

Program Background

Short Term Rentals—(VRBO, AirBnB, etc)

In 2021, Roseville City Council adopted an Ordinance establishing licensing for short term rentals. This ordinance was amended in 2024.

Short term rentals are defined as:

- *A non-owner occupied dwelling unit rented for a period of thirty (30) consecutive days or less.*
- *Rentals may not be made more often than one every seven (7) days between October 1st and May 1st and rentals may not be made more often than one every ten (10) days between May 1st and October 1st.*
- *The use of recreational vehicles, campers or other similar vehicles as rentals is prohibited.*
- *Short-term rental periods of up to thirty (30) consecutive days require a license under this Chapter.*

No license will be issued to any property that is within 500 feet of another property holding a license under this Chapter. Properties holding a license under this Chapter on January 1, 2024 are not subject to this restriction.



Thank You
for making Roseville
a desirable place to
live, work, and play!

**APPLY FOR YOUR SHORT TERM
RENTAL LICENSE AT:**
www.cityofroseville.com/epermits

Need More Information?

Call the Rental Registration Line
651-792-7013

Go Online
www.cityofroseville.com/rentalregistration

Visit us
Roseville City Hall
Community Development
2660 Civic Center Drive, Roseville, MN 55113



Short Term Rental License Program **(VRBO, AirBnB, etc.)**

Chapter 909 of Roseville City Code requires that non-owner occupied single family homes, townhomes, condominiums, duplexes, and twinhomes rented for stays of 30 days or less be licensed annually by the City.



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SHORT TERM RENTAL LICENSE PROGRAM

What type of property must be licensed?

Short Term Rental (examples: VRBO, AirBnB) - Properties must be licensed under the Short Term Rental License Program, if not owner occupied during rental. Property types include:

- Single-family Dwellings
- Duplexes
- Triplexes
- Fourplexes
- Townhome units
- Twinhomes
- Condo units

What type of property is NOT required to be licensed?

The following properties are exempt from licensing:

- Individual sleeping rooms within an owner occupied residence.
- Rentals where the owner is present for the duration of the rental.
- Rentals that exist solely due to “rent-back” provision of property sales.
- Month to month rental leases that originated from a lease period in excess of 30 consecutive days.
- Rental Buildings with more than 4 units**
- Lodging establishments licensed under City Code Chapter 317

*****Rentals with more than 4 units must be licensed by the City of Roseville Fire Department. Call 651-792-7340***

How do I apply for a Short Term Rental License (VRBO, AirBnB, etc)?

- See information relating to Short Term Rental License on the City Website.
- Begin license application process online at: www.cityofroseville.com/epermits
- Contact City Staff at 651-792-7013 with questions

Is a Short Term Rental License required before I rent my property?

Yes. Applicants are required to apply for their license online and pay the annual license fee.

What is the approval process for a Short Term Rental License?

Approval of the license application by City Council is required before rentals are allowed.

How many renters can I have?

City ordinance allows a maximum of 1 FAMILY or 4 UNRELATED ADULTS to occupy a single-family rental unit.

What happens if I sell my rental property?

Licenses are non-transferable. Once the property is sold, the new owners must apply for a new license within 30 days of the sale.

How often do I license my property?

Annually—the license expires one year (365 days) from date of issuance.

Is there a penalty for late Licensing?

- Yes. Any license not renewed after expiration, with continued short term renting, of the property is considered in violation of the ordinance and subject to fines and additional fees.
- Failure to obtain license or renew license may result in further action and fines.
- Property owners who are licensing a property for the first time must be issued a license before renting the property.

How do I review the requirements of the Short Term Rental License?

Please review City Ordinance, City Code Chapter 909.

Does the City inspect my rental property?

No, an interior inspection is not required. The City may do a walk-by inspection, exterior inspection as part of its Neighborhood Enhancement Program.

I have a rental building that has more than 4 units. What should I do?

Rental buildings with more than 4 units must be *licensed* by the City of Roseville. Please call the City of Roseville Fire Department at 651-792-7340 for more about rental licensing.

What is the License fee?

The annual license fee is \$559.86* per rental unit. *Includes Processing fee.

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