



Entertainment, Peddler & Raffle Licensing from the City of Cambridge & Boston:

The City of Cambridge issues a variety of one-day licenses to organizations below is information for Entertainment Licensing.

<http://www.cambridgema.gov/License/>

Types of Licenses:

One Day Entertainment

O The Commonwealth of Massachusetts defines entertainment as "theatrical Exhibitions, public shows, public amusements and exhibitions of every Description."

O Required if an event will have entertainment rather than academic learning as its main purpose and will include either an admission fee/mandatory Donation

O The cost of a one-day entertainment license in the above link

Peddler/Vendor One Day License

o Required when a group plans to sell something at an event. (If books are the Only things being sold, then you are exempt from the need for a license.)

o The cost of a Peddler/Vendor One Day License

Raffle/Bazaar License

O Cambridge City ordinances prohibit raffles, although raffle licenses allow Student organizations to hold raffles under certain guidelines

O The licensing process must be initiated at least one month in advance.

O The cost of a raffle license

Cambridge License Commission information:

Monday, 8:30AM to 8:00PM.

Tuesday through Thursday, 8:30AM to 5:00PM

Friday, 8:30AM to 12:00 noon.

<http://www.cambridgema.gov/License/>

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Boston License Commission Information:

<http://www.cityofboston.gov/cityclerk/services/raffle.asp>

<http://www.cityofboston.gov/consumeraffairs/>