



**City Council Agenda
November 16, 2023**

Ordinance

Action Item

Agenda Description:

Discuss, consider, and possible action on an ordinance repealing existing section 5.07, “Food Trucks,” of Article 5, “Permitted Uses,” of the zoning ordinance, found in Chapter 14, “Zoning,” of the code of ordinances and adopting new food truck regulations by adding a new Article 1.10, “Food Trucks,” to Chapter 1, “General Provisions,” of the code of ordinances, providing for the regulation of food trucks.

Background Information:

HISTORY: The food truck ordinance was last adopted on June 18, 2020.

ANALYSIS: The City Council directed staff to simplify the process of obtaining a food truck permit. A conditional use permit is no longer required for a food truck permit and can now be approved by the City Manager or their designee. A few notable additions to the ordinance are as follows:

- Food trucks shall not remain on any parcel for more than 72 hours.
- A food truck vendor shall submit a site plan depicting the location of the food truck on the property; and shall secure a current food handler card from Johnson or Tarrant County.
- A drive-through is not permitted in conjunction with the food truck and shall not provide a drive-through of any kind.
- Food trucks shall be equipped with a self-closing lidded, trash receptacle and kept clean and free from litter, garbage, and debris.
- Food truck vendors shall provide the City with a copy of written permission from the property owner to allow the operation of a food truck and to allow the food truck and their customers access to a commercially plumbed public restroom on-site.

City Contact and Recommendations:

Aaron Maldonado, Development Services Director

Staff recommends approval.

Attachments:

- 1. Food Truck Ordinance**