

CITY OF NORTH LAS VEGAS
Business Impact Statement
Ordinance No. 3208
Amendment to the City of North Las Vegas Municipal Code
Title 5 to include Chapter 5.60

Upon request, a copy of this Business Impact Statement may be obtained from the City of North Las Vegas Business License Division. Requests should be sent to:

City of North Las Vegas
Land Development & Community Services
Business License Division
2250 Las Vegas, Blvd., Ste 110
North Las Vegas, NV 89030

A copy may also be obtained from the following website:
<https://www.cityofnorthlasvegas.com/business/business-licenses>

Title of proposed Ordinance:

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING TITLE 5 OF THE MUNICIPAL CODE OF THE CITY OF NORTH LAS VEGAS RELATING TO BUSINESS LICENSES GENERALLY TO INCLUDE PROVISIONS FOR SIDEWALK VENDORS.

Description of proposed ordinance:

The City of North Las Vegas is proposing an amendment to the North Las Vegas Municipal Code, specifically to Title 5 Chapter 5.02 "Business Licenses Generally" to create a license classification and an annual license fee for sidewalk vendors.

Intent of the proposed ordinance:

On June 8, 2023, Senate Bill 92 from the 2023 Nevada State Legislative Session was signed into law by the Governor of the State of Nevada. SB92 requires local municipalities to adopt and enforce certain requirements relating to sidewalk vendors.

Description of the manner in which public comments, data and/or arguments was solicited from affected businesses:

The City of North Las Vegas Business License Division emailed a notification letter and proposed amendments to Title 5, to business owners, Chamber of Commerce and trade associations. Ordinances No. 3208 was also posted on the City's website.

Chambers of Commerce and Trade Associations that were notified:

Chambers of Commerce:
American Vietnamese Chamber
Asian Chamber
Boulder City Chamber
Gay and Lesbian Chamber of Commerce

Henderson Chamber of Commerce
Indian Chamber
Korean Chamber
Latin Chamber
Laughlin Chamber
Mesquite Chamber
Moapa Valley Chamber
Peruvian Chamber of Commerce
Sin City Chamber
Urban Chamber
Vegas Chamber
Women's Chamber
African Chamber of Commerce and Tourism
Armed Forces Chamber of Commerce
Filipino American Chamber of Commerce of Greater Nevada
Korean American Chamber of Commerce, Nevada
Las Vegas Asian Chamber of Commerce
Las Vegas Health & Fitness Chamber of Commerce
Las Vegas Wedding Chamber of Commerce
Native American Chamber of Commerce
Southern Nevada Veterans Chamber of Commerce
Ward 5 Chamber of Commerce Las Vegas

Trade Associations:

ABC (Associated Builders and Contractors)
NAIOP (National Association for Industrial and Office Parks)
Nevada Banking Association
Nevada Broadcasters Association
Nevada Farmers Bureau
Nevada Franchised Auto Dealers Association
Nevada Homebuilders Association
Nevada Hospital Association
Nevada Manufacturers Association
Nevada Mining Association
Nevada Petroleum Marketers and Convenience Store Association
Nevada Resort Association
Nevada Restaurant Association
Nevada Rural Electric Association
Nevada Rural Hospital Partners
Nevada Taxpayers Association
Nevada Trucking Association
NFIB (National Federation of Independent Businesses)
Realtors

Retail Association of Nevada
Southern Nevada Homebuilders Association
Building Owners and Managers Association
Certified Commercial Investment Member Association of Southern Nevada
Clark County Association of Health Underwriters
Clark County Medical Society
Commercial Alliance Las Vegas
Greater Las Vegas Association of Realtors
Las Vegas Hospitality Association
Nevada Business Aviation Association
Nevada Hotel and Lodging Association
Nevada Legal Services
Nevada Press Association
Nevada Professional Facility Managers Association
Nevada Society of Certified Public Accountants
Nevada Subcontractors Association
Nevada Telecommunications Association
Public Relations Society of America, Las Vegas Valley Chapter
Work Health Solutions
Make The Road Nevada (Street Vendors)

Summary of public comments, data or arguments received:

Received one (1) email from the Vegas Chamber supporting the proposed amendment.

Total number of business likely to be affected by the ordinance:

The ordinance creates a new business license classification, so the total number of businesses likely to be affected by the ordinance is unknown at this time.

Summary of any workshops held pursuant to NRS 237.080:

The City held a workshop to go over the new ordinance and the procedures for obtaining a sidewalk vendor business license on Thursday, June 13th at 5 p.m. The meeting was open to the public, and City staff presented the ordinance, discussed the procedures for obtaining a business license, and answered questions from the public about the new designation. A representative from the Southern Nevada Health District was also present and provided information on obtaining a health permit. Bilingual City staff provided translation for the presentation and question and answer session to ensure accessibility for the Spanish-speaking members of the public who were present.

Estimated economic effect of the proposed ordinance on businesses:

At present, estimating the economic impact of the proposed ordinance on businesses is challenging because this is a new license classification.

Estimated annual cost to the local government enforcement and administration of the proposed ordinance:

At this time, it is difficult to speculate the enforcement and oversight that will be required for sidewalk vendors. However, the City will license this type of business and provide the necessary enforcement and administrative services as needed.

Explanation of a new fee, or increase to an existing fee, including a projection of the annual revenue expected to be collected and the manner in which the revenue will be utilized:

The proposed fees will be for a new business classification created by this proposed ordinance. At this time, it is unknown what the projected annual revenue may be as the City of North Las Vegas has not previously licensed this type of business. Fees generated by this new business classification will be placed in the City's general fund.

Assessment of provisions of the proposed ordinance, which may duplicate or are more stringent than Federal, State or local standards regulating the same activity:

The proposed ordinance does not duplicate nor is it more stringent than Federal, State or local standards regulating the same activity.

Description of the methods that local government considered to modify the proposed ordinance; or otherwise reduce the impact of the proposed ordinance on businesses, and a statement of the methods used:

The City of North Las Vegas did not consider any modification to the proposed ordinance due to the fact that there were no comments received stating there would be a significant economic burden on businesses.

Reasons for the conclusions regarding the impact of the proposed ordinance change on businesses:

Business owners, Chamber of Commerce and trade associations were notified by email regarding the proposed ordinance amendment. No increase on existing business license fees will occur with this proposed ordinance amendment.

Certification of Business Impact Statement:

I certify that, to the best of my knowledge or belief, the information contained in this Business Impact Statement was prepared properly and is accurate.



Micaela R. Moore
City Manager

6/25/2024

Date