487-1395.