



**City of Long Branch  
Office of the Fire Official**  
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Long Branch, New Jersey 07740

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## **TEMPORARY USE PERMIT 2020 OUTDOOR DINING REQUIREMENTS**

- The erection, operation or maintenance of any tent, tensioned membrane structure or canopy for use in conjunction with the Temporary Use Permit for Outdoor Dining under the Governor's Executive Order and the City of Long Branch shall have Zoning, Fire and Police approvals.
- Any such tent, tensioned membrane structure or canopy 900 square feet or more or more than 30 feet in any dimension whether it is one unit or composed of multiple units but 16,800 square feet or less in size shall also require a Type 1 Permit through the Fire Bureau, a fee of \$54.00 and a required inspection under the NJ Uniform Fire Code.
- The expiration date for the use of such tent, tension membrane structure or canopy shall be November 30, 2020 as per N.J.A.C. 5:70-2.7 NJ State Uniform Fire Code. Additionally, there shall be no authorization given to erect any tent, tensioned membrane structure or canopy during the period of December 1 and March 31. During this period, The NJ Construction Code Act becomes responsible for the enforcement.
- As per the NJ Uniform Fire Code NJAC 5:70-3.2, 603.4.2.1.1, portable outdoor gas-fired heating appliances are prohibited in the following locations; inside of any occupancy where connected to the fuel gas container, inside of tents, canopies and membrane structures and on exterior balconies.
- Cooking activities shall only be under open canopies, and shall be separated a minimum of 5 feet from tents or canopies utilized by patrons for outdoor dining. LP-gas containers must be secured, free from leaks and protected from damage by vehicles or other hazards. An extinguisher must be present. A Cooking Permit is required from the Fire Bureau, a fee of \$54.00 and a required inspection under the NJ Uniform Fire Code.
- All walkways either on the sidewalk or temporary street walkways shall be 36" clear minimum width.