

1st STOP CHECKLIST: BEAUTY PAGEANT CONTEST

REQUIREMENTS & REGULATIONS

- [] If you will provide catering services, you must have a **catering food service operation license**. Contact **your local health department** for license and inspection information.
- [] If you will serve **alcoholic beverages**, you must have the appropriate permit. Contact the **Ohio Department of Liquor Control** at **(614) 644-2360** for more information. Information is also on-line at <http://www.com.ohio.gov/liqr/>. ****Remember to check local government agencies****
- [] If you will feature recorded or live **music**, you must have permission from the owner of the copyrighted material. You can do this by contacting **ASCAP** or **BMI**. For more information, contact **ASCAP** at (212) 621-6000 (www.ascap.com) or **BMI** at (212) 586-2000 at (www.bmi.com). <http://www.com.ohio.gov/liqr/>. ****Remember to check local government agencies****
- [] If you will make retail sales, a **VENDOR'S LICENSE** is needed. Contact **YOUR COUNTY AUDITOR**. <http://www.com.ohio.gov/liqr/>. ****Remember to check local government agencies****
- [] If you have questions about sales tax, contact the **OHIO DEPARTMENT OF TAXATION** at **(888) 405-4039** for Business Tax Assistance; **888-405-4089** for Tax Registration; or **(800) 282-1782** for the Forms Request Line. Information is also on-line at <http://www.tax.ohio.gov>. ****Remember to check local government agencies****

For more help, contact your local Small Business Development Center (SBDC).

www.ohiosbdc.ohio.gov

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THIS CHECKLIST IS ABOUT STATE REQUIREMENTS.