



Bartow County Business License

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HOME OCCUPATION APPLICATION FOR BUSINESS LICENSE

This application must be submitted to the business license office. The application must be filled out completely to obtain a business license. Payment must be filed with the application to obtain a license. This application will not be processed if it is not accompanied by the appropriate tax or fee. **You will not be billed.** Please print with ink or type.

• This business is: New Renewal Corporation Sole Proprietor Partnership
 Ownership Change/Date ownership changed _____ I am filing an address/name change for Business # _____

Owner Name _____ / Partner _____

Phone # () _____ Other Phone # () _____

Owner Address _____

Name of Business _____ Phone # () _____

Business Street Address _____

Mailing Address _____

If you are required to be licensed by the State of Georgia, a copy of your state license must be presented at the completion of this application.

Full Description of Business _____

Date Business Began in Bartow County _____ # of Employees _____

Person completing application _____ Title _____

If you have a Home Based Office, please indicate the individual responsible for the Business License

Name _____ Title _____ Phone () _____

Address _____

Have you the applicant, or anyone having any ownership of this business ever violated, been arrested, or convicted of any Federal or State Law, or any ordinance or resolution regulating any business? _____

If yes, please list all dates and locations of the offenses and disposition of charges _____

I CERTIFY THAT THE FOREGOING INFORMATION IS TRUE AND CORRECT. I UNDERSTAND THAT FALSIFICATION OF ANY PART OF THIS APPLICATION COULD CAUSE DENIAL OR REVOCATION OF THE LICENSE. I ALSO CERTIFY THIS BUSINESS IS NOT A "SEXUALLY-ORIENTED BUSINESS" AS THAT TERM IS DEFINED IN THE BARTOW COUNTY ADULT ENTERTAINMENT ORDINANCE. I UNDERSTAND THAT A BUSINESS LICENSE DOES NOT EXCUSE COMPLIANCE WITH ANY OTHER APPLICABLE COUNTY ORDINANCE, DOES NOT VEST RIGHTS TO THE OPERATION OF A BUSINESS, AND MAY BE REVOKED UNDER THE TERMS OF THE BARTOW COUNTY BUSINESS LICENSE AND OCCUPATION TAX ORDINANCE, OR FOR VIOLATIONS OF OTHER COUNTY ORDINANCES OR APPLICABLE LAWS, OR IF THE BUSINESS IS PROHIBITED UNDER OTHER APPLICABLE ORDINANCES OR LAWS.

Signature of Applicant _____ Date _____

Owner Manager Other _____



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Contact the Bartow County Zoning Department at 770.387.5007 with questions regarding the following:

HOME BASED OCCUPATIONS

(See Bartow County Zoning Ordinance Article VI)

A Home Occupation is defined as any use customarily *conducted within the principal dwelling* and carried on solely by the occupant thereof.

Home Occupations are permitted in zoning districts as listed in the Bartow County Zoning Ordinance.

No home occupation shall occupy more than thirty (30) percent of the heated floor space of the principal use.

No separate building or structure may be constructed to house a home occupation.

A home occupation must be a use that is clearly incidental and secondary to the use of the dwelling as a residence.

A home occupation does not change the character thereof or reveal from the exterior that the dwelling is being used in part for other than a residence.

There shall be no display, stock in trade, or commodity sold on the premises, and no mechanical equipment used except such as is commonly used for purely domestic household purposes.

Such permissible occupations include, in general, such personal services such as are furnished by a musician, artist, seamstress, cook, or laundress, consultant, telecommuter, or other *which does not generate non-residential traffic nor has non-occupant employees* but shall not include such uses as barbershops, beauty parlors, tea rooms, animal hospitals, animal grooming, professional offices, or a wholesale, retail or manufacturing business.

No signs related to the home occupation are allowed.

No more than two (2) commercial vehicles (trailers counted separately if separated from a tractor) shall be parked on one lot. A commercial vehicle is a duly licensed and registered vehicle used to transport passengers or property to further a commercial enterprise. A commercial vehicle must not be used as an office nor have customer entry for a retail transaction.

Under no circumstances shall employees report to a residential structure on a daily basis to pick up commercial vehicles for the company's operation.

Commercial vehicles parked in any residential zone or residentially-used area shall not be permitted to be parked in any required set-back or buffer area, nor in any front yard area. Commercial vehicles on residential property shall only be parked in the side or rear yard, within setbacks.

I hereby certify and attest that I have read and understand these standards for a home occupation. I hereby certify that my home occupation shall comply with these required standards. Failure to comply with said standards may result in revocation of my license and possible enforcement action.

Signature _____ Date _____

Business licenses are issued pursuant to the Bartow County Occupation Tax and Business License Ordinance, as amended, and under the authority of Chapter 13 of Title 48 of the Code of Georgia. A business license is not certification that a business is lawful under other applicable County ordinances, and issuance of a business license shall not vest the holder with any rights or waive any duties of the County to enforce applicable laws and ordinances. Furthermore, a business license shall not authorize violation of recorded covenants or deed restrictions.

PLEASE CHECK APPROPRIATE BUSINESS TYPE

- Accounting
- Adult Entertainment
- Advertisement
- Apartment Rental
- Appraisal
- Artist
- Assembly
- Assisted Living Facility
- Auction
- Auto Broker
- Auto Detailing
- Auto Parts
- Auto Service / Repair
- Auto Service / Salvage
- Aviation Consultant
- Bakery
- Barber Shop
- Bed & Breakfast
- Body Shop
- Campground
- Car Dealership - New or Used
- Car Wash
- Cash Notes
- Catering Service
- Cemetery
- Charitable Contributions
- Check Cashing
- Chimney Sweep
- Cleaning / Janitorial Services
- Club
- Collection Agency
- Computer Services
- Concrete
- Consultant
- Contractor (Circle One)**
 - Drywall
 - Electrical
 - Framer
 - General
 - Grading
 - Gutters
 - Hauling
 - HVAC
 - Insulation
 - Low Voltage Electrical
 - Masonary
 - Painting
 - Paving
 - Plumbing
 - Remodeling
 - Residential / Light Commercial

- Contractor (continued)**
- Residential Builder
- Roofing
- Septic Tanks
- Siding
- Specialist
- Swimming Pools
- Trim
- Water Lines
- Convenience Store
- Crafts
- Daycare
- Delivery Services
- Demolition Service
- Development
- Dispensing Optician
- Distribution
- Education
- Elderly Care
- Entertainment
- Equine
- Equipment Leasing
- Farm
- Financial Institution
- Flooring
- Florist
- Freight Broker
- Funeral Services
- Gift Baskets
- Golf Course
- Hearing Aid Dealer
- Hospital
- Inspector
- Installation Services
- Insurance Agency
- Interior Design / Décor
- Internet Sales
- Investments
- Kennel
- Lab Services
- Landscaping
- Lawn Service
- Locksmith
- Machine Work
- Maintenance
- Manufacturing
- Marina
- Massage Therapy
- Meat Processing

PLEASE CHECK APPROPRIATE BUSINESS TYPE

- Medical Office (Circle One)**
 - Cardiology/Vascular Diseases
 - Dental
 - Dermatology
 - Dialysis
 - Dialysis Clinic
 - Endocrinology
 - ENT
 - Gastroenterology
 - General
 - Hearing/Audiology
 - Hematology
 - Home Health Care
 - Hospice
 - Immunology/Infectious Diseases
 - Internal
 - Musculoskeletal
 - Nephrology
 - Neurology
 - Obstetrics/Gynecology
 - Oncology
 - Ophthalmology
 - Optometrist
 - Orthodontics
 - Orthotic & Prosthesis
 - Otolaryngology
 - Pain Clinic
 - Pediatrics
 - Pharmacology/Toxicology
 - Psychiatry/Psychology
 - Pulmonary/Respiratory Diseases
 - Radiology
 - Rheumatology
 - Surgery
 - Trauma
 - Urology
- Mining
- Mobile Home Park
- Mortgage
- Motel
- Mover
- Nursing Home
- Office Only
- Packaging
- Palm Reading
- Pawn Shop
- Pest Control
- Pet Services
- Petting Zoo
- Pharmacy
- Photography
- Pressure Washing
- Printing
- Professional Office
- Property Management
- Real Estate
- Recycling
- Rental
- Repairs
- Repossession
- Resale
- Restaurant
- Restoration
- Retail / Sales
- Sales - Marketing
- Salon / Cosmetology
- Security Services
- Soil Erosion Management
- Spotting Service
- Stable
- Subcontractor
- Surveyor
- Taxidermy
- Telemarketing
- Towing / Wrecker Service
- Training
- Transportation
- Travel Agency
- Tree Service
- Truck Escort Service
- Trucking Company
- Upholstery
- Vending
- Veterinarian
- Video Rentals
- Warehouse / Storage
- Waste Retrieval
- Welding
- Wholesale