

COPLEY TOWNSHIP

TRANSIENT VENDOR RULES

Copley Township
1540 South Cleveland-Massillon Road
Copley, Ohio 44321

Town Hall Administrative Offices: 330-666-1853
Police Department Business Line: 330-666-4218
Police Department Emergency: 330-666-8866

It is the responsibility of the person completing this application to distribute a copy of these rules to each and every person listed as a peddler or solicitor on this application. If a peddler or solicitor fails to follow these rules that person's Transient Vendor Registration can be immediately revoked by the Copley Township Police Chief or his designee.

- (a) No registered transient vendor shall be permitted to engage in or conduct any peddling or solicitation activities, or do so on behalf of any other persons, organizations, or entities, other than as specified on the person's application.
- (b) No registered transient vendor shall be permitted to engage in or conduct any peddling or solicitation activities except during "reasonable business hours", being 10:00 a.m. EST and 9:00 p.m. EST, Monday through Saturday. In addition, no registered transient vendor shall be permitted to peddle or solicit on a Sunday, or a legal holiday.
- (c) No registered transient vendor shall enter, or attempt to enter the residence of any citizen without an express invitation from the head of the household, or an occupant adult over the age of eighteen.
- (d) No registered transient vendor engaged in or conducting any peddling or solicitation activities shall make any false, fraudulent, misleading, or deceptive statements to any persons.

- (e) No registered transient vendor shall peddle or solicit, or attempt to peddle or solicit, any occupants or persons in residences or buildings displaying signage on or around the front of the residence or building which prohibits or purports to prohibit peddling or soliciting activities at the premises, unless such registered transient vendor was previously expressly invited onto the premises by the owner, lessee, or an occupant adult over the age of eighteen.
- (f) Each registered transient vendor shall carry a copy of his/her current certificate of registration at all times while engaged in any activities relating to, or in connection with peddling or soliciting within the Township, and shall exhibit it to any citizen, police officer, or Township official upon request.
- (g) Each transient vendor shall wear a badge identifying his/her full name, and the name of any person, organization, or entity that the individual is employed by, represents, or will act as an agent of, in connection with any peddling or soliciting, at all times while engaged in any activities relating to, or in connection with, peddling or soliciting within the Township.
- (h) No transient vendor shall enter the property of, or attempt any peddling or soliciting at any residence, business, or address listed on the **COPLEY TOWNSHIP NO KNOCK LIST**. The residents, business owners, and/or agents of these listed addresses have specifically indicated that they do not want any transient vendors to enter their property for peddling or solicitation purposes. Any registered transient vendor that enters onto property listed on the **COPLEY TOWNSHIP NO KNOCK LIST** could be arrested for trespassing.