

January 2025

Dear Business Owner/Vaisakhi Festival Food Booth Volunteer:

RE: Surrey Vaisakhi Parade Serving/Distributing Food at Community Festivals

Thank you for reviewing this package which is intended to stream-line the Fraser Health food permit application process. This process will ensure any food handling and your experience as a food booth server/volunteer is safe.

In this package you will find:

- A Temporary Food Premises Application form which must be completed and submitted at least 14 calendar days prior to the event. The deadline for this year is April 5th, 2025.
- Information on procedures and equipment required for **proper hand washing**.
- Information on Food Safety Do's and Don'ts and FOODSAFE reminder bulletin.

Once you have reviewed the enclosed information, please submit the completed application form, including any attachments, to the Surrey Health Protection Office via any of the following methods:

In-person or by mail: Surrey Health Protection

100 – 13450 102nd Avenue

Surrey BC V3T 0H1

Fax: 604-930-5415

Email: <u>HPSurrey@fraserhealth.ca</u>

For any general inquiries regarding the application, or to reach your Environmental Health Officer, please call 604-930-5405 ext. 765612. They are happy to provide you with information on how you can protect yourself and others from getting sick. Punjabi speaking Environmental Health Officers will be available to assist you in the application process.

Thank you for your time and attention towards this matter.

Sincerely,

Inderjeet Gill, Regional Manager

Population & Public Health, Health Protection, FHA

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