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NOTICE TO INDUSTRY

SUBJECT: FIRE CODE REQUIREMENTS FOR MOBILE FOOD PREPARATION VEHICLES

On January 22, 2019, the Board of County Commissioners adopted the 2018 International Fire Code (IFC) with an effective date of February 6, 2019. The IFC contains provisions pertaining to the regulation of mobile food preparation vehicles (e.g., “food trucks and food trailers”). As a result of this recent code adoption, all new and currently licensed mobile food preparation vehicle operators are now required to obtain a fire inspection and operational permit in accordance with the fire code. As referenced in the International Fire Code, Section 319.1, these requirements apply only to mobile food preparation vehicles that perform cooking operations that produce smoke or grease laden vapors, and/or utilize appliances such as fryers, griddles, grills, etc.

Fire permits can be obtained by applying online at the following website address:

<https://citizenaccess.clarkcountynv.gov/CitizenAccess/Default.aspx>

Respectfully,

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