

Mobile Food Service Facility (Mobile Unit) Acknowledgement Form

“Mobile Food Service Facility” means a food service facility that is a mechanically, electrically, manually or otherwise propelled vehicle operating on land or water that moves as part of its routine operation to:

- Change location for sales;
- Obtain food and other supplies;
- Fill potable water supply holding tanks;
- Empty wastewater holding tanks; or
- Provide for the cleaning and sanitization of equipment and utensils.

Mobile Food Service Facility **does not** include a food service facility that can be moved, but does not move routinely for a purpose as set forth above.

A base of operations (depot site) is required for mobile food service facilities. The depot site must be a licensed food service facility which provides the following:

- A source of potable water, hoses and connections;
- Refrigerated and dry food storage areas;
- A method and place for wastewater disposal;
- Covered trash disposal; and
- A utensil washing facility, if necessary.

A letter from the Depot Site must include the name of the facility, location, type of facility, food service facility number, phone number and contact person for the facility, as well as authorization to use the facility for the above reasons.

All mobile units must be self-sustaining and include the tow vehicle and generator at site during operating hours. Mobile units will be inspected at least twice a year, once at a Department of Health office and once at a field location.

Your mobile license requires that you move the unit as part of your daily operations. If you set up operations at a fixed location, you will be required to meet all the requirements of a permanent food service facility, including permanent connections to approved water and sewer systems and other permits as required by Anne Arundel County.

I have read and understand the above definition of a mobile food service facility. I agree that the mobile food service facility (mobile unit) that I am applying for licensure follows this definition.

Name of Mobile Unit: _____

Name of Applicant (Printed): _____

Signature of Applicant: _____ Date: _____

Inspector (Signature): _____