



City of Revere

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Who needs to get a license from the License Commission?

❖ **Common Victualler License**

- Restaurants, diners, sandwich shops, ice cream stands, delis, fast food places, coffee shops, etc. – Basically, anyone who's serving food or drink to people. If the food or drink gets prepared on site, brewed on site, warmed up or in any way cooked on site (including microwave ovens), it needs a common victualler license.

❖ **Liquor License**

- Anyone selling liquor in any retail capacity needs the appropriate liquor license.

❖ **Entertainment License**

- Any business that has a radio or TV playing for its customers; any business that puts on performances (dancing, music, plays, movies, etc.), or has dancing by patrons, karaoke, jukebox (or its equivalent); gas stations with TVs on the pumps – all these people need an entertainment license.

❖ **Special 1-day License**

- Anyone planning a 1-day event open to the public with liquor, food, or entertainment needs to apply for a special 1-day license for liquor, common victualler, and/or entertainment.

❖ **Class 1, 2, or 3 Motor Vehicle Dealer License**

- Motor vehicle sales of any kind: new, used, junk, or over the internet need a Class 1, 2, or 3 motor vehicle dealer license.

❖ **Automatic Amusement Device License**

- Any business that has an automatic amusement device: electronic arcade games, pinball machines, video poker machines, slot-style machines, etc. **NOTE: it is illegal to use any of these machines for gambling!**

❖ **Hotels, motels, and inns**

❖ **Lodging or rooming houses**

❖ **Anyone operating a commercial open-air parking lot**

❖ **Pawnbrokers**

❖ **Anyone buying or selling secondhand goods**

❖ **Anyone selling jewelry, gold, silver, and/or precious metals**

❖ **Fortunetellers**

❖ **Anyone running a flea market**

❖ **Carnivals**

❖ **Any business that has a pool table**

❖ **Bowling alleys**