



City of Hialeah
501 Palm Avenue
Hialeah, FL 33180

EXTENDED HOURS LOUNGE PERMIT

Permit # _____

Name of Business (print or type)

Contact Name

Shopping Center Name

Telephone Number

Street Address

Suite

Email Address

Business Owner Business Tax Receipt:

Name of Property Owner or Representative (print or type)

Contact Name

Corporation Name

Telephone Number

Street Address

Suite

Email Address

City of Hialeah Code of Ordinances Section 18-2180 is part of this application package.

Cost: \$ 2,500

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I have read and understand the regulations affecting the extended hours lounge permit. I also understand that the permissible extended hours are Friday and Saturdays between the hours of 1.00 a.m. and 3.00 a.m. only and subject to compliance with service area requirement of at least 4,000 square feet, permissible entertainment and additional security measures requirements.

Applicant Name (print or type)

Applicant Signature

Date

I authorize the applicant to conduct business according to the extended hours lounge permit.

Shopping Center Owner Name

Shopping Center Owner Signature

Date

FOR CITY USE

Prior Permit(s) issued:	<input type="checkbox"/> NO	<input type="checkbox"/> YES Dates: _____
Sketch of Interior Layout	<input type="checkbox"/> NO	<input type="checkbox"/> YES (See Comment)
Area (+4,000 sq ft & +200 guests)	<input type="checkbox"/> YES	<input type="checkbox"/> NO (See Comment)
Business Tax Receipt	<input type="checkbox"/> YES	<input type="checkbox"/> NO
\$ 2,500 Application Fee	<input type="checkbox"/> YES	<input type="checkbox"/> NO
Inspection	Date: _____	Month: _____ Result: _____

Comment:

Reviewed By: _____ Date: _____

APPROVED BY: _____ Date: _____

Sec. 18-210. - Extended hours lounge permit

Any bar or any restaurant with a service area of at least 4,000 square feet and a seating capacity of 200 guests or more only, as described by section 6-66(b)(2)g., may obtain a lounge permit for extended hours of operation after 1:00 a.m. and up to 3:00 a.m. on Fridays and Saturdays to provide for live artistic performances only, upon application and payment of an annual fee to the local business tax division.

- (a) *Permissible extended hours.* The lounge area shall be allowed to operate every Friday and Saturday between the hours of 1:00 a.m. and 3:00 a.m. only. Restaurants operating a lounge during extended hours must also continue to operate their kitchen facilities to prepare, serve and make available food for consumption on the premises to their patrons for the entire length of time the lounge is in operation. No bar or restaurant with an extended hours lounge permit shall be allowed to remain open for business beyond 3:00 a.m.
- (b) *Permissible entertainment.* During the period of extended hours of operation, entertainment must be provided indoors for the enjoyment of the patrons. Entertainment must include an artistic performance by an actor, singer, musician, comedian or other performer or group of performers, live and in person on the premises. No explosions, flashes, smoke, flames, fireworks or other pyrotechnic driven effects shall be used as part of the entertainment.
- (c) *Additional security measures required.* Any bar or restaurant operating a lounge during extended hours shall not exceed its occupancy load or be in violation of any other fire safety regulation at any time during its operation. In addition, any bar or restaurant operating a lounge during extended hours shall provide the following additional security measures:
 - (1) Provide security personnel trained in crowd management techniques responsible for monitoring and managing crowds and to effect orderly exiting in case of emergency. The number of interior security personnel required shall be the greater of the number of security personnel determined to be required by the police chief or the fire marshal upon review of the permit application. When determining the number of security personnel required, the police chief or fire marshal shall consider the nature of the event and any history of reported criminal incidents or disturbances associated with events of a similar nature. The security personnel shall be on site at all times when entertainment is provided;
 - (2) Maintain a security camera system capable of recording and retrieving video images. Cameras must be activated during all hours of operation and shall continuously record interior and exterior images of all the entrance and exit doors. Recorded video shall be stored for a minimum of 30 days. Signage notifying patrons of the existence and use of security cameras shall be prominently displayed on the premises;
 - (3) Provide an extra-duty police officer during the extended hours of operation to patrol the parking area of the establishment;
 - (4) Provide sufficient on-site parking or sufficient number of parking attendants such that there is no traffic congestion on site and no impact to the free flow of traffic on the adjacent rights-of-way.
- (d)

Application and fee. An application for the operation of a lounge during the permissible extended hours shall be made on or before October 1st of every year on a form provided by the city. A sketch of the interior layout of the business location, including the proposed lounge area, and a fee of \$2,500.00 shall accompany the application. The application and location shall be reviewed, inspected and approved for compliance with the regulations provided herein. The lounge area shall not diminish the required seating or service area. The business location shall implement any additional reasonable security or safety measure as required by the fire marshal or police chief upon review of the application or inspection of the location.

(e) *Denial and revocation.*

- (1) Any denial of an application for a permit for any grounds as indicated in section 86-53 shall be appealed to the city council within 30 days of the decision to deny.
- (2) Any bar or restaurant operating a lounge during extended hours may be ordered to close for business during the extended hours, the permit to operate the lounge suspended or revoked and the extended hours of operation terminated when any part of its business operations or conduct, including the conduct of any agent, employee or person in the establishment, constitutes a threat to the health, safety or welfare of its patrons or the public pursuant to the emergency procedures set forth in section 86-56 hereof. Failure to comply with the regulations provided for herein shall be considered a threat to the health, safety and welfare of the business patrons and general public. The city shall immediately notify the permit holder of its decision to close the premises for business during the extended hours, suspend or revoke the permit to operate the lounge and to terminate the extended hours of operation and afford a prompt post-revocation hearing at the next regularly scheduled hearing before city council. The hearing shall be conducted according to the procedures set forth in section 86-57(c). There shall be no right to a prior informal administrative hearing. No bar or restaurant whose permit has been denied or revoked shall apply for a new extended hours lounge permit within one year from the date of denial or revocation. The city's decision to close the premises for business during the extended hours shall be enforced by action of the police department. The city council's findings shall constitute final administrative action of the city, subject to appeal to the circuit court, appellate division.

(Ord. No. 2014-11, § 1, 2-25-2014)