

CITY OF BELOIT DOOR-TO-DOOR SALESPERSON SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION SHEET

Please review the following additional information regarding door-to-door sales in the City of Beloit and contact the City Clerk's office at (608) 364-6680 for more information.

PURPOSE: The City of Beloit requires a permit for door-to-door sales to protect the citizens of Beloit against criminal activity, including fraud and burglary, and to minimize the disturbance of citizens and the disruption of their privacy while at their residences.

APPLICATION:

- An annual application for a permit is required.
- The permit is valid for one calendar year from the date of issuance through December 31st.
- The investigation fee is \$25.00 per applicant, and there is a record check fee of \$7.00 for each of the following: the applicant; each principal or officer of the corporation, LLC, partnership, or organization; and the local manager/responsible party.
- Complete the applicable sections of the application depending on the type of organization.
- Every applicant must complete the applicant information, the operational information (Section E), and the acknowledgement (Section G). More information may be necessary depending on the type of organization the applicant represents.

LOCAL MANAGER/RESPONSIBLE PARTY:

- Partnerships, LLCs, Corporations, Nonprofits, and all other types of organizations must appoint a local manager or responsible party. This individual serves as the local contact and is responsible for the conduct of any sponsored individuals or other employees of the organization.
- JUVENILES SPONSORED:
 - The local manager is responsible for supervising and controlling the conduct of all persons under 18 years of age who engage in sales activities.
 - This individual is liable for payment of any forfeiture imposed for violations by any juvenile sponsored.
 - This individual must provide a badge or other easily readable form of identification which displays the name of the bearer and the name of the sponsor.
 - The names, addresses, and telephone numbers of all sponsored juveniles must be included in the application.
- ADULTS SPONSORED
 - Only tax exempt organizations may sponsor adults. If other types of organizations will have multiple adult salespersons, each salesperson must apply as a separate applicant. The company or corporation must still appoint one local manager.
 - A tax exempt organization (pursuant to §501(c)3, 4, 6, 7, and 10 of the Internal Revenue Code) may act as a sponsor for members of the organization engaged in sales activities on behalf of the organization only.
 - The local manager is responsible for supervising and controlling the conduct of all members engaging in sales activities.
 - This individual is liable for payment of any forfeiture imposed for any violations.

- This individual must provide a badge or other easily readable form of identification which displays the name of the bearer and the name of the sponsor.
- The names, addresses, dates of birth, and telephone numbers of all sponsored adults must be included in the application.

GENERAL REGULATIONS:

- The sponsor must provide a badge or identification card to each Salesperson which includes the bearer's name and the name of the sponsor. Identification must be clearly visible at all times when engaging in sales activities.
- No Door-to-Door Salesperson may engage in sales activities at any dwelling or business where a "No Soliciting" or "No Peddlers" sign is displayed (or a sign with similar words or meaning).
- Sales activities are permitted between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 9:00 p.m. only.
- Any Salesperson must leave private property when requested by the owner, occupant, or other person having authority over the premises.
- All Salespersons must carry a copy of the permit while engaging in sales activities and must display the permit upon request to any Police Officer or other person.
- No Salesperson may intentionally misrepresent the purpose or nature of the visit or solicitation; the source of the items being sold; or the disposition of the proceeds or profits from the sale of the item.

EXEMPTIONS FROM PERMIT REQUIREMENTS (but not regulations):

- An ex-soldier who has submitted a copy of a current, valid Wisconsin Statewide Peddler's License per §440.51 of Wisconsin Statutes.
- A charitable organization which provides the City Clerk with a copy of a current, completed, annual registration statement required

GROUNDS FOR DENIAL:

The Police Chief may deny the license on one or more of the following grounds:

- The application is incomplete or contains inaccurate, false, or misleading statements.
- The criminal background check shows that the applicant, employee of the applicant, sponsored person, or other individual for whom a criminal background check is required, has been convicted of a crime or violation of a local ordinance and that the nature of the offence substantially relates to the activities of a door-to-door salesperson.
- The applicant, employee of the applicant, or sponsored person has failed to comply with any provision of Chapter 14.04 of the City of Beloit Municipal Code.

SUSPENSION AND PENTALITIES:

- The permit may be suspended or revoked by the Police Chief for violations of the door-to-door sales regulations.
- The penalties for violating these regulations and requirements include forfeitures between \$100 and \$500.

Date of Application: _____



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The investigation fee is **\$25.00** per applicant and record check fee of **\$7.00 each for the applicant**, **principals of the corporation**, **LLC**, **or nonprofit and local manager/responsible party**. Please allow 7-10 business days for processing and record checks. Permits expire December 31 of the licensing year.

APPLICANT (individual com	pleting the application):		
Name (Last, First, Middle)	Home Address	DOB	Telephone Number

Temporary Address, if applicable:

I am completing this application on behalf of (check one):

Individual	Complete Sections A, E, G
Partnership*	Complete Sections B, D, E, G
Limited Liability Company*	Complete Sections C, D, E, G
Corporation*	Complete Sections C, D, E, G
Other Type of Organization	Complete Sections C, D, E, G
Nonprofit Organization*	Complete Sections C, D, E, G
Organization Sponsoring Juveni	les* Complete Sections C, D, E, F, G
Nonprofit Sponsoring Adults*	Complete Sections C, D, E, F, G

*Every organization must appoint a local manager/responsible party for any incidents or complaints in the City of Beloit (see Section D).

SECTION A – Individual (same as Applicant)

Age:	Height:	Weight:	Hair Color:	Eye Color:
If individu	al on behalf of an em	ployer, please complete	the following:	
Name of E	mployer	Permanent Add	ress	Telephone Number
	<u>SE</u>	CTION B – Partnersh	ip (include all partners	s)
Name (Las	st, First, Middle)	Home A	ddress	Telephone Number

SECTION C – Corporation/Limited Liability Company/Nonprofit Organization/Other

Full Name of Corporation/LLC/NPO:

Address of Corporation/LLC/NPO:

Tax Exempt Status from IRS, if applicable:

(Please specify subsection of §501 of the Internal Revenue Code and provide letter or proof from IRS)

If other organization, describe name and type:

(Include name, address, and telephone of 3 highest ranking officials in the organization below)

Member/Officer Name & Title	Home Address	Telephone Number

SECTION D – Local Manager/Responsible Party

Name (Last, Fir	st, Middle)	Home Address	DOB	Telephone Number
Age:	Height:	Weight:	Hair Color:	Eye Color:

SECTION E – Information Regarding Operations

Date(s) of Sales Operations:

Area(s) where activities will occur:

Hours of Operation:

(Door-to-door sales may only occur between 9:00 a.m. and 9:00 p.m.)

Description of Product or Service:

Vehicles used in activity:

MAKE	MODEL	LICENSE #	STATE OF REGISTRATION

List 3 other municipalities where similar activities have been conducted:

CITY	STATE	DATES

Report of any crime or non-traffic ordinance violation within the last 5 years committed by the <u>Applicant and/or Responsible Party:</u>

NATURE	DATE	PLACE	PENALTY

Please attach additional lists when necessary.

<u>SECTION F</u> – Sponsored Persons, if applicable.

The sponsor must provide a badge or ID displaying name of sponsor or company and the name and picture of the bearer while participating in sales.

List of Juveniles being sponsored:

NAME (Last, First, Middle)	HOME ADDRESS	TELEPHONE NUMBER

List of Adults being sponsored (nonprofit organizations only):

NAME (Last, First, Middle)	HOME ADDRESS	DOB	TELEPHONE NUMBER

Report of crime or non-traffic ordinance violation within the last 5 years for sponsored persons:

NAME	NATURE	DATE	PLACE	PENALTY

Please attach additional lists when necessary.

SECTION G – Acknowledgment

I hereby make application with the City of Beloit for a DOOR-TO-DOOR SALESPERSON PERMIT as provided by Section 14.04 of the City of Beloit Municipal Code, the same to expire on the 31st day of December ______. Having read and answered all of the above statements and questions, I hereby consent to investigation of such facts and state that all of the above statements are **true and correct** to the best of my knowledge. I understand that any omission shall render this application, and any subsequent permit, void. I understand that information provided on this application is of **public record**. If I am the applicant or local manager, I understand that it is my responsibility to **supervise and control the activities of all sponsored persons** while engaging in door-to-door sales. I understand that the investigation and record check fees are **non-refundable** under any circumstances and that I can appeal the denial of this permit application to the City Council by filing a written appeal with the City Clerk within five days of receiving the written notice of denial.

Applicant/Responsible Party Signature

OR

As an **ex-soldier licensed by the State of Wisconsin**, I understand that I am exempt from the permit requirements but not the regulations. As such, I have read and understand the regulations for door-to-door salespersons in the City of Beloit and I agree to abide by said regulations. I have submitted a copy of my Wisconsin Statewide Peddler's License, per §440.51 of the State Statutes. I understand that if this license is suspended or revoked by the Department of Safety and Professional Services, I must inform the City Clerk and cease any sales activities immediately.

Signature of Ex-Soldier licensed by the State of Wisconsin

For Office Use Only:	Exemption Claimed (attach letter from IRS) Ex-Soldier (attach copy of WI Peddlers License) Copy of Licenses required (DL or Photo & 2 IDs) Total Fees Paid Date Fees Paid Gave Supplemental Information to Applicant Treasurer's Check Sheet Completed Date Permit Issued by Clerk
APPROVAL or DENIAL (circle one)	
Police Department:	Date:
COMMENTS:	