

Fire Regulations

HARRISBURG BUREAU OF FIRE

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Fire Regulations For A Safe Event At The Complex

- Smoking is prohibited in the Farm Show Complex & Expo Center.
- Vendors setting up tents, canopies and membrane covering must provide fire department with fire rating of material. Vendors must also provide any required portable fire extinguishers as needed.
- Fueling/refueling of motorized vehicles must take place outside and away from the building.
- Lessees should be prepared with an emergency action plan.
- Outside propane tanks shall be protected by posts or other approved physical barriers (Jersey barriers).
- Extinguishers need to be visible, accessible and located in a conspicuous location where they will be readily accessible and immediately available for use. These locations shall be along normal paths of travel.
- Doors shall never be blocked or tied off.
- If existing exit signage is blocked by display, additional signage must be installed.
- All exit corridors and emergency exits must be kept clear; no partial blocking will be permitted.
- All fire alarm pull stations must be kept clear.
- Fire extinguishers may not be covered by any drapes or hidden by any type of displays.
- No motorized camping units or vehicles may contain more than one gallon of fuel while on display.
- All pressurized fuel tanks may be drained.
- All motorsport events should provide onsite fire protection for your event.
**example: Foam, Purple K*
- All fuel fills must be locked and fuel caps must be taped closed with duct tape.
- Any living trees or shrubs are acceptable as long as the shrubbery is individually bagged and baled.
- Artificial trees and shrubbery must be treated with a flame proofing material. The fire official may request certification of flame proofing.
- Any type of mulch materials must be treated with a flame proofing material, or watered daily. If treated with a flame proofing material, certification may be requested by the fire official.
- No open flames, fires, burning of any kind will be permitted within the complex. No exterior burning is allowed unless the Department of Environmental Protection and the Bureau of Fire grant permission.
- The Fire Prevention Code of Harrisburg will be strictly enforced.

Contact the Harrisburg Bureau of Fire with any questions regarding the above regulations at **717-255-6464** or fax to **717-255-6448**.