

Food Truck Zoning Bylaws

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Hi,

I'm writing because I saw the recent changes to the zoning bylaw and how they might affect food trucks like Drifters Creamery.

I just want to say I really value what they bring. Spots like that make places feel more alive—especially somewhere like Cobble Hill Station. It's not just about ice cream, it's about having something local, simple, and welcoming that people can gather around.

From what I understand, the 8-hour limit and needing to move every day would make it pretty tough for a small operation like theirs to keep going in the same way. It feels like the kind of rule that sounds reasonable on paper but hits specific smaller businesses like theirs a lot harder in practice.

I'm not against regulation, but I hope there's some room to keep things flexible so businesses like Drifters can stick around. They're the kind of thing that adds character to a place, and it would be a loss to see that disappear.

Thanks for your time,

Mark