



Business Tax Receipt Application

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Prior to obtaining a Business Tax Receipt from Seminole County, all commercial and residential business located in unincorporated Seminole County must receive approvals from:

1. The **Seminole County Planning and Development Division** to check zoning requirements for your location: 407-665-7371.
2. The **Seminole County Building Division** to determine if a permit will be required for any modifications to the space and/or change in occupancy: 407-665-7050.
3. Contact the **Seminole County Fire Department** to schedule a fire inspection (call 407-665-7422 or email scfdinspections@seminolecountyfl.gov).

Check the following which applies:

NEW/Commercial Location **NEW/Residential Location**

TRANSFER existing business in Seminole County: **Existing Account #:** _____

Name *Location Ownership (*include Bill of Sale*)

*If transfer involves change in location, **call 407-665-7636 first.**

Location transferred from: _____

Officer - Remove: _____ Add: _____

Name of Individual or Business/DBA: _____

Business address: _____

- Post office boxes, private mailboxes, and virtual offices are **NOT** allowed to be used as for the business address.
- When a residential address is used as the business location, Seminole County zoning rules require the business owner to reside at the residential location and provide proof of residency (i.e., driver license, utility bill, lease agreement, etc. **please attach copy**).

Mailing address (if different from physical): _____

Business description (in detail): _____

Business opening date **at this location**: _____ Business phone number: _____

Email: _____

Federal ID #: _____ or SS #: _____

SS # not required if federal ID is provided F.S. 205.0535 - [6].

Contact person: _____ Contact phone number: _____

Federal/State/County License, Certificate, and Registration Information (if applicable):

Department of Business and Professional Regulation, Department of Agriculture, State Certificate Number, Competency Card Number, State Restaurant Number, Florida Bar Card, etc.

Regulatory License/Certification #: _____

Corporate/Partnership Information (if applicable) (Registered on Sunbiz.org) (**Attach copy**)

Corporate Name: _____ Corporate Document #: _____

Owner, Professional, or Officer of Corporation Information

Name of Individual: _____ Title: _____

Home Address: _____ Phone #: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

NOTE: I understand if I sell or close my Business I may receive a tangible personal property tax bill in November of that taxable year, for which I will be responsible. I will immediately notify the Tax Collector's office 407-665-7637 and Property Appraiser's office 407-665-7503 with the date I closed my business.



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Fictitious Name

Reference Florida Statute 865.09 "Fictitious Name" means any name under which a person transacts business in this state other than the person's legal name.

Florida Statute 205.023 states as a prerequisite to receiving a local business tax receipt the applicant or new owner must present either: **(CHOOSE ONE)**

1. A copy of the applicant's or new owner's current fictitious name registration, issued by the Division of Corporations of the Department of State.

I am in compliance with Fictitious Name Registration for the following reason:

Fictitious Name Registration Number #:

(A current copy of the Fictitious Name Registration must be attached.)

OR

2. A written statement, signed by the applicant or new owner, which sets forth the reason that the applicant or new owner need not comply with the Fictitious Name Act.

I am exempt from Fictitious Name Registration for the following reason checked:

I am using only my personal legal first and last name (i.e., John Doe).

Licensed Attorney forming a business for the practice of law in the State of Florida.

I am **person** actively licensed by the Department of Business and Professional Regulation or the Department of Health for the purpose of practicing his or her licensed profession.

A corporation, partnership, or other commercial entity pursuant to this section, **unless** the name under which business is to be conducted **differs** from the name as **licensed** or **registered**.

For additional information concerning Fictitious Name Registration or exemptions, contact the Division of Corporations of the Department of State 850-245-6000 www.sunbiz.org.

All information is subject to public record except for social security numbers and confidential information as to pertain to F.S.493.6122, 119.07, and 741.465. Under penalty of perjury, I certify that the foregoing information is, to the best of my knowledge and belief, true and accurate. I acknowledge that a Business Tax Receipt issued pursuant to this application does not waive requirements of any city, county, state or federal ordinance, statute or regulation that I must meet prior to entering the business, profession or occupation for which the Business Tax Receipt is sought. I have or will comply with all such requirements. I specifically acknowledge that a Business Tax Receipt issued pursuant to this application does not indicate that the parcel of land upon which I intend to operate is properly zoned for the activity I intend. **I AFFIRM THAT I HAVE VERIFIED ZONING REGULATIONS WITH THE APPROPRIATE ZONING AUTHORITY PRIOR TO COMMENCING OPERATIONS.** Similarly, I acknowledge that the SEMINOLE COUNTY TRAFFIC ORDINANCE PROHIBITS PARKING WITHIN THE RIGHT-OF-WAY of any road for the purpose of selling merchandise or services.

Signature of Owner(s), Professional, or Officer

Printed Name and Title

Date

Seminole County Business Tax Fee:

Full year fee (if open date is between July 1 - March 31): Not Regulated \$25.00 Regulated** \$45.00

Half year fee (if open date is between July 1 - March 31): Not Regulated \$12.50 Regulated** \$22.00

Transfer \$3.00 Duplicate \$3.00 Upgrade \$20.00** (Not Regulated to Regulated)

****Requires copy of certificate/license.**

If business has already been operating without a current Business Tax Receipt, additional penalties may apply. Please call 407-665-7636.

Make check payable to:
"J.R. KROLL, Seminole County Tax Collector"
Attn: Business Tax Dept.
PO Box 630, Sanford, FL 32772-0630