



City Clerk's Office

City of South St. Paul Massage Therapist License

Year: _____

*\$100.00 Fee plus \$25.00 Background Check Per Applicant
Proof of Insurance and Training*

Section 1: Applicant

1. Print Name: _____
Last First Middle

Address _____

Phone (____) _____ E-mail: _____

2. Place of Birth _____ Date of Birth: _____

3. Business name _____ Phone (____) _____

Address _____

4. Minnesota Business Tax ID Number
(if applicable) _____

Applicant's Social
Security Number _____

(Required by MN Statutes 270C.72)

Federal Business Tax ID Number _____

5. Do you have a valid driver's license? _____ Yes _____ No

Driver's License number: _____ State _____

If no:

ID Card Number: _____ State _____

If several employees will be conducting business within the City, please complete Section 3.

6. Do you drive a vehicle in connection with this work? If yes, describe the vehicle: _____ Yes _____ No

Color _____ Make _____ Model _____ Year _____

State license plate number: _____

Section 2 Proof of Workers' Compensation Coverage

Please complete attached form.

8. Have you been licensed as a massage therapist in another municipality? Yes No
If yes, please list municipalities:

9. Have you had a massage therapist license denied or revoked by the City or any other other government body within three years before this application date? Yes No

If yes, provide the details and locations.

10. Hours that business will be open:

11. Have you ever been convicted of any felony, crime or violation of any ordinance other than a minor traffic offense? If yes, provide the time, place, offense and penalty imposed Yes No

If you are conducting your business out of your home,
you must apply for a permit with the City Planner
prior to issuance of a Massage Therapist License.
Contact: Peter Hellegers at 651-554-3217

For office us only:

Date Received: _____

Amount Paid: _____

Account #: _____

BACKGROUND INVESTIGATION CONSENT RELEASE

As a license applicant, I hereby give my consent for a personal background investigation, to include a criminal history check, to be used in the determination of whether my application is to be approved. The results of such investigation shall be made public pursuant to appropriate City Council approval or denial of the license application. I understand that I am under no legal obligation to consent to such investigation, but that my refusal to so consent may be the basis for denying my application.

TENNESSEN WARNING: In connection with your request for a license, the City has asked that you provide information about yourself which may be classified as private, confidential, nonpublic, or protected nonpublic under the Minnesota Government Data Practices Act. This means that this data is not ordinarily available to the general public. Accordingly, the City is required to inform you of the following:

- The purpose and intended use of the information requested is to determine if you are eligible for a license from the City of South St. Paul.
- You are not legally obligated to supply the requested information.
- The known consequences of supplying the requested information is that the information or further investigation could disclose information which could cause your application to be denied.
- The known consequences of refusing to supply the requested information is that your request for a license cannot be processed.
- A criminal charge, arrest, or conviction will not necessarily bar you from obtaining a license with the City, unless the conviction is related to the matter for which the license is sought, according to Minnesota Statute 364.03. However, failure to reveal the requested criminal information will be considered falsification of the application and may be used as grounds for the denial of the application.
- Other governmental agencies necessary to process your application are authorized by law to receive the information provided.
- The City is required by law to furnish some of this information to the Department of Labor and Industry and the Minnesota Commissioner of Revenue.

The undersigned, by signing this notice, acknowledges that he/she has read and understood the contents of this notice.

Print Applicant Full Name (First, Middle, Last): _____

Applicant Date of Birth (mm/dd/yyyy): _____

Date: _____

Applicant signature

*These statements are true, correct and are made with the knowledge that this information may be made public.
False disclosures are subject to perjury proceedings and forfeiture of the license application.*

Receipt Number: _____

Date Received: _____

Insurance Submitted: ____ yes ____ no

Transient Merchant: Copy of County License must be submitted with application

Remit to:

**Office of the City Clerk
License Division
125 Third Avenue North
South St. Paul, MN 55075
Phone: (651) 554-3239
Fax: (651) 554-3211**

Certificate of Compliance—Minnesota Workers' Compensation Law

Minnesota Statute, Section 176.182 requires every state and local licensing agency to withhold the issuance or renewal of a license or permit to operate a business or engage in an activity in Minnesota until the applicant presents acceptable evidence of compliance with the workers' compensation insurance coverage requirement of Minnesota Statutes, Chapter 176. The information required is: the name of the insurance company, the policy number, and dates of coverage or the permit to self-insure. This information will be collected by the licensing agency and retained in their files.

This information is required by law, and licenses and permits to operate a business may not be issued or renewed if it is not provided and/or is falsely reported. Furthermore, if this information is not provided or falsely stated, it may result in a \$1,000 penalty assessed against the applicant by the Commissioner of the Department of Labor Industry.

Insurance Company Name (not the agent)	Policy Number:
Dates of Coverage: _____ to _____	
OR	
REASON FOR EXEMPTION FROM WORKERS' COMPENSATION	
<i>If you have questions regarding the need to obtain workers' compensation coverage, including exemptions, contact (651) 284-5032 or (800) 342-5354.</i>	
I am not required to have workers' compensation liability coverage below: ____ I have no employees. (See Minn. Statutes 176.011, subd. 9 for the definition of an employee) ____ I am self-insured for workers' compensation (attached a copy of the authorization to self-insure from the Minnesota Department of Commerce). ____ I have no employees but they are not covered by the workers' compensation law (See Minn. Statutes 176.041 for a list of excluded employees.)	
<i>I certify that the information provided above is accurate and complete and that a valid workers compensation policy will be kept in effect at all times as required by law.</i>	

I certify that the information contained in this application is true to the best of my knowledge. I hereby agree to notify the City of any changes in ownership. I further authorize the City or its Vendor and other City Officials to investigate all facts set out in this application. I understand that the purpose of permitting the City to have access to this information is to determine my suitability for issuance of a Business License in the City of South St. Paul. I further understand that I am not legally required to supply the requested data, but that by refusing to comply, my license application may be denied. Your residence address and telephone number will be considered public data unless you request this information to be private and provide an alternative address and telephone number.

Date of Application:

(x) Signature of Applicant

**CITY OF SOUTH ST. PAUL
REQUIREMENTS FOR INSURANCE CERTIFICATES**

CERTIFICATE OF LIABILITY INSURANCE

PRODUCER Agency Address City, State, Zip	Certificate cannot be Pending, Declaration, Quote or Binder.	THIS CERTIFICATE IS ISSUED AS A MATTER OF INFORMATION ONLY AND CONFERS NO RIGHTS UPON THE CERTIFICATE HOLDER. THIS CERTIFICATE DOES NOT AMEND, EXTEND OR ALTER THE COVERAGE AFFORDED BY THE POLICIES BELOW. INSURERS AFFORDING COVERAGE NAIC#
INSURED	-Licensee -dba Trade Name -Licensed Address (or licensed address in description below) ** Name must be listed exactly as on license application .	INSURER A: INSURER B: INSURER C: INSURER D: INSURER E:

COVERAGES

THE POLICIES OF INSURANCE LISTED BELOW HAVE BEEN ISSUED TO THE INSURED NAME ABOVE FOR THE POLICY PERIOD INDICATED. NOTWITHSTANDING ANY REQUIREMENT, TERM OR CONDITION OF ANY CONTRACT OR OTHER DOCUMENT WITH RESPECT TO WHICH THIS CERTIFICATE MAY BE ISSUED OR MAY PERTAIN, THE INSURANCE AFFORDED BY THE POLICIES DESCRIBED HEREIN IS SUBJECT TO ALL THE TERMS, EXCLUSIONS AND CONDITIONS OF SUCH POLICIES. AGGREGATE LIMITS SHOWN MAY HAVE BEEN REDUCED BY PAID CLAIMS.

INSR LTR	TYPE OF INSURANCE	POLICY NUMBER	POLICY EFFECTIVE DATE (MM/DD/YY)	POLICY EXPIRATION DATE (MM/DD/YY)	See Back Side for Insurance Coverage Amounts LIMITS	
	GENERAL LIABILITY <input type="checkbox"/> COMMERCIAL GENERAL LIABILITY <input type="checkbox"/> CLAIMS MADE <input type="checkbox"/> OCCUR GEN'L AGGREGATE LIMIT APPLIES PER: <input type="checkbox"/> POLICY <input type="checkbox"/> PROJECT <input type="checkbox"/> LOC				EACH OCCURRENCE	\$
					DAMAGE TO RENTED PREMISES (ea occurrence)	\$
					MED EXP (any one person)	\$
					PERSONAL & ADV INJURY	\$
					GENERAL AGGREGATE	\$
					PRODUCTS-COMP/OP AGG	\$
	AUTOMOBILE LIABILITY <input type="checkbox"/> ANY AUTO <input type="checkbox"/> ALL OWNED AUTOS <input type="checkbox"/> SCHEDULED AUTOS <input type="checkbox"/> HIRED AUTOS <input type="checkbox"/> NON-OWNED AUTOS				COMBINED SINGLE LIMIT (ea accident)	\$
					BODILY INJURY (per person)	\$
					BODILY INJURY (per accident)	\$
					PROPERTY DAMAGE (per accident)	\$
	GARAGE LIABILITY <input type="checkbox"/> ANY AUTO				AUTO ONLY-EA ACCIDENT	\$
					OTHER THAN EA ACC	\$
					AUTO ONLY: AGG	\$
	EXCESS/UMBRELLA LIABILITY <input type="checkbox"/> OCCUR <input type="checkbox"/> CLAIMS MADE <input type="checkbox"/> DEDUCTIBLE <input type="checkbox"/> RETENTION \$				EACH OCCURRENCE	\$
					AGGREGATE	\$
						\$
						\$
						\$
	WORKERS COMPENSATION AND EMPLOYERS' LIABILITY ANY PROPRIETOR/PARTNER/EXECUTIVE OFFICER/MEMBER EXCLUDED? If yes, describe under SPECIAL PROVISIONS below				<input type="checkbox"/> WC STATU- <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER TORY LIMITS	
					E.L. EACH ACCIDENT	\$
					E.L. DISEASE-EA EMPLOYEE	\$
					E.L. DISEASE-POLICY LIMIT	\$
	OTHER	Insurance must fully cover the license period (see license for specific dates) -or- may state "Insurance Coverage is Continuous Until Cancelled."				

DESCRIPTION OF OPERATIONS / LOCATIONS / VEHICLES / EXCLUSIONS ADDED BY ENDORSEMENT / SPECIAL PROVISIONS

CERTIFICATE HOLDER	CANCELLATION
CITY OF SOUTH ST. PAUL 125 3RD AVENUE NORTH SOUTH ST. PAUL, MN 55075	SHOULD ANY OF THE ABOVE DESCRIBED POLICES BE CANCELLED BEFORE THE EXPIRATION DATE THEREOF, THE ISSUING INSURER WILL ENDEAVOR TO MAIL 10 DAYS WRITTEN NOTICE TO THE CERTIFICATE HOLDER NAMED TO THE LEFT, BUT FAILURE TO DO SO SHALL IMPOSE NO OBLIGATION OR LIABILITY OF ANY KIND UPON THE INSURER, ITS AGENTS OR REPRESENTATIVES. AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE Original Signature or stamp of Agent.

Sec. 18-39. - Bond and insurance.

(a) *Insurance.*

- (1) When a licensee or permittee is required to have in force a policy of insurance, the policy must be approved as to substance and form by the city. The policy must provide that it may not be cancelled without ten days' written notice to the clerk. The coverage must at least be for the term of the license or permit. Satisfactory evidence of coverage by insurance must be filed with the clerk before the license or permit will be issued.
- (2) Unless otherwise provided by this Code, a required policy of comprehensive liability insurance must provide for protection in at least the following amounts: \$200,000.00 for injuries including death therefrom sustained by any one person; \$600,000.00 for injuries including death resulting therefrom sustained by two or more persons as the result of any one occurrence; \$100,000.00 for property damage.
- (3) *Worker's compensation.* Coverage as required by Minn. Stat. § 176.181, subd. 2.

- (b) *Bonds.* If a bond is required for a license or permit, the bond must be a corporate surety bond executed on a form approved by the city attorney and filed with the clerk before the license or permit is issued. Except as otherwise provided in this Code, a bond must be in the amount of \$3,000.00, conditioned that the licensee or permittee will comply with the applicable code sections and laws pertaining to the licensed or permitted activity and that the licensee or permittee will indemnify the city and save it harmless from all loss or damage by reason of inadequate work performed by the licensee or permittee or by reason of accident caused by the negligence of the licensee or permittee and agents or employees of the licensee or permittee. The bond must provide that it may not be cancelled except upon ten days' written notice to the clerk.

(Ord. No. 1289, § 2, 3-16-2015)

ARTICLE XIII. - MASSAGE THERAPY

DIVISION 1. - GENERALLY

Sec. 18-300. - Exceptions.

This article shall not apply to any person duly licensed in this state to practice medicine, surgery, osteopathy, chiropractics, physical therapy, or podiatry, or to licensed registered nurses, athletic directors or trainers. This article shall not apply to beauty culturists and barbers who do not give or hold themselves out to give massage treatments other than is customarily given in such shops or places of business for the purpose of beautification.

(Code 1992, § 1125.12, subd. 11)

Sec. 18-301. - Inspections.

- (a) Any duly authorized law enforcement officer, health officer or building inspector shall be allowed to inspect the premises at which a license has been granted at reasonable times and hours to insure compliance with all provisions of this article.
- (b) Upon demand by any police officer, any person engaged in providing services in any premises at which a license has been granted shall give the person's true legal name and correct address.

(Code 1992, § 1125.12, subd. 9)

Sec. 18-302. - Restriction involving minors.

No person under the age of 18 years shall be permitted at any time on the premises at which a license has been granted as a patron or guest, unless accompanied by the person's parent or legal guardian. No person under the age of 18 years shall be employed by a licensee.

(Code 1992, § 1125.12, subd. 10)

Secs. 18-303—18-322. - Reserved.

DIVISION 2. - LICENSES

Sec. 18-323. - Licenses, fees.

- (a) *Business license.* No person, partnership, corporation or entity shall engage in or carry on a business a principal part of which is for massage therapy within the city without being licensed as provided in this section.

- (b) *Personal service license.* No person shall perform massage services within the city without being licensed as provided in this subsection.
- (c) *License fee.* The annual license fee for a massage therapy business license and the annual license fee for a personal service license shall both be as established in chapter 26 of this Code.

(Code 1992, § 1125.12, subd. 1)

Sec. 18-324. - Business license application.

A person desiring a business license shall file a written application with the city clerk. The applicant shall tender with the application the correct license fee and shall, in addition, furnish the following:

- (1) The type of ownership of the business, whether individual, partnership, corporation or otherwise.
- (2) The name and designation under which the business or practice is to be conducted.
- (3) The business address and all telephone numbers where the business is to be conducted.
- (4) A complete list of the names and residence addresses of all employees in the business and the names and residence addresses of the managers or other persons principally in charge of the operation of the business.
- (5) The following personal information concerning the applicant, if an individual; and concerning each stockholder holding more than five percent of the stock of the corporation, each officer and each director, if the applicant is a corporation; and concerning the partners, including limited partners, if the applicant is a partnership; and concerning the manager or other person principally in charge of the operation of the business:
 - a. Name, complete residence address and residence telephone numbers.
 - b. The massage or similar business history and experience, including, but not limited to, whether or not such person in previously operating in this or another city or state under license or permit has had such license or permit denied, revoked or suspended and the reason therefor, and the business activities or occupations subsequent to such action of denial, suspension or revocation.
 - c. All criminal convictions or arrests of the applicant other than misdemeanor traffic violations, fully disclosing the jurisdiction in which convicted or arrested; and the offense for which convicted or arrested and the circumstances thereof.
- (6) The name, address and phone number of two adult residents of the state who may be called upon to attest to the applicant's character.
- (7)

Written declaration by the applicant, under penalty of perjury, that the foregoing information contained in the application is true and correct, said declaration being duly dated and signed in the city.

(Code 1992, § 1125.12, subd. 2)

Sec. 18-325. - Insurance coverage.

(a) The applicant shall file with the city clerk a certificate of insurance from an insurance company duly licensed and qualified to do business in the state on a form approved by the city attorney. Where liability insurance is required, the insurance policy certified shall provide the following coverage in not less than the amounts hereinafter provided:

(1) *Comprehensive general liability.*

- a. Bodily injuries, including death resulting therefrom, sustained by any one person:
\$100,000.00 and \$300,000.00 per any one occurrence.
- b. Property damage liability: \$100,000.00 per occurrence.

(2) *Worker's compensation.* Coverage as required by Minn. Stat. § 176.181, subd. 2.

(b) The insurance shall not be cancelled or changed without 30 days prior written notice to the city clerk by certified mail. The certificate of insurance shall be continuously in effect until 30 days after receipt of said written notice of cancellation or change, provided, however, said certification shall not extend for more than six years.

(Code 1992, § 1125.12, subd. 3)

Sec. 18-326. - Personal service license application.

A person desiring a personal service license shall file a written application with the city clerk. The applicant shall tender with the application the correct license fee and shall, in addition, furnish the following:

- (1) The business address and all telephone numbers where the service is to be practiced or based.
- (2) The following personal information concerning the applicant:
 - a. Name, age, complete residence address and telephone numbers.
 - b. The message, or similar business history and experience, including, but not limited to, whether or not such person in previously operating in this or another city or state under license or permit has had such license or permit denied, revoked or suspended and the reason therefor, and the business activities or occupations subsequent to such action of denial, suspension or revocation.
 - c.

All criminal convictions or arrests other than misdemeanor traffic violations, fully disclosing the jurisdiction in which convicted or arrested, and the offense for which convicted or arrested and the circumstances thereof.

- d. The name, address and phone number of two adult residents of the state who may be called upon to attest to the applicant's character.
- (3) Authorization for the city, its agents and employees to seek information and conduct an investigation into the truth of the statements set forth in the application and the qualifications of the applicant for the permit.
- (4) Written declaration by the applicant, under penalty of perjury, that the foregoing information contained in the application is true and correct, said declaration being duly dated and signed in the city.

(Code 1992, § 1125.12, subd. 4)

Sec. 18-327. - Educational requirements.

With the application, each applicant shall furnish proof of the following:

- (1) A certificate of national certification; or
- (2) A diploma or certificate of graduation from an American Massage Therapist Association approved school and proof of a minimum of 100 hours of course work in massage therapy. Proof of course work in massage therapy may be in the form of notarized affidavits of the applicant and, where applicable, notarized affidavits of the applicant's supervisor or employer of the licensing authority where the applicant engaged in the practice of massage.

(Code 1992, § 1125.12, subd. 5)

Sec. 18-328. - Investigations.

- (a) Upon the city clerk receiving the application for a business or personal service license, the police chief shall conduct an investigation into the applicant's personal and criminal history. The police chief may require a personal interview of the applicant, and such further information as shall bear on the investigation.
- (b) In the case of applications for business licenses, the police chief and building inspector shall cause to be conducted an investigation of the premises where the massage business is to be carried on, for the purpose of assuring that such premises comply with all the sanitation requirements as set forth in this article and with the regulations of public health, safety and welfare.

(Code 1992, § 1125.12, subd. 6)

Sec. 18-329. - Issuance or denial of business license.

- (a) *Recommendation; notice; determination by city council.* Before any business or personal service license ("license") shall be issued, the police chief and building inspector shall submit their recommendation to the city council. The city council shall instruct the city clerk to cause to be published in the official newspaper no less than ten days in advance of the hearing, a written notice of public hearing to be held, the name of the applicant, the premises where the business is to be conducted, the nature of the business and such other information as the city council may direct. After the hearing, the city council shall either grant or deny the license.
- (b) *Denial.*
- (1) Licenses may be granted only in the appropriate zoning districts to be determined by the city council in accordance with the laws and ordinances of the city.
 - (2) Licenses shall be granted only for premises that can meet the safety and sanitary requirements of the city council and the building code regulations of the city.
 - (3) It shall be grounds for denial of a license if there is any fraud or deception involved in the license application.
 - (4) It shall be grounds for denial of the application if the applicant or persons in their employ are not complying with or have a history of violations of laws and ordinances that apply to health and safety.
 - (5) A license shall not be granted to a person who has been convicted of criminal prostitution or similar sex offenses, or to a partnership, corporation or entity that has in its employ or is owned by any persons convicted of similar criminal acts.
- (c) *Revocation.*
- (1) It shall be grounds for revoking a license granted to any person, partnership, corporation or entity under this ordinance if they fail to comply with this Code, statutes or regulations of the state or of the United States.
 - (2) It shall be grounds for revoking a license granted to any person, partnership, corporation or entity under this article if the owners, managers, lessee or any of the employees are found to be in control or possession of any alcoholic beverages, narcotic drugs or controlled substances, as defined by Minnesota Statutes, on the premises occupied by the licensee.
 - (3) It shall be grounds for revoking a license if the owner, manager, lessee or any of the employees of a licensee are convicted of any ordinance or state laws violation arising within the business premises for which the license was granted under this division.
 - (4) It shall be grounds for revoking a license granted under this division if the premises do not comply with the health, safety and building regulations of the city.

(Code 1992, § 1125.12, subd. 7)

Sec. 18-330. - License renewal.

A license may be renewed annually by the city council upon completion of an abbreviated renewal application form, as determined by the city clerk, payment of the license fee, and proof of current liability insurance for a license. Renewal applications will be referred to the police chief and building inspector for their recommendation to the city council. If the city council deems it in the public interest to do so, the council may order that a renewal application be subjected to the same types of investigation as required for initial application.

(Code 1992, § 1125.12, subd. 8)

Secs. 18-331—18-348. - Reserved.