



# CITY OF MARINE CITY

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## GARAGE / YARD / PORCH SALES

### PERMIT

*\*Please Note ~ No More Than (2) Sales in Any Calendar Year Permitted*

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone # \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Sale \_\_\_\_\_

Location of Sale \_\_\_\_\_

Description of Items Sold \_\_\_\_\_

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Date of Sales Held Within the Last 12 Months \_\_\_\_\_

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*No signs can be placed on any public property or right of way, utility poles, or public buildings. No signs can be placed on any private property without the expressed permission of the property owner. Local authorities will remove signs placed in violation of the noted restrictions.*

*\*\*Please read attached Ordinance #84-11 prior to your sale.*

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Applicant's Signature

**Return Form to: Kristen Baxter, City Clerk, 303 S. Water Street**

## ORDINANCE: GARAGE SALES

### § 117.60 DEFINITIONS.

For the purpose of this subchapter, the following definitions shall apply unless the context clearly indicates or requires a different meaning.

**GARAGE SALE.** Any sale of tangible personal property of any description whatsoever, which is advertised by any means whereby the public is, or can be made, aware of such, and includes all such sales commonly known as attic, lawn or rummage sales. The term shall not include business or trade sales which are regulated by any other ordinance of the City of Marine City.

**PERSON.** Any individual person, firm, group, corporation or other organization.

**TANGIBLE PERSONAL PROPERTY.** Any goods, wares, merchandise or other personal property.

(Prior Code, § 23-91) (Ord. 84-11, passed 6-21-1984)

### § 117.61 LICENSE REQUIRED; NUMBER PERMITTED.

A license issued by the City Clerk, as hereinafter provided, shall be obtained by any person proposing to conduct a garage sale, before selling or offering to sell any tangible personal property at a garage sale. Not more than 2 licenses shall be issued to any individual in any 1 calendar year.

(Prior Code, § 23-92) (Ord. 84-11, passed 6-21-1984)

### § 117.62 APPLICATION FOR LICENSE; CONDITIONS.

(A) The City Clerk shall grant a license to conduct a garage sale to the applicant therefor, upon receipt of the fee as hereinafter required and upon receipt of an application containing the following:

- (1) The name and address of the person conducting the sale;
- (2) The dates during which the proposed sale is to be conducted and the location of the same;
- (3) The nature of the sale, including a general description of the type of tangible personal property proposed to be sold;
- (4) The date, nature and location of any garage sales conducted by the applicant within the preceding 12 months;
- (5) The relationships which applicant has with any other person conducting a garage sale within the preceding 12 months and the date or dates thereof, if known; and
- (6) The number and location of any signs which are proposed to be erected advertising the sale, subject to the restrictions hereinafter provided.

(B) No license shall be issued authorizing any person to conduct a garage sale for a period exceeding 3 consecutive days. The license authorizing the sale shall be displayed in a front window or other prominent place, visible from the street, at each location where a sale is being conducted. No signs advertising a garage sale shall be placed on private or public property without express consent of the owner thereof, and only in compliance with the zoning ordinance. After the conclusion of any garage sale, all such signs shall be removed by the licensee.

(Prior Code, § 23-93) (Ord. 84-11, passed 6-21-1984)