

Motion re Food truck exemption

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Whereas the COVID shutdowns have impacted all businesses in the City of Mississauga;

And whereas Council has put in place temporary exemptions and policy changes to help support all businesses; and

Whereas many restaurants in malls have been closed due to the restrictions; and

Whereas mall operators have asked for permission to allow food trucks to operate on their property; and

Whereas By-Law 520-2004 prohibits food trucks from operating within a 500 m distance of restaurants selling the same products; and

Whereas food truck operators have requested exemptions from this restriction during the pandemic.

Therefore be it resolved that Council approve a temporary exemption to the requirement for a 500 metre separation between a full service food truck and a business selling similar products on private property until September 30, 2021 under the following conditions:

1. Written permission from the property owner for the food truck to be on the site
2. A letter of no objection from a majority of similar businesses within the 500 metre (1640 feet) distance.
3. A maximum of 2 food trucks on any property with a minimum distance of 30 metres (100 feet) between each.

