

## Establishment Type Definitions

**Primarily Restaurant:** a building, room or place where meals are prepared, served or sold to the general public.

**Retail Food Establishment:** a permanent or mobile food processing facility where food processing is conducted primarily for direct retail sale to consumers at the facility, a mobile facility from which potentially hazardous food is sold to consumers at retail or a permanent facility from which food is sold to consumers at retail, whether or not that facility sells potentially hazardous food or is engaged in food processing.

**Mobile Cart:** means a restaurant or retail food establishment where food is served or sold from a movable vehicle, push cart, trailer, or boat which periodically or continuously changes location and requires a service base to accommodate the unit for servicing, cleaning, inspection and maintenance.

**Mobile Base:** a service base, or commissary, and is an essential part of a mobile food establishment's operation. It is used daily for conducting activities such as:

- Preparing food
- Storing food and equipment
- Filling fresh water
- Dumping wastewater
- Dishwashing
- Cleaning the mobile unit

**Farmers' Market:** a place or event where local farmers sell their products to the public. Check out these [factsheets](#) to determine what type of license is required depending on the product being sold.