

(c) The original of the event permit shall be kept in the vehicle transporting the alcoholic beverages to the authorized catered function.

(d) It is unlawful for a licensed alcoholic beverage caterer to distribute or sell alcoholic beverages off premises in unincorporated Lowndes County except in connection with an authorized catered function within the scope of the event permit required by and issued pursuant to this Ordinance.

(e) The event permit required by this Ordinance will be valid only for the authorized catered function for which it was issued. The licensed alcoholic beverage caterer shall apply for and be issued a separate event permit for each authorized catered function.

(f) Event permits required by this Ordinance shall be issued on behalf of Lowndes County by the County Manager or his designee.

Section 7-3. Restrictions.

(a) It shall be unlawful for any licensed alcoholic beverage caterer to employ any individual under the age of twenty-one (21) to dispense, sell or handle alcoholic beverages at an authorized catered function in unincorporated Lowndes County.

(b) It shall be unlawful for any licensed alcoholic beverage caterer to distribute or sell alcoholic beverages during any hours in which the sale at retail of such alcoholic beverages by the drink for consumption on the premises is not permitted in unincorporated Lowndes County.

Section 7-4. Food Caterers.

It shall be unlawful for any food caterer to distribute or sell distilled spirits, malt beverages, or wine within unincorporated Lowndes County off of the premises of the food caterer's business without an alcoholic beverage catering license.

Section 7-5. Nonprofit Civic Organizations.

A bona fide nonprofit civic organization desiring to sell or distribute alcoholic beverages at a special event within unincorporated Lowndes County shall apply to Lowndes County for a letter of authorization for the event. The applicant shall submit with the application for such letter of authorization the Affidavits and other documents required by Section 4.4(1). Upon obtaining such letter of authorization, such applicant must then apply for and obtain a permit from the Georgia Department of Revenue authorizing the organization to sell or distribute alcoholic beverages by the drink for consumption only on the premises of the event, or to sell wine at retail for off-premises consumption, or both, for a period not to exceed three days. No more than six (6) such letters of authorization may be issued to an organization in any one calendar year pursuant to this Section. Upon obtaining such letter of authorization from the County and such Department of Revenue permit, the organization may sell or distribute alcoholic beverages by the drink for consumption only on the premises of the event, or may sell wine at retail for off-premises consumption, or both, in unincorporated Lowndes County, only at the location and for the period provided for in such letter of authorization and Department of Revenue permit, and only in accordance with the other terms, conditions and restrictions in and governing such letter of authorization and Department of