



## City Secretary

Suite 140, City Hall, 101 N. Main Street, Winston-Salem, North Carolina

### **REGISTRATION STATEMENT TO OPERATE SOUND AMPLIFYING EQUIPMENT IN THE CITY OF WINSTON-SALEM**

Prior to completing this registration statement, please read the attached Article II, Section 46-33 of the Winston-Salem City Code for instructions and requirements. **This permit is valid for noncommercial purposes only.**

1. Name, home address and telephone number of applicant:

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2. Address and place of business of applicant:

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3. Type license number and motor number of sound truck or other conveyance to be used by applicant:

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4. Name and address of person who owns the sound truck or other conveyance or sound-amplifying equipment:

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5. Name and address of person having direct charge of sound truck or other conveyance or sound-amplifying equipment:

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6. Names and address of all persons who will use or operate the sound truck or other conveyance or sound-amplifying equipment:

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7. The purpose for which the sound truck or other conveyance or sound-amplifying equipment will be used:

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8. A general statement as to the section of the City in or over which the sound truck or other conveyance will be used or the public square, parks, and recreational areas at which the sound-amplifying equipment will be used:

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9. The proposed hours of operation of the sound truck or other conveyance or sound-amplifying equipment:

City Street \_\_\_\_\_ 11:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m. ONLY  
**or/and**  
4:30 p.m. - 6:30 p.m. ONLY

10. The date(s) of proposed operation of the sound truck or other conveyance or sound-amplifying equipment:

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11. A general description of the sound-amplifying equipment which is to be used:

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12. A maximum, sound-producing power of the sound truck or other conveyance, or otherwise state the following:

(a) The wattage to be used:(**MAXIMUM 15 WATTS**)

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(b) The volume in decibels of the sound which will be produced:

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(c) The approximate maximum distance for which sound will be thrown from the sound truck or other conveyance or sound-amplifying equipment: (**MAXIMUM 100 FEET**)

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File with the City Secretary on  
the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_.

**CITY SEAL**

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City Secretary

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Date

print, complete and submit form to:	City Secretary, City of Winston-Salem P.O. Box 2511 Winston-Salem, NC 27102-2511
	Office: (336) 727-2224 Fax: (336) 727-2880

## What happens next?

Once the application for Sound Amplification is received in the City Secretary's Office, the application will be processed and the applicant will be contacted by City Secretary's staff.

Expect one (1) day for the process to be completed. If you have any questions, please call (336)727-2224.

## ARTICLE II. SOUND TRUCKS AND SOUND AMPLIFYING EQUIPMENT

### Sec. 46-31. Definitions.

The following words, terms and phrases, when used in this article, shall have the meanings ascribed to them in this section, except where the context clearly indicates a different meaning:

Sound amplifying equipment means any machine or device for the amplification of the human voice or music, or any other sound amplifying equipment, and shall include megaphones, amplifiers, walkie-talkies, amplifiers on fronts of business buildings or other sound devices. The term "sound amplifying equipment" shall not be construed as including standard automobile radios when used and heard only by occupants of the vehicle in which installed, or warning devices on authorized emergency vehicles, or horns or other warning devices on other vehicles used only for traffic safety purposes.

Sound truck or other conveyance means any vehicle, whether motorized or not, and any airplane, balloon, dirigible or other type of aircraft, having mounted therein or thereon or attached thereto any sound amplifying equipment.

(Code 1975, § 14-14) see <http://www.municode.com/resources/gateway.asp?pid=10054&sid=33>