



How to Apply:

- Pick up an application form either by visiting Town Hall or logging on to the Town's website and downloading the form at: <http://www.creston.ca/DocumentCenter/View/479>
- Next, complete the form in its entirety, signing and dating the completed form.
- Then, bring the form back to Town Hall for approval by The Corporate Officer, a Town Clerk, Deputy Clerk, or designate.
- Once the application / permit is approved, you shall be permitted to make use of the approved space, for sidewalk use that conforms to the Terms and Conditions of the Agreement.

Town of Creston

Hours of Operation

Town Hall is open for business
Monday to Friday, 8:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.
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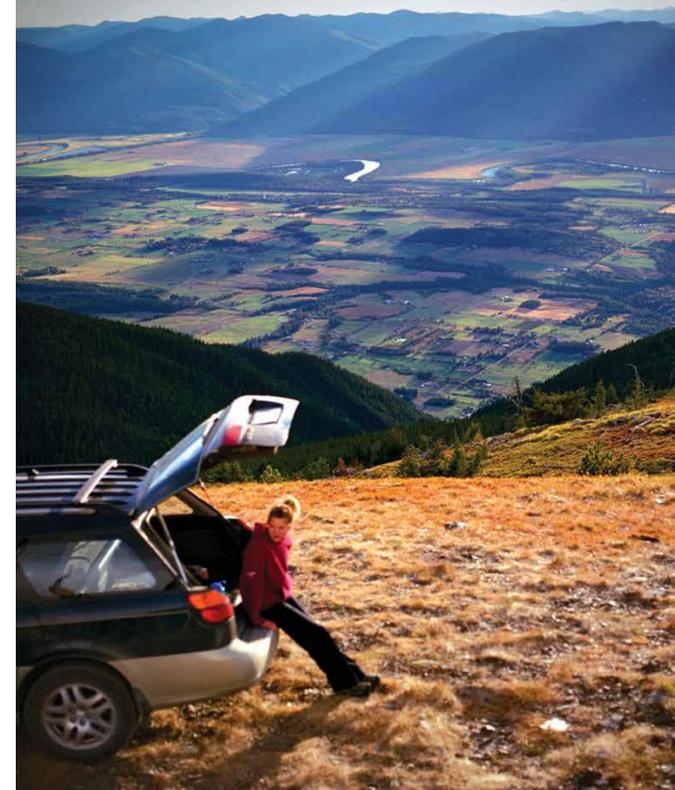


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Guide to Annual Sidewalk Use Agreement

2015



Photo: Sidewalk on Canyon Street, near 10th Avenue, Creston, B.C.

What is an Annual Sidewalk Use (ASU) Agreement?

Previously called the Town of Creston Sidewalk Sale Application / Agreement, the new Annual Sidewalk Use Application (ASU) / Agreement allows businesses more leniency in terms of what they may place on Town sidewalks adjacent to their buildings.

The new agreements will also last for the remainder of the calendar year in which they are approved, replacing the old condition that sales could only operate 2 days per month.

Clearly outlining the minimum “pedestrian passage” that businesses must allow in front of their buildings, the new agreement will allow a safe space for pedestrians, while giving businesses the ability to market themselves with fewer time restrictions.

Is there a fee associated with this new application?

While there is no fee, Town Council does explicitly reserve the right to deny or revoke agreements / permits.



Example: Sidewalk on Canyon Street, Creston, B.C.

What is the minimum pedestrian passage?

Previously, the Town’s Terms and Conditions stated that “no more than 40% of the width of the sidewalk” was to be used by the approved business. This regulation has been replaced by a term called “pedestrian passage”, which indicates the amount of sidewalk space (47inches) that must be left for pedestrians. This is in accordance with the Transportation Association of Canada’s recommended minimum sidewalk width.

Using the Canyon Street Example (above), there is exactly 61 inches of space between the bench and the sidewalk, meaning that only 14 inches (61 – 47 = 14 inches) are available for business usage.

What are the terms and conditions?

Annual Sidewalk Agreement Terms and Conditions

1. Town Council reserves the right to deny or revoke any sidewalk use permit, at its discretion.
2. 1.2 metres (47 inches) of the width of the sidewalk (not including Town infrastructure) must be reserved for pedestrian passage and remain unobstructed.
3. No use shall inhibit the free movement of traffic or pedestrians.
4. Obstructions will be removed by the Town of Creston, with fines resulting if obstructions persist.
5. Sales are limited to the location specified on the ASU agreement and the owner/operator must sign the attached Waiver of Liability.
6. No sale shall operate between the hours of 10:00 p.m. and 9:00 a.m.
7. Displays of socially offensive material (as determined by Council) will result in the revoking of the sidewalk use permit.
8. All sales must comply with the provisions of Town of Creston’s bylaws.
9. **Any violations of the above noted terms and conditions will result in permit revocation.**