



CITY OF CLOQUET, MN
APPLICATION TO SELL AT RETAIL
TOBACCO, TOBACCO PRODUCTS AND TOBACCO RELATED DEVICES

This application, all required documentation and fees must be submitted by any person desiring to obtain a license to sell tobacco, tobacco products and tobacco related devices within the City of Cloquet, MN.

INDIVIDUAL SUBMITTING APPLICATION:

Name: _____
First Full Middle Name Last

Applicant Current Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

_____ Home Phone Work Phone Cell Phone

_____ E-Mail Address

Date of Birth: _____ Place of Birth: _____

BUSINESS INFORMATION:

Business Name: _____

Address of Business: _____

Mailing Address (if different from above): _____

Phone No.: _____ Alternate Number: _____

MANAGER OR PERSON IN CHARGE OF BUSINESS:

Name: _____
First Full Middle Name Last

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

_____ Home Phone Work Phone Cell Phone

_____ E-Mail Address

PREMISE / PROPERTY INFORMATION:

Property Zoning District: _____ Property Parcel ID Number: _____

Property Complete Legal Description: _____

Real estate taxes on property to be licensed are: Paid current Delinquent

Are there any financial claims to the City of Cloquet owed by the applicant, business owner, or property owner?

- None exist. There are financial claims owed to the City of Cloquet.

If there are current financial claims owed to the City of Cloquet, please state the responsible party, state amount(s), and type of claim:

Responsible Party	Amount	Type of claim (i.e., utilities, etc.)
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1. Have you ever been convicted of any violation of a federal, state, or local law, Code or Ordinance provisions, or other regulation relating to tobacco or tobacco products, or tobacco related devices within the past five (5) years?
 Yes No *If yes, give information as to the date, place, and offense for each conviction.*

2. Have you ever been denied a license to sell tobacco or tobacco products or had such license suspended, revoked or canceled in any City/State, including Cloquet? Yes No
If yes, please provide details; description, date and location _____

3. Are you prohibited by federal, state, or other local law, Code or Ordinance, or other regulation, from holding such a license? Yes No
If yes, please provide details: _____

I HEREBY UNDERSTAND AND AGREE THAT:

(I) do hereby swear that I have submitted all of the required documentation as listed above and that the answers in this application are true and correct to the best of my knowledge. I do authorize the City of Cloquet, its agents, and employees, to obtain any necessary information and to conduct an investigation, if necessary, into the truth of the statements set forth in this application and my qualifications for this license. I do understand that providing false information shall be grounds for denial of my license.

Signature of Applicant Date

Print Name _____
First Middle Last

SEND FUTURE APPLICATION RENEWALS TO:

- Applicant's Residence Address
 Business Address

FOR CITY USE ONLY: (When applicable)			
City Administrator:			

THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION MUST BE SUBMITTED WITH THIS APPLICATION:

- Authorization & Release/Data Practices Advisory Form
- Minnesota Business Tax Identification Law Form
- Workers Compensation Form
- [Minnesota Revenue Form #CT102](#)

- Appropriate Fees:
 1. **Annual Tobacco license fee of \$150.00**

Authorization & Release

The undersigned, having filed an application with the City of Cloquet realizing that the City has need to investigate the background and history of the applicant in order to better evaluate his or her application, does hereby authorize and request every law enforcement official and every other person, firm, officer, corporation, association, organization or institution having control of any documents, records or other information pertaining to me to furnish the original or copies of any such documents, records and other information to the City or any of its representatives and to permit said City or any of its representatives to inspect and make copies of any such documents, records and other information. I further authorize any such persons to answer any inquiries, questions or interrogatories concerning the undersigned which may be submitted to them by the City or its authorized representative. I fully understand that the information so obtained by the City may be used by it in its evaluation of my application.

I hereby release and exonerate any person who shall comply with the authorization and request made herein from any and all liability of every nature and kind growing out of and in any way pertaining to the furnishing or inspection of such documents, records and other information.

Data Practices Advisory (*Tennessee Warning*)

Some or all of the information that you are asked to provide on the attached forms are classified by state law as either private or confidential. Private data is information which generally cannot be given to the public, but can be given to the subject of the data. Confidential data is information which generally cannot be given to either the public or the subject of the data.

Our purpose and intended use of this information is to perform background investigations of the applicant, manager and others appearing on the application. This information will be used to determine if it is appropriate for the applicant to be issued a license or permit from the City of Cloquet.

You are not legally required to provide this information. However, failure to furnish the requested information may result in your application being denied.

This information will be used by various City departments in the course of their investigations. In addition, various State and Federal law enforcement agencies may be furnished portions of the information you provide.

If you have any questions in this regard, please contact the City Administrator's Office at (218) 879-3347.

I read and understand the above information regarding my rights as a subject of government data.

**I HAVE READ AND UNDERSTAND THE ABOVE
AUTHORIZATION & RELEASE AND DATA PRACTICES ADVISORY.**

Signature of Applicant

Date

MINNESOTA BUSINESS TAX IDENTIFICATION LAW

Pursuant to Minnesota Statute 270C.72 (Tax Clearance; Issuance of Licenses), Subd. 4. **The licensing authority is required to provide the Minnesota Commissioner of Revenue your business tax identification number and social security number of each license applicant. Under the Minnesota Government Data Practices Act and the Federal Privacy Act of 1974, we are required to advise you of the following regarding the use of this information:**

1. This information may be used to deny the issuance, renewal or transfer of your license in the event you owe the Minnesota Department of Revenue delinquent taxes, penalties or interest.
2. Upon receiving this information, the licensing authority will supply it only to the Minnesota Department of Revenue. However, under the Federal Exchange of Information Agreement, the Department of Revenue may supply this information to the Internal Revenue Service.
3. Failure to supply this information may jeopardize or delay the processing of your licensing issuance or renewal application.

License Type: _____

Please supply the following information and return along with your application to the City of Cloquet.

APPLICANT INFORMATION		
Name: First	Full Middle	Last
Current Address:		
City:	State:	Zip Code:
Social Security Number:		

BUSINESS INFORMATION		
Business Name:		
Business Address:		
City:	State:	Zip Code:

TAX IDENTIFICATION NUMBERS
Federal Tax Identification Number:
Minnesota Tax Identification Number:

Signature: _____

Date: _____

Certificate of Compliance Minnesota Workers' Compensation Law

THIS FORM MUST BE COMPLETED BY THE BUSINESS LICENSE APPLICANT

PRINT IN INK or TYPE.

Minnesota Statutes, Section 176.182 requires every state and local licensing agency to withhold the issuance or renewal of a license or permit to operate a business in Minnesota until the applicant presents acceptable evidence of compliance with the workers' compensation insurance coverage requirement of Minnesota Statutes, Chapter 176. If the required information is not provided or is falsely stated, it shall result in a \$2,000 penalty assessed against the applicant by the commissioner of the Department of Labor and Industry.

A valid workers' compensation policy must be kept in effect at all times by employers as required by law.

LICENSE or CERTIFICATE NO (if applicable)	BUSINESS TELEPHONE NO.	FAX TELEPHONE NO.
BUSINESS NAME (Use the person(s) name if business structure is sole proprietor or partnership (i.e., John Doe, or John Doe and Jane Doe), otherwise it is the legal name of the business entity.)		
DBA ("doing business as" or also known as an assumed name) (if applicable)		
BUSINESS ADDRESS (must be physical street address, no PO boxes)	CITY	STATE ZIP CODE
COUNTY	E-MAIL ADDRESS	

YOUR LICENSE OR CERTIFICATE WILL NOT BE ISSUED WITHOUT THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION. *You must complete number 1 or 2 below.*

NUMBER 1 – Workers' compensation insurance policy information

INSURANCE COMPANY NAME (not the insurance agent)	NAIC Number	
POLICY NO.	EFFECTIVE DATE	EXPIRATION DATE

NUMBER 2 – Reason for exemption from workers' compensation insurance

If you have questions regarding the need to obtain workers' compensation coverage, including exemptions, contact 651.284.5032 or 1-800-342-5354.

- I have no employees. (See Minn. Stat. § 176.011, subd. 9 for the definition of an employee.)
- I am self-insured for workers' compensation (attach a copy of the authorization to self-insure from the Minnesota Department of Commerce).
- I have employees but they are not covered by the workers' compensation law. (See Minn. Stat. § 176.041 for a list of excluded employees.) Explain why your employees are not covered:

Other: _____

I certify that the information provided on this form is accurate and complete. If I am signing on behalf of a business, I certify that I am authorized to sign on behalf of the business.

PRINT NAME		
APPLICANT SIGNATURE (required)	TITLE	DATE

NOTE: You must notify us if there is any change to your Workers' Compensation Insurance Information or Employee Status Change by resubmitting this form. This material can be made available in different forms, such as large print, Braille or on a tape.

License Application to Make Retail Sales of Cigarette and Other Tobacco Products

To be completed by applicant when applying for a license with a city or county.

Print or type	Applicant's Minnesota tax ID number		The Minnesota tax ID must be issued in the same legal name of the licensee below.		<i>FOR MUNICIPAL USE ONLY</i>	
					License number	
					Period covered	
					Date of issuance	
	Cigarettes/tobacco products will be sold (a separate license is required for each location or vending machine):					
	<input type="checkbox"/> Over counter		<input type="checkbox"/> Through vending machine		<input type="checkbox"/> Both	
	Licensee's legal name				Federal employer ID number (FEIN)	
	Business trade name (doing business as)				Daytime phone	
Complete address of business location (permit location)				County		
City				State		
				Zip code		
Mailing address (if different than business address)				City		
				State		
				Zip code		
				Email address		

Business Information	Type of legal organization (check one):					
	<input type="checkbox"/> Sole proprietor		<input type="checkbox"/> Minnesota corporation: Enter date of incorporation _____			
	<input type="checkbox"/> Partnership		<input type="checkbox"/> Out-of-state corporation: State of incorporation _____			
	<input type="checkbox"/> Other (describe) _____		Are you registered to do business in Minnesota? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No			
	Corporate officers or partners (attach a list if necessary)					
	Name		Title			
	Address		City		State	
					Zip code	
	Name		Title			
	Address		City		State	
				Zip code		

Statement of understanding	As a licensed tobacco products or cigarette retailer, I understand that:				
	1. I can purchase cigarettes only from a Minnesota distributor or subjobber who holds a license with the Minnesota Department of Revenue.				
	2. I must obtain a tobacco products distributor license if I purchase untaxed tobacco products from an out-of-state company.				
	3. I may not sell cigarettes affixed with Minnesota Native American stamps unless my retail business is located on a reservation that has a tax agreement with the State of Minnesota.				
	4. I may not purchase from or exchange cigarettes or tobacco products with another retailer.				
	5. I must keep complete and legible cigarette and tobacco products invoices on the licensed premises, or make invoices available within one hour of request, for at least one year after the date of the purchase.				
	6. I know that the Minnesota Department of Revenue and/or law enforcement may conduct cigarette and tobacco inspections of the premises, including inspections of inventory, invoices and licenses, and I understand that a refusal to allow an inspection is grounds for revocation of my license.				
	7. I know that failure to comply with all requirements can result in criminal penalties, including the loss of cigarettes and tobacco products.				

Sign here	Licensee signature	Title	Print name	Date	Daytime phone
	Licensing agent's signature	Title	Print name	Date	Daytime phone

License applicant: Submit this form to the licensing authority along with the license application.

Licensing authority: Mail or fax a copy of approved form to:
Minnesota Revenue, Mail Station 3331, St. Paul, MN 55146-3331.