

TAMARAC

The City For Your Life

PATH TO STARTING A BUSINESS IN TAMARAC

With 72,000 residents, a central location in the tri-county area and a renewed focus on economic development, Tamarac is a great place to start a new business.

START A BUSINESS IN TAMARAC

Have you already found a location in Tamarac that you're interested in? Before signing your lease, fill out the

B-O-S-S (Business One Stop Shop)

www.Tamarac.org/BOSS

form and we'll respond letting you know if it's properly zoned for your business and if open permits or code violations exist at that location.

APPLY FOR A SAFETY PERMIT FROM THE BUILDING DEPARTMENT

Completing a safety inspection and obtaining a certificate of occupancy (CO) ensures the safety of everyone at your business location. It also ensures that the previous tenant didn't make changes that violated fire or building codes.

Apply and pay for a Business Tax Receipt from the Community Development Department

Schedule and pay for your Safety Permit Inspections

PREPARE FOR YOUR SAFETY PERMIT INSPECTION

Post the permit in your storefront's window and have a copy of the approved paperwork available for the safety inspectors.

Ensure someone will be at the business to let the inspectors in.

Have a ladder available that's tall enough for the inspectors to check the ceiling area and dividing walls above the ceiling. Note: Any holes in the walls above the ceiling must be sealed.

For the final fire safety inspection, you MUST have all equipment and furniture in place.

Request, pay for, and receive a CO after passing your safety inspection.

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It may sound like a lot, but with a little planning you can get through the process quickly. We're more than happy to work together to get your new business up and running as soon as possible – sometimes in as little as 10 days. So please give us a call.

Prominently display your Business Tax Receipt once received.

OPEN FOR BUSINESS

EXIT ONLY →

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