

Chapter 31

LICENSES

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31.01 CITY MANAGER GRANTS.

The issuance of all licenses, except as otherwise provided, shall be authorized by the City Manager. In all cases where it is not otherwise provided, he shall have power to review applications therefor and issue licenses upon the terms specified in this Chapter. Licenses shall be issued to such persons who comply in all respects with the provisions of this code and as the City Manager in his discretion shall deem suitable and proper persons to be licensed.

31.02 ISSUANCE BY CITY CLERK.

Licenses shall be issued by the City Clerk signing and delivering said license upon payment to the Clerk of the amount of the license fee and each license shall express for what it is granted and the term for which it is granted.

31.03 TERM.

Every license shall be signed by the City Clerk under the corporate seal after the issuance thereof is authorized by the City Manager. (01-31)

31.04 REVOCATION.

Any licensee who violates any provision of this code pertaining to the licensed activity shall be subject to the penalty provided for such violation and his license may be revoked in the discretion of the City Manager.

31.05 BOND.

The City Manager shall approve of the sureties where a bond is required for any licensed activity, except as otherwise provided. Any required bond shall be conditioned that the applicant will faithfully observe all ordinances of the City, and will pay all fines and penalties that may be assessed against him for the violation of

the ordinances of the City during the term thereof.

31.06 APPEALS.

Any person aggrieved by the action of the City Manager in denying, suspending, or revoking a license may appeal to the Council. Such appeal shall be heard and determined by the Council promptly.

31.07 TRANSFER OF LICENSES.

a) No license granted shall be assignable or transferable without permission of the City Manager, nor shall any such license authorize any person to do business or act under it, except the person named therein, unless otherwise provided. (01-31)

31.08 FEES, ETC., NOT PAID.

Whenever it shall appear from the license register kept by the City Clerk, that any person holding any license or permit of any kind, or privilege granted by the City, has failed to pay the amount due thereon or other penalty, license, fine, debt, or liability, the City Clerk shall report the fact to the City Manager who shall promptly revoke the license, permit or privilege.

31.09 LICENSE FEES.

Unless otherwise provided elsewhere in the Municipal Code, the following fee schedule shall apply to licenses issued by the City of DeKalb. When any yearly license is issued after the first day of the applicable license period, it may be issued to the person applying therefor, except that if the application is received on a date when less than six months remain in the current annual license period, an annual license fee in excess of Fifty Dollars (\$50.00) shall be reduced by one half. If an application for a license, the fee of which is in excess of Fifty Dollars (\$50.00), is received when more than six months remain in the current annual license period, the applicant shall pay the full amount of the fee. Applicants shall be required to pay the full amount of a license that is Fifty Dollars (\$50.00) or less regardless of when the application is received. For purposes of this section, any portion of a month shall be counted as one month. (78-19, 01-31)