

## **TEMPORARY FOOD LICENSE POLICY**

WHEREAS the number of temporary events in the district is increasing. Events such as community gatherings, charitable events, and business promotions are occurring almost every week. Food is often a big attraction at the event, whether for charge or not.

WHEREAS entities that are Fraternal, Benevolent, or Non-Profit Charitable (FBN) organizations which do not prepare or serve food on a “regular” basis are **not** included in the definition of a “Food Establishment.” (FBN are allowed to serve Potentially Hazardous Foods (PHF) by Idaho Code), and

WHEREAS it is impractical for Environmental Health Staff to track down and license every temporary event food vendor in the eight (8) counties within Eastern Idaho.

### **IT IS HEREBY AGREED THAT:**

1. EIPHD will continue to not license FBN entities serving PHF if the food is served no more than one (1) meal a week. A meal is limited to one four (4) hour event.
2. EIPHD will not require a food license for non-food business entities that are providing food as part of that business’ promotion as long as the event is conducted at their business location.
3. EIPHD will not require a food license for charitable, fundraising events as long as the event is for an organization that is a tax-exempt entity. \*Proof of the organization’s tax-exempt status may be required.

*This agreement shall be in effect from the date of its approval.*