



Application for the SALE OF FIREWORKS

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Approval
Vermillion Fire EMS Department:

Reviewer Signature

PERMIT FEES

Permit Fee Paid: \$ _____
Date: _____

APPLICATION IS HEREBY MADE BY THE UNDERSIGNED FOR A PERMIT TO SELL FIREWORKS.

Permit Fee: \$25

Sale of Legal Consumer Fireworks must take place on property zoned for commercial use.

Completed City of Vermillion Application for Itinerant, Merchant, Peddler, Solicitor Permit.

Permit Holder

Name: _____ Phone #: _____

Company/Business Name (if applicable): _____

Residence Street Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____ Email: _____

SALE LOCATION

Location (street address) for which permit is sought: _____

Permanent Building

Provide accurate drawing or plat showing the location of the sale display within the building together with aisles, exits, etc.

Temporary Structure

Provide a legal description of the premises, a description of the structure or facility to be used, and location of such structure or facility on the premises.

Tent or Canopy

State of South Dakota Sale of Fireworks License #: _____ Issue Date: _____

A copy of your South Dakota State Fire Marshal's License for Sale of Fireworks must accompany this application.

Applicants for permit to sell Legal Consumer Fireworks must first obtain a Retail Fireworks License from the South Dakota State Fire Marshal. The sale of Legal Consumer Fireworks is allowed in accordance with City codes and SDCL 34-37. The sale of Legal Consumer Fireworks must take place on property zoned for commercial use. The fee for the permit shall be set by resolution of the City Council. The City may deny a permit if a site, hours, or applicant is deemed unsuitable. The City may revoke a permit for any violation of City Ordinance Section 92.07.

APPLICANT SIGNATURE: _____ DATE: _____

SALE OF FIREWORKS PERMIT CHECKLIST



GENERAL REQUIREMENTS

- A permit from the Vermillion Fire EMS Department shall be required to sell consumer fireworks within the City of Vermillion. See: www.vermillion.us
- Must have a City of Vermillion Application for Itinerant, Merchant, Peddler, Solicitor Permit
- Must have the appropriate permits from the State of South Dakota.
- Must meet all requirements set by the State of South Dakota fire marshal.
- City of Vermillion Ordinance 1335 requires signs to be placed at each cash register and in each area where fireworks are displayed for sale. Sign must describe Novelty Fireworks and City of Vermillion Ordinance
- Signs reading "FIREWORKS – NO SMOKING" in letters at least 2 in. high on contrasting background shall be posted at each entrance or within 10 ft of every aisle directly serving the consumer fireworks retail sales area.



EXTINGUISHERS AND SIGNAGE

- A minimum of one fire extinguisher is required.
- Shall be a multipurpose dry chemical type, 2A minimum rating.
- Maximum travel distance to a fire extinguisher shall not exceed 75 ft.



EXITS, AISLES, DOORS, EXIT SIGNS, and EMERGENCY LIGHTING

- The retail sales area for the consumer fireworks within a building shall be a maximum unobstructed travel distance of 75 ft from an exit.
- There shall be at least three exits from the retail sales area.
- Aisle shall have a minimum clear width of 48 in.
- Dead –end aisles are prohibited.
- Egress doors shall have a minimum width of 36 in. with a minimum clear width of 32 in.
- Egress doors with a latching device shall be provided with panic hardware.
- Exits shall have approved self-luminous or internally or externally illuminated exit signs



RETAIL SALES DISPLAYS, SHELVING and CONSUMER FIREWORKS

- Shelving and display cases shall not impede visual access of the sales area and shall not exceed 6 ft in height.
- Display of merchandise located on shelves, counters or other fixtures shall not exceed 6 ft in height.
- Combustible materials and merchandise shall not be displayed or stored directly above the consumer fireworks display without a horizontal barrier installed per NFPA 430.



Inspection

- Site inspection is required before this permit can be approved.
 - When your retail area is ready and before you open to the public you must contact the **Vermillion Fire EMS Department**.
 - (605) 677-7098 or (605) 675-9637

This permit will be issued when this application is completed and a site inspection has been completed.

<h2 style="text-align: center;">SPARKLERS</h2>  <p>Morning Glory Sparkler Sparklers Sparkler Tree</p> <p>Sparkling Devices: MORNING GLORIES</p> <p>CAUTION: FLAMMABLE USE ONLY UNDER CLOSE ADULT SUPERVISION. FOR OUTDOOR USE ONLY. DO NOT TOUCH HOT WOOD. HOLD IN HAND WITH ARM EXTENDED AWAY FROM BODY. KEEP BURNING END OR SPARKS AWAY FROM WEARING APPAREL OR OTHER FLAMMABLE MATERIAL. HOLD AND LIGHT ONE DEVICE AT A TIME. AFTER USE PLACE WOOD IN WATER.</p> <p>Sparkling Devices: WIRE STICK SPARKLER</p> <p>CAUTION: FLAMMABLE USE ONLY UNDER CLOSE ADULT SUPERVISION. FOR OUTDOOR USE ONLY. DO NOT TOUCH GLOWING WIRE. HOLD IN HAND WITH ARM EXTENDED AWAY FROM BODY. KEEP BURNING END OR SPARKS AWAY FROM WEARING APPAREL OR OTHER FLAMMABLE MATERIAL. HOLD AND LIGHT ONE DEVICE AT A TIME. AFTER USE PLACE WIRE IN WATER.</p>	<h2 style="text-align: center;">SMOKE DEVICES</h2> <p style="text-align: center;">-Emits Cloud of Smoke-</p>  <p>Smoke Balls Smoke Cone Cylindrical Smoke Candle</p> <p>Smoke Balls, Toy Smoke Devices</p> <p>CAUTION FLAMMABLE USE ONLY UNDER CLOSE ADULT SUPERVISION. FOR OUTDOOR USE ONLY. DO NOT HOLD IN HAND. PLACE ON HARD LEVEL SURFACE. LIGHT FUSE AND GET AWAY.</p>	<h2 style="text-align: center;">NOVELTIES</h2>  <p>Snappers / Drop Pops</p> <p>CAUTION: USE ONLY UNDER CLOSE ADULT SUPERVISION. FOR OUTDOOR USE ONLY. DO NOT PUT IN MOUTH. THROW ON GROUND OR AGAINST HARD SURFACE. NOT RECOMMENDED FOR CHILDREN UNDER 8 YEARS OF AGE.</p> <p>PARTY POPPER EMITS SHOWERS OF CONFETTI</p> <p>PARTY POPPERS - BOTTLE TYPE</p> <p>CAUTION FLAMMABLE USE ONLY UNDER CLOSE ADULT SUPERVISION. DO NOT POINT EITHER END TOWARD FACE OR OTHER PERSON. HOLD IN HAND - JERK STRING</p> <p>PARTY POPPERS - PISTOL TYPE</p> <p>CAUTION FLAMMABLE USE ONLY UNDER CLOSE ADULT SUPERVISION. DO NOT POINT EITHER END TOWARD FACE OR OTHER PERSON. HOLD IN HAND - PULL TRIGGER SHARPLY</p> <p style="text-align: center; background-color: red; color: white; font-weight: bold;">MAY NOT HAVE MORE THAN 0.25 GRAINS OF EXPLOSIVE MIXTURE.</p>
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*Fireworks that can be discharged in the City of Vermillion
Between the hours of 9:00am and 11:59pm July 4th*

NOVELTY CONSUMER FIREWORKS. Non-aerial fireworks including, but not limited to, sparklers, smoke devices, snakes, snappers, party poppers, ground-based sparklers, or fountains up to 500 grams, and small firecrackers.

<h3 style="text-align: center;">GROUND SPARKLING DEVICES</h3>  <p>BALL & DISK SPINS ON GROUND. EMITS FLAME AND SPARKS.</p> <p>CYLINDRICAL Ground Bloom Flowers/ Crazy GroundHogs SPINS ON GROUND. EMITS FLAME AND SPARKS.</p> <p>CAUTION SPINS ON GROUND EMITS FLAME AND SPARKS USE ONLY UNDER CLOSE ADULT SUPERVISION. FOR OUTDOOR USE ONLY. PLACE ON HARD, FLAT SURFACE. DO NOT HOLD IN HAND. LIGHT FUSE AND GET AWAY.</p>	<h3 style="text-align: center;">SPARKLING Wheel DEVICES</h3>  <p>CAUTION SPINS ON POST EMITS FLAME AND SPARKS USE ONLY UNDER CLOSE ADULT SUPERVISION. FOR OUTDOOR USE ONLY. NAIL TO POST OR STAKE SO THAT WHEEL WILL TURN FREELY. DO NOT HOLD IN HAND. LIGHT FUSE AND GET AWAY.</p>	<h3 style="text-align: center;">GROUND BASED SPARKLERS</h3> <p style="text-align: center;">-UP TO 500 GRAMS-</p>  <p>Cylindrical Square Cone California Rocket Shaped Fountain</p> <p>CAUTION Emits Showers of Sparks USE ONLY UNDER CLOSE ADULT SUPERVISION. FOR OUTDOOR USE ONLY. PLACE UPRIGHT ON GROUND. LIGHT FUSE AND GET AWAY. DO NOT HOLD IN HAND.</p> <p>CAUTION Emits Showers of Sparks USE ONLY UNDER CLOSE ADULT SUPERVISION. FOR OUTDOOR USE ONLY. STICK FIRMLY IN GROUND IN AN UPRIGHT POSITION, REMOVE CAP FOR LIGHTING. DO NOT HOLD IN HAND. LIGHT FUSE AND GET AWAY.</p> <p style="text-align: center; background-color: red; color: white; font-weight: bold;">MAY NOT HAVE MORE THAN 500g OF EXPLOSIVE MIXTURE.</p>
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The City of Vermillion Ordinance (#1335) 92.07 clearly defines the parameters for sales, use and specific locations within the City of Vermillion.

92.07 B.1 It shall be unlawful for any person to shoot, discharge, or explode, or cause to be shot, discharged, or exploded, any firecrackers, sky rockets, blank cartridges, fireworks, or other explosives used for fireworks or fire display in the City except for Novelty Consumer Fireworks. Novelty Consumer Fireworks shall only be discharged within City limits in areas other than public streets, sidewalks, parks, grounds, or within the downtown business district of the City. The discharge of Novelty Consumer Fireworks shall be allowed, in accordance with state law, between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 11:59 p.m. on July 4th. It shall be unlawful for any person to launch Aerial Consumer Fireworks within City limits except if provided for by permit.

Remember, per the National Fire Protection Association:

“Safe and Sane” consumer fireworks are neither. Fountains, novelties and sparklers are designed to throw off showers of hot sparks with temperatures that may exceed 1200 degrees.

For more information contact:

- www.vermillion.us
- The Vermillion Fire Department: 605-677-7098

