

Bedford County Commissioner of the Revenue

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To whom it may concern:

Thank you for your inquiry with Bedford County about starting a business here. As requested, we are writing to confirm that Bedford County does not require, nor does it provide applications for, a general County Business License. However, depending on the type of business you are opening, you may be required to apply for other specialty licenses from the Commonwealth of Virginia and permits from Bedford County Office of Community Development.

Though a business license is not required, you must register your business with the Commissioner of Revenue. Please contact our office at 540-586-7621 to register and to receive additional information pertaining to local and state government guidelines for starting your business.

As you continue through the process of developing your business in Bedford County, please reference this letter should any organizations inquire about a license.

If you have other questions about starting a business in Bedford County, please contact the Office of Economic Development at 540-587-5670 or visit online at www.bedfordeconomicdevelopment.com or www.bedfordcountyva.gov

Sincerely,

Tracy T Patterson

Bedford County Commissioner of the Revenue