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Re: Street trading Monmouthshire

“Street trading” means the sale and exposing for sale any article (including a living thing) in a street.

The definition of “street” in relation to “street trading” includes any road, footway, beach or other area to which the public have access without payment; and a service area as defined in Section 329 of the Highways Act 1980, and also includes any part of a street.

All streets, public or private, are consent streets within Monmouthshire, and therefore require a street trading consent to trade.

The following are not street trading for the purpose of the schedule:

- Trading by a person acting as a pedlar under the authority of a pedlar’s certificate. Pedlar’s Certificates are issued by the police, not the council
- Anything done in a market or fair the right to hold which was acquired by virtue of a grant (including a presumed grant) or acquired or established by virtue of an enactment or order
- Trading in a trunk road picnic area provided by the Secretary of State under Section 112 of the Highways Act 1980
- Trading as a news vendor
- Trading which (i) is carried on at premises used as a petrol filling station; or (ii) is carried on at premises used as a shop or in a street adjoining premises so used and as part of the business of the shop
- Selling things, or offering or exposing for sale, as a roundsman
- The use for trading under Part VIIA of the Highways Act 1980 of an object or structure placed on, in or over a highway
- The operation of facilities for recreation or refreshment under Part VIIA of the Highways Act 1980
- The doing of anything authorised by regulations made under Section 5 of the Police, Factories, etc. (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1916

To help us deal with applications quickly and to also allow you to know at an early stage whether your application is likely to be supported, we have adopted the following street trading policy guidelines.

For the current fees, further information on street trading and to apply for a street trading consent please complete the [street trading application form](#).
Contact the [licensing section](#) for more information.

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