



CITY OF  
**WATERTOWN**  
FINANCE DEPARTMENT

## Transient Merchant License Application

### License Information:

Business Name (as it will appear on license)	
Applicant/Owner Name (as it will appear on license)	
Business Address	
City, State, Zip	
Phone Number	
Email Address	
Product/Produce to be Sold	
Product/Produce made in the State of South Dakota	<input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes (affidavit required)
Sales Locaton:	
Desired Licensing Period	
South Dakota Sales Tax Number	
License Fee (check made payable to City of Watertown)	License fee: \$25.00/30 day license

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Applicant/Owner Signature

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Date

**Submit completed application to:**

City Finance Office, Attn: Records/Licensing Manager, PO Box 910, Watertown SD 57201  
Phone# (605) 882-6203 • Fax# (605) 882-6218 • licenses@watertownsd.us

Fee Paid: \_\_\_\_\_ Receipt Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Dated: \_\_\_\_\_

License Number(s): \_\_\_\_\_



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## CHAPTER 12.0203: TRANSIENT MERCHANTS

Transient merchants shall pay a license fee established by resolution of the City Council. No transient merchant license shall be issued for a period of less than five (5) days. Any transient merchant licensed pursuant to this section shall conspicuously post such license at all times during the license term. Any person who shall bring any stock of goods, wares or merchandise into this City and shall engage in a temporary place, store or room from which to sell same or who shall engage in the sale of any stock of goods, wares or merchandise which is not intended to be replenished by purchase of new goods of its normal value or shall sell any goods, wares or merchandise from any wagon, wagons or other vehicles or motor vehicles on the streets or from any railroad cars or other temporary house, buildings or place shall be deemed a transient merchant. This section shall not apply to any person retailing any produce, goods, wares or merchandise which are raised or manufactured by him in the State of South Dakota, if such person, prior to the commencement of any such retailing shall file with the Finance Officer of this City his statement, under oath, showing that he is the owner of such produce, goods, wares or merchandise, that same were raised or manufactured by him in the State, including a statement as to the particular place of raising or manufacturing, and his post office address and place of residence. No such statement so filed shall be of any force or effect under the provisions of this chapter for more than six (6) months after the filing of same. The license fee set forth above in this section shall not apply to any person retailing any produce, goods, wares, or merchandise when such person is a charitable, fraternal, nonprofit or veteran's organization, or a representative member working on the organization's behalf. The license fee set forth above in this section shall not apply to any person engaged in the retail sale of Christmas trees. (511;C-193; E-368) (E511-1) (98-9) (Ord 04-12; Rev 09-30-04) (Ord 10-27; Rev 11-12-10)

