



Cascade County Fireworks Permit Application

Cascade County Public Works Department
Planning Division
121 4th St No, STE 2H/I, Great Falls MT 59401
Phone: 406-454-6905 Fax: 406-454-6919

\$50.00 Permit Fee
Payment: Check (#) _____
Cash _____

Date: _____

Name of Applicant: _____

Mailing Address: _____ City: _____

State: _____ Zip: _____ Phone: _____ Cell: _____

Property Address For Permit: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Parcel#: _____ Geo Code: _____ - _____ - _____ - _____

For Office Use Only	
Permit No.	_____
Date Received:	_____

Note: If the applicant is not the property owner, proof must be provided showing the property owner has given permission to the applicant to sell fireworks on their property. (ex. signed lease agreement or notarized statement from property owner)

Applicant's Interest: (Check One) Sole Proprietor/Owner Agent of Corporation or Independent Contractor

Other (please describe): _____

Validation Notice: Permit is valid for a period of June 1st – July 31st and December 29th – December 31st of selling year.

Applicability: ALL PERSONS OR LEGAL ENTITIES WHO ENGAGE IN THE SALE OF FIREWORKS IN CASCADE COUNTY MUST OBTAIN A FIREWORKS PERMIT AS FOLLOWS: FOR SALE PERIOD OF JUNE 24 – JULY 5: BY JUNE 9; FOR SALE PERIOD OF DECEMBER 29 – 31: BY DECEMBER 15

Proof of Compliance: All persons or legal entities engaged in the sale of fireworks in Cascade County must prominently display their permit on or at the premises where fireworks are sold. All applicants for permits must provide a certificate of insurance. Bodily injury and property damage liability coverage shall be provided, with limits not less than \$750,000 per person and \$1,500,000 per occurrence.

NO SMOKING POLICY: ALL PERSONS ENGAGED IN THE SALE OF FIREWORKS ARE PROHIBITED FROM SMOKING WITHIN OR CLOSER THAN 50 FEET FROM ANY FIREWORKS STAND.

Certification and Acknowledgement:

The above-named applicant acknowledges reading and understanding the permit rules and restrictions for the sale of fireworks within Cascade County, Montana. Applicant represents that he will abide by the same for the location, construction and/or use of the above-described fireworks stand.

Applicant further understands that a condition of the granting of this permit is the inspection and approval of the above-described fireworks stand by an authorized agent of Cascade County, according to the rules and regulations as stated on the back of this application.

Signature of Applicant: _____

Signature of Property Owner: _____

**Submit Site Plan
With Application**

Compliance Criteria On Back



Cascade County Fireworks Permit Compliance Criteria Checklist (To Be Completed By Inspector)



- PROOF OF INSURANCE:** Certificate of insurance with coverage limits not less than \$750,000 per person and \$1,500,000 per occurrence for both bodily injury and property damage
- SAFETY EXITS:** One unobstructed exit for stands thirty (30) feet or less; two unobstructed exits for stands longer than thirty (30) feet
- FIRE EXTINGUISHER:** One (1) two-gallon, pressurized water extinguisher (or equivalent) or charged garden hose inside each stand less than thirty (30) feet; two (2) two-gallon, pressurized water extinguishers (or equivalent) or charged garden hoses inside each stand greater than thirty (30) feet in length
- EMPLOYEE AND AGENT RESTRICTIONS:** No person under the age of eighteen years of age may be engaged in the sale of fireworks.
- "NO SMOKING" SIGN:** A "No Smoking" sign must be prominently displayed at each premises, containing letters, each at least four (4) inches in height and one-half inch in width

LOCATION RESTRICTION: The premises used for the sale of fireworks meets the following criteria:

- Located more than 300 feet from any church or hospital
- Located more than 150 feet from any flammable liquid dispensing device or installation
- Located more than 150 feet from any residential dwelling unit
- Located more than 30 feet from any public roadway
- Located more than 50 feet from any non-residential structure

NOTE: Permittee may obtain a waiver for the 30-foot setback and the 50-foot location restriction regarding inhabitable structures **WHEN BOTH CANNOT BE MET**, by application to the Cascade County Commissioners and with the prior approval of the County Rural Fire Coordinator and the County Sheriff, or their designees. Appeal may be taken to the County Commission for an adverse decision

- COMBUSTIBLE MATERIALS:** All weeds, dry grass and combustible materials have been and shall remain cleared within 25 feet of any premises used for the sale of fireworks
- WIRING:** Electrical wiring appears to be in safe condition; (if not, refer to state electrical inspector)
- DISPLAY OF FIREWORKS:** Fireworks are displayed out of reach of members of the general public
- PROOF OF PERMISSION:** From Landowner if applicant is not the owner of the property

PERMIT APPROVAL

I certify, as a designated agent of Cascade County for the purpose of performing fireworks stand inspections and ensuring compliance with the foregoing rules and regulations, that the applicant named on the reverse side of this application has met the requirements for a fireworks permit in Cascade County.

Dated this _____ day _____ of 20____

Inspector Signature: _____