



Palm Harbor Fire Rescue

FIRE PREVENTION DIVISION

Ensuring Safety through Education

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Seasonal Fireworks Retailer Requirements

Palm Harbor Fire Rescue shall require temporary tents for fireworks retail sales be compliant with the Florida Fire Prevention Code as adopted by Florida Administrative Code (FAC) 69A-3.012 and the State of Florida.

- Pinellas County Building Permit for Temporary Structure Application Completed and Submitted (Tent and Size).
- Copy of Flame Certificate Denoting NFPA 701 Compliance, Flame Retardant Fabric and Size of Tent.
- Life Safety Plan for the Tent (Including 2 Minimum Exits 44 inches each, 2 10lb ABC Fire Extinguishers, 1 Class A Fire Extinguisher, Exit Lighting, Emergency Lighting, No Smoking Signage).
- Detailed Site Plan to include tent location.
- Tent Plan O Gram or Product Layout
- Letter of Information: Who is selling (Corporation, LLC, Individual, etc.), Contact Telephone Numbers, What is being sold, Retail location of items being sold.
- Letter of Permission to sell fireworks from the Owner of the Property (Shall be Notarized)
- The Applicant shall provide a Sparkler products inventory list in compliance with the Florida Department of Financial Services Division of State Fire Marshal Approved Sparklers February 1, 2023, to January 31, 2024.
- Applicant shall have a current Florida Department of Financial Services Division of State Fire Marshal Certificate of Registration as a Seasonal Retailer.
- Applicant shall have a current Florida Department of Financial Services Division of State Fire Marshal Certificate of Registration Distributor of Sparklers
- Applicant shall provide Proof of Commercial General Liability Insurance: No less than 1,000,000 per occurrence.
- Tent(s) shall not be erected less than 20 feet from a building or 10 feet from another tent.
- Generator, Fuel Containers and Storage shall be a minimum of 20 feet from any tent.



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- Vehicles shall not be parked within 10 feet of the tent.
- There shall be no obstructions to the required access areas.
- Ground vegetation shall be kept cut low and maintained for the entire area covered by the tent and 30 feet around the tent during usage.
- Power cords shall be installed in a safe manner and comply with applicable codes.
- Certificate of Flammability must be permanently affixed to all tent panels.
- Currently Inspected and Tagged 2A10BC Fire Extinguishers mounted on fire extinguisher brackets near the exits. One Class A 2.5 Gallon Water fire extinguisher is required. All sales personnel shall be trained in the proper use of fire extinguishers.
- Exit and Emergency lighting shall be required to have battery back-up systems.
- Approved No Smoking Signs (Minimum 2" Letters) shall be placed at each entrance and inside the tent.
- A sign reading "No Fireworks Discharged Within 300 Feet" (4-inch contrasting letters) shall be displayed on the exterior of each side of the tent.
- A minimum aisle width of 48 inches and no dead-end aisle shall be maintained.
- If any of these conditions are not met, the permit will be suspended, revoked, or other action taken to mitigate the risk to Life/Safety.
- An Inspection of the tent installation and product set-up prior to operation. Building Inspections are to be requested through Pinellas County Building & Development Review Services. A Fire Final Inspection shall be requested at 727-683-1643 to schedule the date and time.

If you have any questions, please contact me.

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