



**City of Annapolis**  
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## **Fortune Telling License Application**

### **Instructions**

A Fortune Telling License is required for persons who practice or carry on the business or art of spiritualism, mind reading, fortune telling, clairvoyance, astrology, horoscope preparation and reading, palmistry, phrenology, crystal gazing, hypnotism (except as administered by a licensed physician or psychologist in connection with the practice of medicine or psychology), psychometry or any similar business or art and to ensure compliance with all applicable City Code regulations.

### **Authority**

Annapolis City Code and Charter, Chapter 7.24

### **Steps in the application process**

1. The applicant obtains an application either on the website or at the City Clerk's Office above.
2. The applicant submits an original and one copy of the application. Incomplete applications will be returned to the applicant.
3. The \$30 application fee must be submitted with the application.
4. The applicant provides a CURRENT photograph, two inches by two inches in size, showing the head and shoulders in a clear and distinguishing manner.
5. The applicant provides a price list of items and services to be sold.
6. The City Clerk's Office reviews the application for completeness and distributes the information to City departments for evaluation.
7. The Police Department reviews the application certifying that in the chief's opinion the applicant is of good moral character and that the granting of the license will not affect the public health and safety.
8. The license issued MUST be carried at all times and displayed in a conspicuous place.

### **Processing time**

Processing of your application will take approximately two weeks. Please contact us after that time to determine the status of your application.

### **Enforcement and Appeals**

#### **§7.24.050**

A violation of or failure to comply with this chapter is a misdemeanor, punishable upon conviction by a fine, or imprisonment, or by both as established by resolution of the City Council. (Ord. O-5-04 § 1 (part), 2004: prior code § 14-49.1 (part))



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City Code Section 7.24

*Submit the original & one copy of this form.*

Applicant \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address \_\_\_\_\_  
 City \_\_\_\_\_ ST \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
 Phone(s), day \_\_\_\_\_  
 Driver's License # \_\_\_\_\_ ST \_\_\_\_\_

Age	Date of birth	Height	Weight	Hair color	Eye color

Other distinguishing characteristics \_\_\_\_\_

Employer \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address \_\_\_\_\_  
 City \_\_\_\_\_ ST \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

List the locations/year where you have been licensed to practice the same business.

\_\_\_\_\_

If you have ever been convicted of any crime, misdemeanor or violation of any municipal ordinance, state nature of offense, date, place of conviction and penalty.

\_\_\_\_\_

List your residences for the past five years.

1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_
3. \_\_\_\_\_
4. \_\_\_\_\_
5. \_\_\_\_\_

I understand that my license and a clear price list of items and services to be sold, must be prominently displayed on the business premises.

I understand that revisions to the price list of items and services to be sold, must be filed with the City Clerk prior to such changes taking effect.

I HEREBY AUTHORIZE the City of Annapolis and the Annapolis Police Department, its employees, agents and officers to release unto the City Clerk and personnel employed in that office, any and all criminal background records that may exist or come into the possession of the City of Annapolis or the Annapolis Police Department for purposes of processing this permit application.

I FURTHER CERTIFY UNDER THE PENALTIES OF PERJURY THAT the information stated above is true and correct and made for the purpose of obtaining a fortune telling license under the provisions of Chapter 7.24 of the Code of the City of Annapolis.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_