



## Temporary Curbside Liquor Permit

The business license official, or designee, may authorize a temporary curbside liquor permit to allow for curbside pickup of alcohol with meal orders while the Governor's order for nonessential business closure is in place.

The permit will be valid for 30 days or until the Governor's order has ceased, whichever comes first. At the end of the 30 days, the permit can be extended an additional 30 days, if necessary. The temporary permit can be amended or revoked by the business license official or designee as necessary in the interest of public safety, health and welfare.

It is the responsibility of the permittee to ensure all laws regarding sales, service and distribution of alcoholic beverages are met.

To receive this no-fee permit, please email [businesslicenses@mesquitenv.gov](mailto:businesslicenses@mesquitenv.gov). Please include the name and address of the business, City liquor license number and the key employee or business owner's contact information. Once the email has been acknowledged by the City, businesses are free to begin service of alcohol with meals being picked up curbside at your location. This does not include delivery of alcohol to residences or hotels by your staff or third-party delivery services.

The City of Mesquite will allow establishments to complete food orders with alcoholic beverages for takeout and curbside orders only, under the following provisions:

1. The customer must order food; an order solely for alcoholic beverages cannot be completed.
2. The customer must pick up the order and transport it to their home themselves.
3. All alcoholic beverages must be in the original factory-sealed container, or if not in the original container, beverages must be served to the customer in aluminum, ceramic, glass, plastic or stainless steel containers and placed in the trunk of the vehicle.
4. All containers shall be capped to meet health department regulations.
5. The customer must be of legal age to purchase alcoholic beverages
6. The licensee must not deliver alcoholic beverages curbside to an individual who is intoxicated.
7. This will only apply to establishments with an active liquor license (restaurant with bar, restaurant with service bar, and tavern). What a business's current license type allows is the only type of alcoholic beverage(s) that may be available curbside.

However, if any of the above conditions are violated, Code Enforcement will open a case to review the violations. If the allegations are found to be true the business may be fined and the permit may be permanently suspended.