



NIXA FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT

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To Whom It May Concern,

Each year with the celebration of our nations' independence, fireworks are a major part of the community's enjoyment. With this in mind, safety of these fireworks prior, during, and after the independence celebration is paramount. The Nixa Fire Protection District has taken a proactive approach in securing the safety of our community. Inspections will be conducted by a fire district representative before, during and after operation of the firework stand.

Along with safety inspections we are here to help you with your questions or any concerns. We appreciate your diligence and punctuality in this manner

Respectfully,

Jon Trent
Fire Chief
Nixa Fire Protection District



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FIREWORKS TENT/STAND CHECK LIST

Company Name: _____

COMPLETE ITEMS:

- Nixa Fire District FIREWORKS STAND APPLICATION
- Nixa City Ordinance Chapter 11, Article II, Section 11-28-2 (Please Post at Register in Each Tent)
- Division of Fire Safety-Missouri Fire Marshal Permit Information
www.dfs.dps.mo.gov/dfsfrwrk.htm
- Department of Public Safety Fireworks Permit Application
www.dfs.dps.mo.gov/dfsfrwrk.htm
- Department of Public Safety Missouri Fire Marshal Fireworks Retail Waiver
www.dfs.dps.mo.gov/dfsfrwrk.htm
- SOS Code of State Regulations Division 40 Chapter 3-Fireworks
<https://www.sos.mo.gov/cmsimages/adrules/csr/current/11csr/11c40-3.pdf> (KEEP FOR YOUR RECORDS)
- Division of Fire Safety – Fireworks Unit Information Sheet
<https://dfs.dps.mo.gov/programs/fireworks/>
- Available Online Missouri Revised Statutes Chapter 320 Section 106-Fire Protection

ITEMS DUE BEFORE FIREWORKS TENT/STAND INSPECTION:

- Missouri State Retail License
- Missouri Division of Fire Safety Fireworks Permit
- Certificate of Liability Insurance
- Christian County Merchant License
- Nixa City Business License
- 2 Copies of SITE PLAN, see item #6 on Fireworks Stand Application



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FIRE WORKS STAND APPLICATION

ALL FORMS CONTAINED IN THIS PACKET MUST BE RETURNED TO THE NIXA FIRE DISTRICT

COMPANY NAME

ADDRESS

CITY

STATE

ZIPCODE

PHONE

OWNERS NAME

ADDRESS

CITY

STATE

ZIPCODE

PHONE

STAND ATTENDANTS NAME

ADDRESS

CITY

STATE

ZIPCODE

PHONE

Documents to be included and remitted to the **NIXA FIRE DISTRICT** with application **before** fireworks inspection:

1. MO State Retail License
2. MO Division of Fire Safety Fireworks Permit
3. Certificate of Liability Insurance
4. County Merchant License
5. Nixa City Business License
6. 2 copies of a SITE PLAN showing electrical service, size of tent/stand, parking and temporary living quarters if they are remote from the tent/stand. A legal description of the property, the dimensions of the lot and locations and distances to existing buildings and property lines should be indicated on the site plan.

ALL FIREWORK TENT/STANDS MUST BE INSPECTED BEFORE OPENING TO SELL FIREWORKS.

Department of Public Safety
Division of Fire Safety
Fireworks Permit Application
Permit Year 20_____

Mailing Address: P O Box 844
Jefferson City, Missouri 65102
Telephone: 573-751-2930
Fax Number: 573-526-4600
E-Mail Address:
firesafe@dfs.dps.mo.gov

**INSTRUCTIONS
FOR COMPLETING
FIREWORKS PERMIT APPLICATION**

Notice: If you are involved in Missouri's fireworks industry as a manufacturer, distributor, wholesaler, jobber or seasonal retailer, it is your responsibility to be familiar with and know Missouri law, RSMo. 320.106 through 320.161 and Missouri's Code of State Regulations || CSR 40-3.010.

Copy of the Missouri Revised Statutes and Missouri Rules pertaining to fireworks can be obtained from our website at www.dfs.dps.mo.gov or by calling 573-751-2930.

Permit applications may be obtained from the Division of Fire Safety or downloaded from our website at www.dfs.dps.mo.gov.

INSTRUCTIONS

To ensure prompt processing of Fireworks Permit Application please follow the check list below:

- Please print in ink or type.
- Complete all questions on application.
- Only cashier's checks, bank drafts, or money orders payable to the "Division of Fire Safety" will be accepted. (Cash or personal checks will not be accepted.)
- All applicants must submit a **Certificate of No Sales or Use Tax Due** and a **copy of the Missouri Retail Sales Tax License**. This must be obtained from the Missouri Department of Revenue. For example: If you are applying for five separate locations you must submit five sales tax licenses, each with a separate address of business, all will have the same sales tax number.
- All corporations must submit a current copy of their **Certificate of Good Standing** to commence business in Missouri. This may be obtained from the Missouri Secretary of State.
- All **manufacturers, distributors, jobbers, and wholesalers** shall submit their application and required documentation before **January 1**.
- **Please include a stamped, self-addressed, business envelope.**

ISSUANCE OF PERMIT

Allow a minimum of 30 days from the date the Division of Fire Safety receives an application for the permit to be issued. Applications received on or postmarked after the **January 1st** deadline may require a longer processing time.

SEND ALL INFORMATION TO: Investigations and Explosives Enforcement Unit, Missouri Division of Fire Safety, P.O. Box 844, Jefferson City, Missouri 65102



MISSOURI DIVISION OF FIRE SAFETY OFFICE OF THE STATE FIRE MARSHAL



Jobbers Fireworks Retail Waiver Form

To be completed by Missouri residents purchasing fireworks from a permitted jobber at all times other than June 20 through July 10 (inclusive) and December 20 through January 2 (inclusive).

Missouri Fireworks Regulation 11CSR40-3.010, Section (4)(E) states:

“Any sales by jobbers to non-permitted persons or entities during any period of time other than the fireworks season as defined in section 320.106(3), RSMo, shall be to nonresidents of Missouri, or to residents of Missouri only after a reasonable inquiry and a waiver signed by the buyer on a form provided by the state fire marshal indicating that the fireworks are for use outside of Missouri if the sale is a retail transaction.”

As a resident of the state of Missouri, you are hereby acknowledging you have read the above regulations and by completing this form, you are assuring that all fireworks purchased on the date below are for use outside of the state of Missouri.

<i>Date of Sale</i>	<i>Location of Sale</i>
<i>Print Name</i>	<i>Signature</i>
<i>City/State of Residence</i>	<i>Vehicle License & State</i>
<i>Date of Sale</i>	<i>Location of Sale</i>
<i>Print Name</i>	<i>Signature</i>
<i>City/State of Residence</i>	<i>Vehicle License & State</i>
<i>Date of Sale</i>	<i>Location of Sale</i>
<i>Print Name</i>	<i>Signature</i>
<i>City/State of Residence</i>	<i>Vehicle License & State</i>
<i>Date of Sale</i>	<i>Location of Sale</i>
<i>Print Name</i>	<i>Signature</i>
<i>City/State of Residence</i>	<i>Vehicle License & State</i>

Fireworks Sales and Use

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The Division of Fire Safety is responsible for the enforcement of fireworks laws throughout Missouri. Approximately 1,350 permits are issued yearly to manufacturers, wholesalers, jobbers, distributors, and retailers of fireworks. In addition, the division is responsible for conducting inspections of any facility involved with fireworks. Each year, division inspectors and investigators confiscate and destroy numerous illegal fireworks before they can reach the public and cause serious injury, death, and destruction.

Any person or company that is considered a manufacturer, wholesaler, distributor, jobber, or seasonal retailer of fireworks, or someone who will conduct a special fireworks show, must receive a permit from the Missouri Division of Fire Safety.

Instructions to Complete Fireworks Application

- Please print in ink or type
- Complete all questions on application.
- Only cashier's checks, bank drafts, or money orders payable to the "Division of Fire Safety" will be accepted. (Cash or personal checks will not be accepted).
- All applicants must submit a [Certificate of No Sales or Use Tax Due](#) and a copy of the [Missouri Retail Sales Tax license](#). This may be obtained from your local [Missouri Department of Revenue](#). Note: If you are applying for five separate locations you must submit five sales tax licenses, each with a separate address of business, all will have the same sales tax number.
- All corporations must submit a current copy of their Certificate of Good Standing to commence business in Missouri. This may be obtained from the [Missouri Secretary of State](#).
- All manufacturers, distributors, jobbers, and wholesalers shall submit their application and required documentation and fees before Jan. 1.
- All seasonal retailers shall submit their application, required documentation and fees before May 31.
- Include a stamped, self-addressed, business envelope.
- Allow a minimum of 30 days for the permit to be issued. Applications postmarked after the deadline dates may require a longer processing time.



DIVISION OF FIRE SAFETY — FIREWORKS UNIT



The most common inspection violations are listed below. All fire safety inspection requirements are located under the Fireworks Rules on our website at www.dfs.dps.mo.gov. If you do not have access to the web, please call 573-751-2930 and we will forward you a copy.

These requirements will be strictly enforced during the 2009 Fireworks Season and any violations found and not corrected may result in suspension of the fireworks permit.



Fire Extinguishers

11 CSR 40-3.010.7.A.1. Every seasonal retail sales location shall have not less than two portable fire extinguishers with a minimum 2A rating, at least one of which shall be pressurized water type.

11 CSR 40-3.010.7.A.2. Temporary seasonal retail sales locations less than 200 square feet in area shall be required to have at least one portable fire extinguisher with a minimum 2A rating.



Required Signs

11 CSR 40-3.010.7.G.1. Exit signs shall be required to be self luminous or internally or externally illuminated.

11 CSR 40-3.010.7.G.2. Exit signs shall not be required to be illuminated in tents or stands that are not open for business after dusk or in temporary seasonal retail sales stands where the interior is not accessible to the public.

11 CSR 40-3.010.7.D.2. One or more signs reading, FIREWORKS NO SMOKING shall be displayed at each entrance of seasonal retail sales locations in letters not less than four-inches in height on a contrasting background.

11 CSR 40-3.010.7.C.2. At least one sign that reads as follows, in letters at least four-inches high on a contrasting background, shall be conspicuously posted at each entrance of seasonal retail sales locations: *NO FIREWORKS DISCHARGE WITHIN 100 FEET.*



Site Requirements

11 CSR 40-3.010.7.B.1. The authority having jurisdiction shall require a certificate or other evidence of acceptance by an organization or laboratory of recognized standing or manufacturer verifying that the tent fabric material has been treated with a flame resistant material.

11 CSR 40-3.010.7.B.2. No hay, straw, shavings, or similar combustible materials that have not been treated to make them flame retardant shall be permitted within any seasonal retail sales location. Vegetation or grass within the location should also be treated with an approved flame retardant treatment. Flame retardant treatments are available through some fire extinguisher/equipment dealers.

11 CSR 40-3.010.7.B.3. The area located within 30-feet of a retail sales location shall be kept free of accumulated dry grass, dry brush, and combustible debris.

11 CSR 40-3.010.7.B.4. Fireworks shall not be displayed or stored behind glass through which direct sunlight will shine on the fireworks except for where the fireworks are in their original package.

11 CSR 40-3.010.7.E.1 No motor vehicle shall be parked within 10-feet of a seasonal retail sales location.

11 CSR 40-3.010.7.F.1. All means of egress from any temporary seasonal retail sales tent or stand shall remain clear and free of obstructions.

11 CSR 40-3.010.7.F.2. A minimum of two remote means of egress shall be located in a seasonal retail sales location.

11 CSR 40-3.010.5.D It is unlawful for any person under the age of 16 to sell fireworks or work in a facility where fireworks are stored, sold, or offered for sale unless under the supervision of an individual at least 18 years of age.



Emergency Lighting

11 CSR 40-3.010.7.G.3. Emergency lighting shall not be required in tents or stands that are not open for business after dusk or for temporary seasonal retail sales stands where the interior is not accessible to the public.

11 CSR 40-3.010.7.G.4. Emergency lighting shall be required in seasonal retail sales locations when the retail sales area is 800 square feet or greater.