

FAIRFIELD FIRE DEPARTMENT

STANDARD 87-22

FIREWORKS / PYROTECHNICS

AUTHORITY: Chapter 8, Section 8.1 City Ordinance, California Fire Code (C.F.C.), Section 101.4, Article 78, California Health and Safety Code, and Chapter 7.

PERMIT REQUIRED: For supervised public displays of fireworks or for the use of fireworks by artisans in pursuit of their trade. (C.F.C. Section 105)

FEES: \$_____ each occurrence.

DEFINITIONS:

APPROVED refers to approval by the fire chief as the result of investigation and tests conducted by the fire chief or by reason of accepted principles or tests by national authorities or technical or scientific organizations.

AUTHORITY HAVING JURISDICTION is any state, county, city or town, or district or other political subdivision adapting this code for use in its jurisdictional area.

FIREWORKS – See Section 207.f C.F.C. for fireworks definition

PYROTECHNICS – See Section 217.p C.F.C. for pyrotechnics definition.

LISTED is equipment or materials included on a list published by a nationally recognized testing laboratory, inspection agency or other organization concerned with product evaluation that maintains periodic inspection of production of listed equipment or materials, and whose listing states that equipment or materials, meets nationally recognized standards and has been tested and found suitable for use in a specific manner.

SHALL indicates a mandatory requirement.

SHOULD indicates a recommendation that is advised but not required.

STANDARD means the rules and regulations contained in the Fairfield Fire Department Fire Prevention Standards and are designed to provide specific guidelines to the California Fire Code.

PERMIT REQUIREMENTS:

Sec.7802.4.2 **Pyrotechnic Operator.** Fireworks display operations shall be under the direct supervision of a pyrotechnic operator. The pyrotechnic operator shall be responsible for all aspects of a display related to pyrotechnics.

Sec.7802.4.3 **Bond.** The permittee shall furnish a certificate of commercial general liability in an amount not less than \$1,000,000 naming the City of Fairfield as an additional insured. The permittee shall abide by the laws of the State of California pertaining to Workers' Compensation insurance.

REVOCAION OF PERMIT:

Sec.105.7 Permit may be suspended or revoked if the permittee fails to comply with any order or notice duly served upon him under the provisions of this code.

Sec.7802.2 **Seizure of Fireworks.** The chief is authorized to seize, take, remove or cause to be removed at the expense of the owner all stocks of fireworks offered or exposed for sale, stored or held in violation of Article 78.

NOTE: The above list is a summary and may not include all the requirements of the code.