In McMinnville, Oregon, on Third Street, there is a diner called "Morning Thunder". They share and inside courtyard with several other businesses, of which this courtyard has fans in the roof to allow for ventilation. He bought a tent, like other restaurants, put it outside on the street and it takes up three parking spaces. These types tents are enclosed with little air flow through them. Non of the tents I have seen have any mechanical means of air movement.

Looking at it with common sense, seeing that the tents do not have much air flow and the courtyard has controlled air flow with it's exhaust being out the top of a two store building would be a much safer, cost effective, customer friendly, no parking restrictions or reduced parking results in this method. Why cannot they operate within the building??