

COTTAGE BAKERY FROM HOME

Can I sell from my kitchen in Esmeralda County, Nevada?

Home kitchen sales. Not a shop or rented commercial kitchen.

STATE FOOD PERMIT

Yes

HOME OCCUPATION

—

BUSINESS LICENSE

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SALES CAP

\$35,000 / year

NEVADA RULES. OPEN THESE FIRST.

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This is what it takes to sell from a home kitchen in Esmeralda County. Confirm each step with Planning, Health, and the license office before you sell.

What you need

Esmeralda County, Nevada. File every Yes. Confirm every Check or Ask. Stay under the sales cap.

STATE FOOD PERMIT

Yes

ANNUAL SALES CAP

\$35,000 / year

HOME OCCUPATION / ZONING

—

LOCAL HEALTH

—

BUSINESS LICENSE

—

PICKUP AT THE HOUSE

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HOME KITCHEN ONLY

If you want a shop or a rented commercial kitchen, these rows do not apply.

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Not legal advice. Rules change. Confirm with the office before you file.

Where to file

State

Nevada registration: Yes. Routine kitchen inspection: No. Under the pre-2025 law (NRS 446.866), sales must be in-person transactions only — no internet or phone sales. Products may not be sold to wholesalers, brokers, distributors, or retail establishments for resale. AB352 (2025) amends this to allow phone and internet transactions with delivery via mail or food delivery service, but product relinquishment must still occur in Nevada. Local rules vary significantly: Clark County (Las Vegas), Washoe County, Carson City, and Douglas County have separate health authority requirements.

Nevada permits PDF: crosodo.com/reports/pdf/permits/nevada.pdf

State law page: crosodo.com/states/nevada

Nevada Division of Public and Behavioral Health: https://dpbh.nv.gov/Reg/CottageFood/Cottage_Food_Operations/

Statute: [NRS §446.866 \(repealed 2025; superseded by AB352/chapter 420 & 512, Statutes of Nevada 2025\)](#)

Zoning / home occupation

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Health

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Business license

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Pickup / delivery

Ask Planning before you advertise pickup at the house.

If you rent a commissary kitchen

Local health authorities permit food establishments. Nevada cottage food is a home path. A commissary is a food establishment permitted by the local health authority (for example SNHD in Clark County).

Official source: [Nevada environmental health](#)

Local health office we have on file: <https://www.esmeraldacounty.gov>

This file is the home-kitchen path. A rented kitchen uses a different permit. Ask the kitchen manager which license they expect, then call the local health office.

SOURCES

<https://www.esmeraldacounty.gov>

Esmeralda County and nearby places

Regulation	Esmeralda County	Mineral County	Nye County
HOME KITCHEN ALLOWED	—	—	Yes
SEPARATE DEDICATED KITCHEN	—	—	No
PETS ALLOWED	—	—	Not specified in state law.
INSPECTION REQUIRED	—	—	No
ON-SITE CUSTOMER PICKUP	—	—	Yes
ON-SITE SIGNAGE	—	—	Conditional
DELIVERY / PICKUP	—	—	Under AB352 (2025): in-person and mail/delivery sales allowed. Direct-to-consumer sales required; no wholesale to distributors, retailers, ...
HOME OCCUPATION PERMIT	—	—	Conditional
LOCAL BUSINESS LICENSE	—	—	Varies
RESTRICTIONS	—	—	Must be primary private home kitchen. Under new AB352 (2025): license from State Department of Agriculture required, annual sales cap raise...
FOOD STORAGE	—	—	Products must be non-potentially hazardous or acidified; no TCS foods without additional licensing.
POPULATION	980	4,568	51,698

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These Crosodo pages cover the same home cottage-food path:

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