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To whom this may concern:

As a small business owner in Washington State, I feel so lucky to joint the food truck business community. However, I feel there are few regulations and rules were not unnecessary.

1. Section 607 indicates professional hood cleaning required **every 6-months with professional tags posted by approved service provider.**) We do not have a pool of professionally "approved" service providers, many mobile food vendors are seasonal and only vend for 5-months or less or just for the "event" season, meeting the every 6-month requirement would cause a hardship unnecessarily on these seasonal vendors.

2. Re/319.5 Fuel Supply Piping - Many vendors will be temporarily shut down to go back through the L & I approval process which normally take anywhere from 4-10 month in reality to meet this requirement and put several out of business. These vendors with trucks or trailers have already met the L & I build standards.

3. Our state lacks service providers that are considered an "approved inspection agency" to requalify LP/gas cylinders and these are already looked at by fire and it is not necessary to add this extra service cost on for vendors.

4. Vendors having to pay for a fire permit and inspection in every city would cause a financial hardship and reduce their mobility.

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