



Date: September 23, 2025

Honorable Mayor and Council Members:

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Title: **Application 2024-00000059 (Sidewalk Vending Ordinance) Amending the Truckee Municipal Code to Add Chapter 13.08 (Sidewalk Vending); Townwide**

Jen Callaway, Town Manager

Recommended Action: That the Town Council take the following actions:

- 1) Determine the ordinance to be exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) because the adoption of this ordinance and resolution is not a “project” pursuant to Sections 15060(c)(2) and 15060(c)(3) of Title 14 of the California Code of Regulations, and because under Section 15061(b)(3) of the State CEQA Guidelines, the amendments are exempt from the requirements of CEQA because it can be seen with certainty that the provisions contained herein would not have the potential for causing a significant effect on the environment; and
- 2) Adopt Ordinance 2025-07, adopting Chapter 13.08 of the Truckee Municipal Code, which implements new regulations for sidewalk vending.

Discussion: The Town Council considered the Sidewalk Vending Ordinance at its September 9, 2025 meeting. At the hearing, the Council introduced the ordinance for adoption.

Priority:

<input type="checkbox"/>	Enhanced Communication	<input type="checkbox"/>	Climate and Greenhouse Gas Reduction	<input type="checkbox"/>	Housing
<input type="checkbox"/>	Infrastructure Investment	<input type="checkbox"/>	Emergency and Wildfire Preparedness	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Core Service

Fiscal Impact: No fiscal impact to the Town is anticipated for permitting as permit application fees are expected to cover staff time for permit processing. The fiscal impact of enforcement is unknown as it is dependent on future proliferation of sidewalk vending and cost and time involved with enforcement of unlicensed or out-of-compliance operators.

Public Communication: Public communication on this matter was addressed in the September 9, 2025 Council staff report.

Attachments:

1. Ordinance 2025-07 – An Ordinance of the Town of Truckee Amending the Truckee Municipal Code, Title 13 Streets and Sidewalks, Adding Chapter 13.08 Relating to Sidewalk Vending