City of Lynn, Massachusetts
COIN OPERATED DEVICES APPLICATION
PETITION OF LYNN CITY COUNCIL

VENDOR # _____
☐ NEW FILING
☐ RENEWAL

Date of Issue: _____ **This Certificate Expires: MAY 31ST, 20 _____**

Owner of Business _____ Owner Telephone # _____

Business Name _____

Business Address _____

Type of Business _____

Business Telephone # _____

e-mail address _____

Description of Premises _____

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Name of Vendor _____ Contact _____

Vendor Address _____

Vendor Telephone # _____

LIST NAME & TYPE OF MACHINES ON PREMISES

NAME OF MACHINE	TYPE OF MACHINE (i.e. pool table or video)	# OF EACH MACHINE

CLASS I - NUMBER OF MACHINES	_____	X	$ 30.00	=	$ _____
CLASS II - NUMBER OF MACHINES	_____	X	$ 75.00	=	$ _____
CLASS III - NUMBER OF MACHINES	_____	X	$125.00	=	$ _____
			TOTAL	**=**	**$** _____

MANDATORY REPONSE: These questions must be answered.
Certificate of Public Assembly? Yes_____ No_____ Alcoholic Beverage License? Yes_____ No_____

Ward Councillor must be notified prior to the Committee Meeting.
****Business Owner is REQUIRED to attend Committee Meeting**

I agree to abide by and be subject to all provisions of any ordinance, which has been or may be ordained by the City Council relating to amusement devices issued by the City Council. I have read and received a copy of the applicable ordinance.

I further agree that this application shall be subject to the payment of property taxes for the above location.

_____ _____ _____
PRINT NAME SIGNATURE DATE

PROPERTY TAX FORM

PLEASE TAKE THIS FORM TO: **ASSESSOR Rm 202** ~~ **COLLECTOR Rm 204** ~~ **TREASURER Rm 206**

DATE: _____ NAME SEARCH ONLY - Yes_____ No_____

Map _____ Block # _____ Lot _____ Personal Property # _____

Business Name: _____

Business Address: _____ Do you own building? Yes ☐ No ☐

Owner's Name: _____

Owner's Address: _____

Do you own any other property in the City? If so, please list below.

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Signed under penalties of perjury.

_____
Signature

_____
Please Print Name

To Be Completed By Tax Collector

Taxes Owed On Property? Amount: _____

_____
COLLECTOR OF TAXES

Personal Property Owed On Business? Amount: _____

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COLLECTOR OF TAXES

To Be Completed By City Treasurer Amount: _____

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CITY TREASURER

REMARKS: _____

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City of Lynn, Commonwealth of Massachusetts

APPLICATION ~~ RENEWAL ~~
COIN OPERATOR MACHINE VENDOR
FEE: $50.00

Please list your business information: (Please print all information)

Name of Business _____

Address of Business _____

Telephone Number of Business _____

Vendor Number _____

Owner's Name (Please Print) _____

Owner's Street Address _____

Owner's City, State, Zip _____

Owner's Telephone Number _____

Please list the locations of machines currently in use in the City of Lynn:

LOCATION	AMOUNT & TYPE OF MACHINE

OWNER'S SIGNATURE _____ DATE _____

OFFICE USE ONLY

☐ Committee Approval Hearing Date: _____

Paid by: ☐ Cash ☐ Check

Clerk's Initials: _____

City of Lynn, Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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Name of Business _____

Address of Business _____

Telephone Number of Business _____

Vendor Number _____

Owner's Name (Please Print) _____

Owner's Street Address _____

Owner's City, State, Zip _____

Owner's Telephone Number _____

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INSTRUCTIONS FOR COIN OPERATED DEVICES

Pursuant to City of Lynn Ordinance, a license must be obtained before keeping any coin operated amusement devices on one's premises. A Coin-Operated License must be obtained before any vendor machines are placed on the property. Licenses expire May 31st annually.

Steps to complete for License:

1. Application is based on how many machines and Class type
2. $50.00 (four year expiration)
3. Class I $30.00 per machine
4. Class II $75.00 per machine
5. Class III $125.00 per machine
6. Notify Ward Councilor

Please Provide Current:

1. Property Tax form
2. Vendor information

For New Applicants OR Applicants with New Locations:

Contact Inspectional Services Department (Room 401) to determine if property is zoned for such business or if a Special Permit or Variance is needed.

CITY OF LYNN

In City Council May 14, 1985

Ordered that IN THE YEAR ONE THOUSAND NINE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-FIVE
AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE ORDINANCE REGULATING THE USE OF AMUSEMENT DEVICES WHETHER COIN OPERATED OR NOT, IN THE CITY OF LYNN, EXCLUDING COIN-OPERATED MUSIC MACHINES

Be it Ordained by the City Council of the City of Lynn and by the authority of the same, as follows, to wit:

SECTION 1. The Ordinance Amending the Ordinance Regulating the Use of Amusement Devices Whether Coin-Operated or Not, in the City of Lynn, Excluding Coin-Operated Music Machines, as heretofore amended, is hereby further amended to include under Section 1, the following:

N. It shall be illegal to have on the premises any multi-coined operated machines for the purpose of advancing the odds for the number of free games or prizes. The fine for violation of this will be $100.00 per day, after notification.

O. Any machine which is in violation of this ordinance may be confiscated from the premises by order of the License Committee of the City Council, by the Vice-Squad or by any Police Officer during the normal performance of his duties.

SECTION 2. All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

SECTION 3. This ordinance shall take effect thirty-one (31) days after its final approval as adopted and advertised.

Form E-1006

CITY OF LYNN

In City Council _____ 19____

Ordered that _____

D. A license for the premises to operate automatic amusement devices in the City of Lynn shall be required.

E. Applications shall be filed with the City Clerk to be presented to the Committee on Licenses of the City Council. The applicant shall be the owner or manager of the establishment requesting the license.

F. Licenses shall be issued by the License Committee of the City Council with a majority vote of the City Council.

G. There shall be no more than one (1) license not to exceed two (2) machines per premises except in compliance with Section 1H of this Ordinance.

H. Permits may be issued for more than two (2) but not to exceed four (4) automatic amusement devices, to places that have Certificates of Public Assembly issued by the Building Department of the City of Lynn.

I. Automatic Amusement Devices licensed under this ordinance shall be so installed on the premises described in the application as to be in open view at all times while in operation and shall at all times be available for inspection. All machines shall have the Owners name, address and telephone number attached in clear view.

J. Any applicant who has been denied permission shall not be allowed to re-apply for the same premises within the calendar year.

K. No person keeping or offering for operation or allowing to be kept or offered for operation any automatic amusement device shall permit the same to be used for the purpose of gambling.

L. No machine (s) shall be operated by persons Sixteen (16) years of age or younger while Lynn Schools are in session from the hours of 7:00 A.M. to 2:30 P.M.. No machine (s) shall be operated within a 500' foot radius of a school while school is in session from the hours of 7:00 A.M. to 2:30 P.M. with the exception of premises licensed to serve alcoholic beverages.

M. Any machine (s) which is in violation of this ordinance may be confiscated from the premises by order of the License Committee of the City Council or the City Clerk

CITY OF LYNN

In City Council March 9, 19 82

Ordered that IN THE YEAR ONE THOUSAND NINE HUNDRED EIGHTY-TWO

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE ORDINANCE REGULATING THE USE OF AMUSEMENT DEVICES WHETHER COIN-OPERATED OR NOT IN THE CITY OF LYNN, EXCLUDING COIN-OPERATED MUSIC MACHINES.

Be it Ordained by the City Council of the City of Lynn and by the authority of the same, as follows, to wit:-

SECTION 1. An ordinance establishing an ordinance regulating the use of amusement devices in the City of Lynn, excluding coin-operated music machines, is hereby further amended and said ordinance shall provide as follows:

A. The term "Automatic Amusement Device" shall have the following meaning: Any mechanism whereby upon the deposit therein of a coin or token any apparatus is releasedor set in motion or put in a position where it may be set in motion for the purpose of playing any game involving, in whole or in part, the skill of the player, including but not exclusively, such devices as are commonly known as pinball machines or electronic video machines including free play machines.

B. Licenses shall consist of the following classes:

CLASS I - Batting Machines
CLASS II - Billiard, Sippio, and Electronic Wall Games
CLASS III - Electronic Video Games and other amusement devices, not classified excluding Music Machines.

C. Fees:

CLASS I - $30.00 Per Machine
CLASS II - $50.00 Per Machine
CLASS III - $100.00 Per Machine up to Twenty (20) Machines
$50.00 Per Machine in excess of Twenty (20) Machines

The initial fee for an Arcade License shall be $500.00, A renewal fee shall be $250.00 in addition to fee per machine.

The initial fee for a Game Room under Section 3 shall be $500.00, a renewal fee shall be $250.00 in addition to fee per machine.

Licenses shall become renewable on the last day of May of each year. Renewals must be issued by the City Clerk's Office with submission to the City Council.

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CITY OF LYNN

In City Council _____ 19____

Ordered that _____

SECTION 2. For the purpose of clarification, an Arcade shall consist of any establishment in excess of four (4) automatic amusement devices which sole business is that of amusement devices. Public Hearing is required before the City Council prior to the granting of a license.

SECTION 3. Special consent may be granted after a Public Hearing before the City Council for a game room, activity room or function room or hall that shall have an associated use of a business such as a Bowling Alley, Restaurant, Motel or Hotel, private or public club. These premises shall have in excess of four (4) but not to exceed ten (10) automatic amusement devices. Licenses granted under this Section must be in compliance with Section 1 H of this Ordinance.

SECTION 4. Every vendor or Owner of Automatic Amusement Devices licensed in the City of Lynn shall on the last day of May each year file with the City Clerk a statement listing the principals of the Corporation or Business. The fee for each vendor for filing shall be $25.00 annually.

* SECTION 5. Any vendor violating any provision of this ordinance shall be subject to an automatic thirty (30) day suspension of his licenses for all machines licensed in the City of Lynn. Said suspension shall result in machines being removed from all premises. All licensees shall be prohibited from conditioning the playing of Automatic Amusement Devices.

SECTION 6. Licenses may be revoked for cause by the Issuing Authority. Any license revoked shall be granted a hearing before the Committee on Licenses upon written request. A hearing before the Committee on Licenses shall be required before reinstatement of any license.

* SECTION 7. Any violation of this ordinance shall be subject to a fine of Two Hundred Dollars ($200.00) per offense, after having been notified of the offense by the Issuing Authority, the City Clerk or the Vice Squad of the Police Department.

SECTION 8. The invalidity of any section or provision of this ordinance shall not invalidate any other section or provision thereof.

SECTION 9. All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

SECTION 10. This ordinance shall take effect thirty-one (31) days after its final approval as adopted and advertised.

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CITY OF LYNN

In City Council September 25, 19 79

Ordered that

C. This license shall not include Sundays.

D. Any applicant who has been denied permission shall not be allowed to reapply for the same premises within the calendar year.

E. It shall be illegal to have on the premises any multi-coined operated machines for the purposes of advancing the odds for the number of free games or prizes. The fine for violation of this will be $100.00 per day.

F. Any machine which is in violation of this ordinance may be confiscated from the premises by order of the License Committee of the City Council, by the Vice-Squad or by any Police Officer during the normal performance of his duties.

SECTION 3. Any violation of this ordinance shall be subject to a fine of Fifty Dollars ($50.00 per day for each offense) after having been notified of the offense by the Issuing Authority, the City Clerk and or any Police Officer in the normal performance of his duties.

SECTION 4. For the purpose of clarification, an Arcade shall consist of any establishment in excess of four (4) amusement devices whether coin-operated or not. The fee shall be One Hundred Dollars ($100.00) per year. Permits shall be renewable on the last day of May of each year. Billiards, sippio etc. are considered amusement devices.

SECTION 5. Special consent may be granted after a public hearing for a game room, activity room or function room or hall that shall have an associated use of a business such as: Bowling Alley, Restaurant, Motel or Hotel, private or public clubs. For clarification these premises will have in excess of four (4) and not to exceed Ten (10) amusement devices, whether coin-operated or not. These businesses must have certificates of public assembly issued by the Building Department of the City of Lynn. The license fee shall be One Hundred Dollars ($100.00) per year. Permits shall become renewable on the last day of May each year.

CITY OF LYNN

In City Council September 25, 19 79

Ordered that IN THE YEAR ONE THOUSAND NINE HUNDRED SEVENTY-NINE AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE ORDINANCE REGULATING THE USE OF AMUSEMENT DEVICES WHETHER COIN-OPERATED OR NOT IN THE CITY OF LYNN, EXCLUDING COIN-OPERATED MUSIC MACHINES.

Be it Ordained by the City Council of the City of Lynn and by the authority of the same, as follows, to wit:-

SECTION 1. An ordinance establishing an ordinance regulating the use of amusement devices whether coin-operated or not in the City of Lynn, excluding coin-operated music machines, is hereby further amended and said ordinance shall provide as follows:

A. A License for the premises to operate amusement devices whether coin-operated or not in the City of Lynn shall be required.

B. Applications shall be filed with the License Committee of the City Council.

C. Licenses shall be issued by the License Committee of the City Council with full approval of the Council.

D. The License Committee shall have the authority to grant no more than one (1) license to each applicant, not to exceed two (2) machines per premises.

E. The license fee shall be Twenty Dollars ($20.00) per year. Permits shall become renewable on the last day of May of each year.

SECTION 2. Licenses may be revoked for cause by the Issuing Authority Any license revoked must have a hearing by the City Council Committee on License before reinstatement.

A. Renewals may be granted by the City Clerk's Office without coming before the City Council.

B. Permits may be issued for more than two (2) but not to exceed four (4) amusement devices whether coin-operated or not, to places that have certificates of public assembly issued by the Building Department of the City of Lynn at an additional cost of Twenty Dollars ($20.00).

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CITY OF LYNN

In City Council February 22, 1977 /19/

/Ordered that/

C. This license shall not include Sundays.

D. Any applicant who has been denied permission shall not be allowed to reapply for the same premises within the calendar year.

SECTION 3. Any violation of this ordinance shall be subject to a fine of Fifty Dollars ($50.00) for each day for each offense, after having been notified of offense by the Issuing Authority.

SECTION 4. For purpose of clarification, an Arcade shall consist of any establishment in excess of four (4) amusement devices or coin-operated amusement devices.

SECTION 5. All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

SECTION 6. This ordinance shall take effect upon its adoption and approval, after advertising as adopted.

Form K-1005

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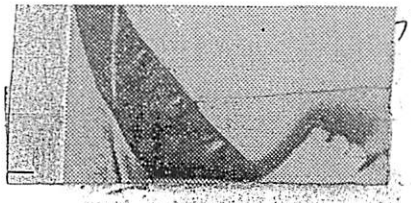

In City Council February 22, 1977 *19*

Ordered that IN THE YEAR ONE THOUSAND NINE HUNDRED SEVENTY-SEVEN
AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING AN ORDINANCE REGULATING THE USE OF COIN-OPERATED AMUSEMENT DEVICES IN THE CITY OF LYNN, EXCLUDING COIN-OPERATED MUSIC MACHINES

Be it Ordained by the City Council of the City of Lynn and by the authority of the same, as follows, to wit:-

SECTION 1. An ordinance establishing an ordinance regulating the use of coin-operated amusement devices in the City of Lynn, excluding coin-operated music machines, is hereby amended and said ordinance shall provide as follows:

A. A license for the premises to operate coin-operated amusement devices in the City of Lynn shall be required.

B. Applications shall be filed with the License Committee of the City Council.

C. Licenses shall be issued by the License Committee of the City Council with full approval of the Council.

D. The License Committee shall have the authority to grant no more than one (1) license to each applicant, not to exceed two (2) machines per premises, if there is no objection from the neighboring residents. Application will be advertised at the expense of the applicant at least once in the local paper seven (7) days prior to the granting of the license. A fee of five dollars ($5.00) for advertising must be paid on application.

E. The license fee shall be Five Dollars ($5.00) per year for each device. Permits shall become renewable on the last day of May of each year.

SECTION 2. Licenses may be revoked for cause by the Issuing Authority. Any license revoked must have a hearing by the City Council Committee on Licenses before reinstatement.

A. Renewals may be granted by the City Clerk's office without coming before the City Council.

B. Permits may be issued for more than two (2) but not to exceed four (4) coin-operated machines to places that have certificates of public assembly issued by the Building Department of the City of Lynn for thirty (30) or more persons.

CITY OF LYNN

In City Council July 13, 1976

Ordered that

SECTION 3. Any violation of this ordinance shall be subject to a fine of $50.00 for each day for each offense, after having been notified of offense by the Issuing Authority.

SECTION 4. All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

SECTION 5. This ordinance shall take effect upon its adoption and approval, after advertising as adopted.

CITY OF LYNN

In City Council July 13, 1976

Ordered that/ IN THE YEAR ONE THOUSAND NINE HUNDRED SEVENTY-SIX AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING AN ORDINANCE REGULATING THE USE OF COIN-OPERATED AMUSEMENT DEVICES IN THE CITY OF LYNN, EXCLUDING COIN-OPERATED MUSIC MACHINES.

Be it Ordained by the City Council of the City of Lynn and by the authority of the same, as follows, to wit:-

SECTION 1. An ordinance establishing an ordinance regulating the use of coin-operated amusement devices in the City of Lynn, excluding coin-operated music machines, is hereby established and said ordinance shall provide as follows:

A. A license for the premises to operate coin-operated amusement devices in the City of Lynn shall be required.

B. Applications shall be filed with the License Committee of the City Council.

C. Licenses shall be issued by the License Committee of the City Council with full approval of the Council.

D. The License Committee shall have the authority to grant no more than one license to each applicant, if there is no objection from the neighboring residents.

E. The fee shall be $5.00 per year for each device. Permits shall become renewable on the last day of May of each year.

SECTION 2. Licenses may be revoked for cause by the Issuing Authority. Any license revoked must have a hearing by the City Council Committee on Licenses before reinstatement.

CITY OF LYNN

In City Council April 22, 1975 /19/

Ordered that IN THE YEAR ONE THOUSAND NINE HUNDRED SEVENTY-FIVE AN ORDINANCE REGULATING THE USE OF COIN-OPERATED AMUSEMENT DEVICES IN THE CITY OF LYNN EXCLUDING COIN-OPERATED MUSIC MACHINE.

Be it Ordained by the City Council of the City of Lynn and by the authority of the same as follows, to wit:-

SECTION 1. It shall require a license for the premises to operate coin-operated amusement devices in the City of Lynn. The fee shall be $5.00 per year for each license. Permits may be issued only to places that have certificates of Public Assembly issued by the Building Department for 30 persons or more. These permits shall become renewable on the last day of May of each year. Licenses will be issued by the City Clerk.

SECTION 2. Licenses may be revoked for cause by the Issuing Authority. Any license revoked must have a hearing by the City Council Committee on Licenses before reinstatement.

SECTION 3. Any violation of this ordinance will carry a fine of $50.00 for each day for each offense after having been notified of offense by the Issuing Authority.

SECTION 4. All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

SECTION 5. This ordinance shall take effect upon its adoption and approval, after advertising as adopted.