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## Supplemental Application NON-RESIDENTIAL FIRE CODE - RETAIL FIREWORK STAND

STAFF USE ONLY	DATE STAMP
LABEL	
<p>PLEASE NOTE:            ALL APPLICATIONS AND SITE PLANS            MUST BE COMPLETED IN BLACK OR            BLUE INK <u>ONLY</u></p>	<p>Intake by: _____</p>

**This application cannot be submitted alone. In addition to this form, a complete package includes:**

Applicant Use	SUBMITTAL CHECKLIST	Staff Use Only
<input type="checkbox"/>	Master Application.	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	Site plan showing the entire property along with the location of the proposed Firework Stand.	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	A letter of permission from the property owner is required unless the property owners are the ones selling the fireworks.	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	Copy of Washington State Firework License/Permit.	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	Applicable processing fees. <i>Refer to current fee schedules. Depending on the adopted fee structure, additional fees may occur if base hours/fees at intake are exhausted.</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Applicant: _____	Company Name: _____
License #: _____	Expire Date: _____
Mailing Address: _____	City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____
Phone #: _____	Cell Phone # _____ Fax #: _____
E-mail Address: _____	
Contact Person: _____	Phone #: _____
On site Contact: _____	Phone #: _____

## Retail Firework Stand Permit Information

1. Fireworks may be sold only in roadside stands or buildings used for no other purpose.
2. A fireworks license, and a permit to operate a fireworks stand, does not authorize the sale of articles other than fireworks.
3. Only U.N. 0336 1.4G consumer fireworks, not otherwise prohibited by RCW 70.77, may be sold in fireworks stands.
4. Only fireworks obtained from State licensed wholesalers may be sold in retail stands.
5. **TCC 6.68.055 Consumer fireworks.**

The discharge of consumer fireworks, as defined in RCW 70.77.136, within the county each year is restricted to nine a.m. to eleven p.m. on July 3rd and nine a.m. to eleven p.m. on July 4th. No person shall discharge any consumer fireworks except within the times and dates set forth above. Further, pursuant to RCW 70.77.395, as amended by Second Substitute Senate Bill 6080 in 2002, Thurston County prohibits the sale, purchase, possession, or use of consumer fireworks on December 27, 2002 through 1:00 a.m. on January 1, 2003 and thereafter on the same period each year. The more restrictive provisions of this section shall prevail over RCW 70.77.395. (Ord. 12815 § 1, 2002; Ord. 11946 § 1, 1999).

**For any questions contact the Thurston County Fire Marshals Office at 360-754-3355 x 6647.**

6. At least one adult person (18 or over) shall be present at all times the fireworks stand is open to the public. No person under 16 years of age shall be allowed to sell fireworks or remain within a fireworks stand when it is open to the public.
7. Fireworks must be displayed in a manner to prevent handling by the public prior to sale.
8. At least two fire extinguishers, (2 ½ gallon water or equivalent), must be accessible to sales personnel.
9. Smoking shall be prohibited within 20 feet of the fireworks stand.
10. No fireworks shall be discharged within 100 feet of the fireworks stand.
11. "No Smoking" signs, with red letters at least two inches high, shall be posted in plain view of all purchasers.
12. A list of fireworks that may be sold to the public, as furnished by the State Fire Marshal, must be prominently posted at each retail stand.
13. Firework stands shall be maintained free from any condition, which increases or may cause an increase of hazard or menace of fire or explosion, or may become the cause of any obstruction, delay, or hindrance to the prevention, suppression or extinguishment of fire.
14. Adequate and safe means of egress shall be provided from all areas where fireworks are sold.
15. Firework stands shall be securely locked when not open for business, or all fireworks removed to a safe location approved by the local fire official.
16. Fireworks shall be promptly removed from the fireworks stand and either returned to the supplier or transferred to an approved storage facility at the end of the selling period, pending ultimate disposal.
17. Fireworks retailers shall not knowingly sell fireworks to persons under the age of sixteen (16) years of age.
18. A sign reading "No Sale of Fireworks to Persons under the Age of Sixteen Years. PHOTO I.D. REQUIRED" in letters at least two inches high, on contrasting background, shall be conspicuously posted on the front of each retail fireworks stand.
19. **WAC 212-17 Part V - Retailer:**  
Persons desiring to engage in the business of selling fireworks at retail shall secure a license from the director of the Washington state patrol fire protection bureau.

Retailers shall post prominently at each retail outlet a list of the fireworks that may be sold to the public. The posted list shall be in a form approved by the director of fire protection. The director of fire protection shall make available the list.

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- (4) The location of the nearest permanently mounted telephone must be posted inside the retail fireworks stand and persons working in the stand shall be informed of that location.
- (5) The local emergency telephone number shall be conspicuously posted inside the retail fireworks stand.
- (6) Each retail fireworks stand shall be equipped with two approved, pressurized two and one-half gallon water-type fire extinguishers.
- (7) No open flames or any type of open flame equipment shall be allowed in any retail fireworks stand.
- (8) Retail fireworks stands shall be secured when unoccupied and not open for business if fireworks are kept in the structure during these times. Retail fireworks stands shall never be locked when occupied. The fireworks may be removed and transferred to a temporary storage structure or location approved as a part of the license and permit.
- (9) At least one adult person, eighteen years of age or older shall be present at all times in every retail fireworks stand during the hours of sale to the public and shall be responsible for supervision of the retail fireworks stand and its operation. No person, other than customers, under the age of sixteen shall be allowed within a retail fireworks stand when it is open to the public. Fireworks, except for prepackaged assortments, boxes, or similarly packaged containers of more than one item, whether of the same or different kind, must be displayed in a manner which prevents the fireworks from being handled by the public or a customer without the direct intervention of the licensee or his or her representative who shall maintain visual contact.
- (10) Retail fireworks stands may be required to be inspected by the state fire marshal and/or the local jurisdiction issuing the permit prior to opening for business and other inspections may occur on other days as warranted but there shall be no additional charge for all such inspections.
- (11) In order to obtain return of a clean-up bond if required by the local authority having jurisdiction as a condition of permit, the cleanup of debris associated with the retail fireworks activity and the removal of all structures authorized by the license and permit shall occur on or before the last day of the storage period specified in these rules.
- (12) Fireworks retailers shall not knowingly sell fireworks to persons under the age of sixteen.
  - (a) A sign reading "no sale of fireworks to persons under the age of sixteen years. PHOTO ID REQUIRED" in letters at least two inches high, with a principal stroke of not less than one-half inch, on contrasting background, shall be conspicuously posted on the front of each retail fireworks stand.
  - (b) Sellers shall require proof of age by means of display of a driver's license or photo identification card showing date of birth issued by a public or private school, state, federal or foreign government. No other forms of identification shall be accepted.

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