

**BOROUGH OF RIDGEFIELD
MUNICIPAL REGULATIONS TO PERMIT
OUTDOOR DINING FOR FOOD OR BEVERAGE ESTABLISHMENTS
OPERATING IN THE BOROUGH OF RIDGEFIELD**

1. Outdoor dining, as described and authorized in Executive Order No. 150 by the Governor of the State of New Jersey for food or beverage establishments operating within the Borough of Ridgefield, may be permitted but only in accordance with these Regulations.

2. All food or beverage establishments utilizing outdoor dining shall do so strictly in accordance with Executive Order No. 150, Executive Directive No. 20-014 of the New Jersey Department of Health and, for those establishments having a liquor license, pursuant to SR 2020-10, Special Ruling Establishing Temporary COVID 19 Permit to Expand Licensed Premises by the State of New Jersey, Department of Law and Public Safety, Division of Alcoholic Beverage Control.

3. In addition, all food or beverage establishments utilizing outdoor dining shall do so strictly in accordance with Executive Order No. 150, Executive Directive No. 20-014 of the New Jersey Department of Health and, for those establishments having a liquor license, pursuant to SR 2020-10, Special Ruling Establishing Temporary COVID 19 Permit to Expand Licensed Premises by the State of New Jersey, Department of Law and Public Safety, Division of Alcoholic Beverage Control, shall also operate in strict conformity with all other existing laws, rules, regulations and ordinances as they presently exist.

4. All food or beverage establishments wishing to utilize outdoor dining may do so only by way of permit issued by the Borough Administrator.

5. All permits shall be issued in the discretion of the Borough Administrator, who is authorized and directed to consult with all appropriate Borough Officials including, but not limited to, Police Department, Health Department, Fire Department and Building Department.

6. Temporary permits are being offered for the convenience of food and beverage establishments and may be revoked and/or modified at any point in time in the complete discretion of the Borough. In addition, the rules and regulations pertaining to same may be modified, and applicants must comply with all such modifications.

7. Applicants operating after issuance of a permit shall be subject to inspection by all Borough Departments.

8. The terms, conditions and provisions of the attached application be and hereby are incorporated into these regulations and shall form a part hereof. All applicants must complete the attached application.