
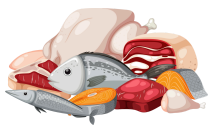






# Staple Food Ordinance

Minneapolis Code of Ordinances Title 10.,Chapter 203: Grocery Stores

Every grocery store in Minneapolis with a license must offer certain food items for customers to buy and cook.

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<p><b>Dairy or dairy alternatives</b></p> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Minimum amount: 8 gallons or pounds</li> <li>• Varieties: 3 types (at least 2 must be milk or milk alternatives)</li> <li>• Milk: 1 quart or larger; plain, unsweetened milk (skim, 1%, 2%,) or plain milk alternatives</li> <li>• Kefir: 1 quart or larger; any flavor</li> <li>• Cheese: 8 oz. or larger; no processed cheese</li> <li>• Yogurt: 22 oz. or larger (or multi-packs totalling 22 oz.); any flavor</li> </ul>
<p><b>Animal or vegetable proteins</b></p> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Varieties: Must offer 4 different kinds of meat, poultry, canned fish, or vegetable proteins like nut butter, tofu, or fresh eggs</li> <li>• Eggs: Any size/type/container</li> <li>• Nut butter: Minimum 18 oz. containers with no added ingredients</li> </ul>
<p><b>Fruits and vegetables</b></p> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Minimum amount: 30 lbs. or 50 items</li> <li>• Varieties: 7 kinds with 4 being fresh and up to 3 frozen</li> <li>• Restrictions: No more than 50% of any single variety and no added ingredients</li> </ul>
<p><b>100% Juice</b></p> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Minimum amount: 6 containers</li> <li>• Types: Frozen or non-frozen concentrate (11.5-12 oz.) or juice (59 oz. or larger)</li> <li>• Citrus requirements: At least 2 containers must be 100% citrus (orange, grapefruit, or both)</li> </ul>
<p><b>Whole grains</b></p> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Total pounds: Must have at least 8 pounds</li> <li>• Varieties: 6 types</li> <li>• Packaging: Any size container (except no single servings)</li> <li>• Ingredient requirement: Whole grain must be the first ingredient</li> </ul>
<p><b>Legumes (beans, peas and lentils)</b></p> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Minimum amount: 256 oz. (about 20, 13 oz. cans)</li> <li>• Varieties: 4 types</li> <li>• Packaging: No more than 32 oz. with no added ingredients allowed</li> </ul>

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