

Mobile Food and Beverage Traders

Fact Sheet



Horsham Rural City Council
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Fees and Location

The Mobile Food and Beverage Trading Procedure aims to create a balance between fixed businesses and the mobile food and beverage vendors by setting limits on available trading hours and locations. Currently mobile food and beverage vendors can only operate at private events and markets, or with a limited temporary permit from Councils Regulatory Services Team.

It is hoped that by providing options for mobile food traders operating in our parks and public spaces that we can both activate these spaces and provide options for food availability.

Council has resolved to waive any permit fees associated with mobile food trading until financial year commencing 2022. This decision was made due to the hardship our mobile trading businesses have faced throughout COVID-19 restrictions.

Location for Mobile Food and Beverage Traders

The location and times for operation have been based on the EPA Noise Regulations, potential impact on nearby residential houses, and impact on local food fixed food traders.

Mobile food trading locations in other places will be assessed on a case-by-case basis, subject to the following requirements:

- Roaming mobile food traders must remain at least 100 meters from the relevant towns' CBD Zone. See appendix 1 of the Mobile Food and Beverage Procedure document for the CBD zone maps.
- Permits for mobile food trading will not be permitted within 100 meters of any fixed food business.

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Eastgate Drive between Apex Shed and Rowing Shed on the approved areas outlined in Appendix 2 of the Mobile Food and Beverage Trading Procedure document. Available times for operation:

6:00am to 9:00pm

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