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ORDINANCE NO.: 2024-050

Amending the 1998 Code of Ordinances of the City of Columbia, South Carolina, Chapter 11, Licenses, Permits and Miscellaneous Business Regulations, Article II, Business and Professional Licenses, Appendix A, Business License Rate Schedule, Class 9 Rates, 9.3 NAICS 4411, 4412 – Automotive, Motor Vehicles, Boats, Farm Machinery or Retail, 9.40 Group Event Promoter, 9.41 Single Event Permit – Arts and Crafts

BE IT ORDAINED by the Mayor and Council this 6th day of August, 2024, that the 1998 Code of Ordinances of The City of Columbia, South Carolina, Chapter 11, Licenses, Permits and Miscellaneous Business Regulations, Article II, Business and Professional Licenses, Appendix A, Business License Rate Schedule, 9.40 Group Event Promoter, 9.41 Single Event Permit – Arts and Crafts is amended to read as follows:

Appendix A. Business License Rate Schedule

	INCOME: \$0—\$2,000	INCOME OVER \$2,000
RATE CLASS	BASE RATE	RATE PER \$1,000 OR FRACTION THEREOF
1	\$60.00	\$0.90
2	\$65.00	\$1.00
3	\$70.00	\$1.10
4	\$75.00	\$1.20
5	\$80.00	\$1.30
6	\$85.00	\$1.40
7	\$90.00	\$1.50
8.1	\$60.00	\$0.53
8.2	Set by state statute	
8.3	MASC Telecommunications	
8.4	MASC Insurance	
8.51	\$12.50 + \$12.50 per machine	
8.52	\$12.50 + \$180.00 per machine	
9.10	\$200.00	\$1.00
9.20	\$200.00	\$3.00
9.30	\$100.00	\$0.40
9.40	\$100.00 additional \$35.00 up to \$150,000 revenue or additional 25 exhibitors \$500.00 over \$150,000 revenue or 250+ exhibitors	
9.41	\$10.00	\$1.20
	Long Term rentals of less than 5 units is not required to obtain a business license	

CLASS 9 RATES

9.1 NAICS 423930 - Junk or Scrap Dealers [Non-resident rates apply].

Minimum on first \$2,000 \$200.00 PLUS

Per \$1,000, or fraction, over \$2,000 \$1.00

9.2 NAICS 522298 - Pawn Brokers [All Types].

Minimum on first \$2,000 \$200.00 PLUS

Per \$1,000, or fraction, over \$2,000 \$3.00

9.3 NAICS 4411, 4412 - Automotive, Motor Vehicles, Boats, Farm Machinery or Retail.

(except auto supply stores - see 4413)

Minimum on first \$2,000 \$100.00 PLUS

Per \$1,000, or fraction, over \$2,000 \$0.40

One sales lot not more than 400 feet from the main showroom may be operated under this license provided that proceeds from sales at the lot are included in gross receipts at the main office when both are operated under the same name and ownership.

Gross receipts for this classification shall include value of trade-ins. Dealer transfers or internal repairs on resale items shall not be included in gross income.

9.40 Group Event Promoter - NAICS 711320(with Facilities – In City) (561920 without facilities - Out of City) – single annual group event, not more than ten (10) days in length: on gross income from space rentals, ticket sales up to \$10,000 or up to 25 exhibitors, whichever is greater \$100.00

Additional revenue of \$10,000 up to \$150,000 or additional 25 exhibitors \$35.00

On gross Income over \$150,000 or over 250 exhibitors, whichever, is greater \$500.00

To obtain a license for an event as described above, the promoter shall make application to the Business License Division not less than ten (10) days prior to the beginning of the event. The application will contain the following information: the name of the event, promoter or sponsor of such event, the date, time, and location of the event, the purpose of the event, a list of the participants or exhibitors and valid contact information for each. Payment of the estimated fee shall be made with the application and no later than five (5) days following the close of the show, the promoter shall adjust the license fee based on the actual gross revenue received or the actual number of exhibitors, whichever is greater.

The exhibitors or participants in an event described above will not be required to obtain a business license if the promoter, producer or sponsor has obtained a Group Event Promoter License as described herein.

Inspections may be required before issuance of this license depending on business activity.

Food Vendors – that prepare food and/or beverage are required to remit 2% hospitality tax by the 20th day of the month following the event .

(Ord. No. 2003-017, § 5, 4-23-03)

9.41 Single Event Permit – Arts and Crafts

A participant in a single annual arts and crafts event of not more than ten (10) days in length may be issued a permit at the rate of \$10.00 on gross receipts of not more than \$10,000.00 and \$1.20 on each additional \$1,000.00 of gross receipts or fraction thereof. This permit will be valid only for the time

period specified thereon and can be obtained for one event annually. Inspections prior to the issuance of a permit will be waived, but inspections may be conducted during the event.

This shall be a special permit issued only for special events sanctioned as such by the city and shall be valid for the time period stated thereon and must be applied for and obtained before commencement of the event for which it is to be used.

Applicants must be the creators of an art or craft which is to be sold; goods purchased for sale or resale cannot be vended on this special permit.

Inspections usually required before a permit is issued shall be waived, but inspections will be made on-site during the sale.

Other merchants and vendors at such special events, not qualifying for permitting under arts and crafts/promoters, shall be required to obtain a regular business license.

Requested by:


Business License _____

Approved by:



City Manager

Approved as to form:



City Attorney

Introduced: 7/16/2024

Final Reading: 8/6/2024

Mayor



ATTEST:


City Clerk