

TOWN OF CHELMSFORD  
GENERAL PROVISIONS, CHAPTER 201  
BOARD OF HEALTH  
ARTICLE IX  
FOOD SERVICE AND RETAIL FOOD ESTABLISHMENT  
(Added effective 8-14-89; revised 11-1-99; Amended 8-2-21, March 7, 2022)

**§201.39 Authority and Purpose**

These regulations adopted pursuant to MGL c. 111, s. 31 for the purpose of protecting the public health and as supplemental regulations to 105 CMR 590.000 and 595.000, The State Sanitary Code.

**§ 201-40. Modification of Existing Regulations**

Requirements for all Food Establishments, Food Service, Retail Food Establishment, and Cottage Kitchens.

- A. All such establishments must install a separate subsurface sewage facility including an exterior grease trap. This excludes Cottage Kitchens not located in Zone 2 and who operate less than 25 hours a week on average. Cottage Kitchens are only allowed to cook Non-TCS (Time Temperature Control for Safety) Foods.
- B. All kitchen preparation and storage areas must be totally separated from all normal household use.
- C. Utensil. All self-serve utensils must be individually wrapped, either separately or in sets.

**§ 201-41. Variance**

The owner of the property must file a request for a hearing in writing along with all supporting data.

This regulation has been amended, voted on, and unanimously approved at a regularly scheduled Board of Health meeting on March 7, 2022, and will go into effect on March 7, 2022. The changes approved at the Board of Health's March 7, 2022, meeting consisted of an administrative correction.