

Glen Arbor Township
PO Box 276
Glen Arbor, MI 49636

Ordinance No. 1 -2011

Public Vending Ordinance

Adopted Date: March 15, 2011

Effective Date: April 15, 2011

An ordinance to prohibit the selling or offering for sale to the public of any goods or services on any sidewalk, street or other public space within the township, to authorize the township board to permit public vending in certain circumstances, and to make any violation hereof a municipal civil infraction

The Township of Glen Arbor Hereby Ordains:

Section 1. Definitions

For the purposes of this ordinance, the following terms shall have the following definitions.

Person. An individual person or a firm or other legal entity.

Public Vendor. A person, firm or legal entity who sells, or offers for sale, any goods or services to members of the public on any sidewalk, street or other public space within the township of Glen Arbor; provide, however, that a person who sells, or offers for sale, any goods or services to members of the public on a sidewalk directly abutting said person's place of business is not a public vendor for purposes of this ordinance.

Section 2. Prohibition of Public Vending

No person shall engage in the activity of a public vendor on any sidewalk. Street or other public space within the township of Glen Arbor. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the township board may allow, by specific or by general resolution, a person to engage in the activity of a public vendor when such activity is conducted as part of, or in connection with, a festival, fair, market, marketplace, celebration, or other event where such event is recognized and permitted by the township.

Section 3. Enforcement.

A violation of this ordinance is a municipal civil infraction and shall be enforced in the manner provided by Chapter 87 of the revised Judicature Act (MCL 600.8701 et seq). Violations of this ordinance shall be enforced by the township Zoning Administrator who is authorized to issue municipal civil infraction notices and citations pursuant to the authority of and as provided in applicable state law.

Communication

The Glen Arbor Township will take responsibility for notifying the public of the ordinance.

8. Effective Date

This Ordinance was approved and adopted by Glen Arbor Township Board on March 15, 2011 and shall be effective on April 15, 2011.

Bonnie Quick

Glen Arbor Township Clerk