

## **STARTING A NEW BUSINESS**

Welcome to Daytona Beach!

We are eager to help the small business owner, entrepreneur or corporate executive succeed in opening a business in our city and obtain the necessary local Business Tax Receipt to operate within the City of Daytona Beach.

## **Getting Started**

There are a few questions to consider before beginning a Business Tax Receipt (BTR) Application.

- . Is your business located within the City of Daytona Beach?
  - To confirm, visit the Volusia County Property Appraiser website.
- · Is your business registered with SunBiz?
  - o If not, please visit SunBiz's website to register.
- · Have you obtained an Employer Identification Number (EIN) also known as a Federal Tax Identification Number?
  - . If not, information on applying for an EIN can be found at the IRS' website.
- · Is a state license required to operate your business?
  - Examples of businesses requiring a state license include but are not limited to: professional services, restaurants, auto dealers, vehicle repair and contractors. More information concerning requirements and applying for a state license can be found at the Florida Department of Business & Professional Regulation's website.

## **Business Tax Receipt Application Checklist**

This checklist contains information to be submitted when obtaining a Business Tax Receipt in the City of Daytona Beach.

- Completed Business Tax Receipt Application
- · Location Lease Agreement
- · Proof of SunBiz registration
- o Proof of required State License(s), if applicable
- · Proof of Zoning Approval(s), if applicable
- · Proof of Sign Permit(s), if applicable
- Fee payment method
- · Methods accepted: Cash, Check, VISA, MasterCard, American Express and Discover

Depending on your business type, an inspection of the property may be necessary. If required, an inspection fee of \$52 will be required at the time your application is submitted.

## **Fees**

Fees are based on the individual services provided by the business. If your business offers multiple services additional fees may apply.