

Jurisdictional Review – Temporary Patio Program

Municipality (year reviewed)	Fees	Limits on Parking Space Patios	Multi Year Approvals?	Business Licence Required for Patios	Notable Time Restrictions	Who constructs patio?	Notes re: Use of patio restrictions
Toronto (2023)	\$285.00 - Application Fee \$14.56* per Sq. M for walkway/laneway patios \$43.70** per Sq. M for season for curb lane cafes (parking spot) *This fee is reduced by 60% for 2023, to be increased over the course of 2 years **fee for 2024 is \$87.40 **fee for 2025 is \$132.42	Determined in partnership with the BIA	No	Yes	Curbside and parking patios must be removed by Nov 15 th Sidewalk Cafés can be used during the winter if snow is cleared and sidewalk maintained	Business Owner	Amplified live music on patio permitted between during permitted times. Amplified live music is not permitted on temporary patios on private property Must comply with Noise bylaw etc. Open air fires, firepits or cooking devices are not allowed
Guelph (2023)	\$171.00 -Application Fee \$228.00 -Agreement Fee \$260.00 -Inspection Fee \$10 per Sq. M/month-On Street	Specific parking spaces that can be used are identified by the BIA and applied for individually.	Yes	Yes	March 1st- Applications open April 1st- October 31 Patio Season	Business Owners	Music that “does not disturb” is permitted Heaters can be used if approved by Fire
Kitchener (2023)	\$312 one-time application fee Annual encroachment fee: \$156.00 - 12 or fewer seats \$312. -13 or more seats	No	No	Yes	None	Business Owners	Structures are permitted in compliance with building code regulations Heaters are required in compliance with Fire Code
Barrie (2020)	\$400.00 yearly application fee .40 / sq. ft per month on city right of ways Additional ROP Fees depending on patio type	Pre-approval from BIA Parking spaces may only used for pedestrian walkways	No	Yes	April 15th-Nov 15th only for patios within the BIA	Business Owners	Noise required to be in compliance with Noise By-law
Hamilton (2022)	\$676.11 -Application Fee \$875.00 per parking spot \$800.00 -Install of Safety Devices	No	No	Yes	Applications may be submitted between March 1st-June 1st Patios must be removed by Oct 31st	Business Owners	Shall not permit outdoor food prep. Shall not permit amplified music