



Grants Pass Department of Public Safety Fire Prevention Bureau
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CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT FIRE ART PERFORMER

Performance location must have a current fire-performance venue permit

Applicant Name: _____
 Phone: _____
 E-mail Address: _____
 Address: _____
 City/State: _____ Zip Code: _____
 Date of Birth _____

**** Provide copy of State ID Card as proof of age ****

FOR FIRE BUREAU USE ONLY

Permit # FAP _____
 Date Rec'd: _____
 App, By _____
 Notes _____

Property owner's written permission presented
 Annual Permit
 One time performance
 Other

Fire performances are not allowed until the venue has been approved by the Fire Marshal's Office. Violation of the following requirements or of requirements listed in Grants Pass Department of Public Safety Fire Performance Art Permit may result in a citation.

- Policy Fire Performance Art Permit includes information regarding: space considerations, extinguishing agents, personal safety, fuels, wicks, clothing, smoking, the audience, the permit, and inspections.
- Property/business owner's written permission must be secured prior to the permit being issued.
- **Gasoline is prohibited under any conditions.**

Additional conditions:

 Applicant's Name

 Applicant's Signature

 Inspector's Name

 Inspector's Signature

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Date Permit Effective: _____

Date Permit Expires: _____

FIRE PERFORMER SAFETY REQUIREMENTS

1. The performance artist shall have the conditional use permit, state issued photo ID and a copy of Fire Performance Art Permit Policy readily available at each performance.
2. A 20-foot distance shall be maintained between the fire-involved item and any member of the audience or any combustible item within the immediate performance area.
 - a. When multiple performers are within a performance area, boundaries must be expanded by 5' from all audience areas or combustible materials.
3. The perimeter boundary should be marked and secured.
4. Two safety personnel shall be designated for each performance, one must maintain the perimeter, and the other's sole function is to act as a "spotter" and provide safety through constant monitoring of the performance, audience, and fuel storage area. NOTE: Additional spotters/safety personnel may be required under certain circumstances.
 - a. Spotters should be trained in first aid measures for burns and be knowledgeable in the use of, and have ready access to, fire extinguishers and extinguishing agents.
 - b. Spotters will have direct access to at least one 5-gallon, open-topped bucket of water, minimum $\frac{3}{4}$ full, to cool accidental burns.
 - c. At least one 2A-10BC minimum classification fire extinguisher is required in close proximity to each spotter.
 - d. Each spotter shall have at least one wet cotton towel (minimum size 15" x 24") or a wool or Nomex blanket or Duvetyne readily available to extinguish the fire implement(s). The towel should be white in color to differentiate its use from other towels that might be used to mop up flammable or combustible liquid spills. Colored towels for mopping up flammable or combustible liquids should be stored in a metal container with a tight fitting lid.
5. Devices and equipment shall be checked before every performance to ensure strength and integrity.
6. Excess fuel shall be removed from devices in an approved manner before they are ignited or used in front of an audience. Fuel may be allowed in either the original container with the cap secured in place or in a metal lidded liquid storage container, maximum one (1) gallon on site. Glass containers shall never be used for storage of fuel.
7. The clothing of performers and spotters should be snug fitting and made of fire resistant materials or natural fiber such as wool, leather, or cotton. Synthetic clothing shall not be worn.
8. Smoking shall be prohibited within the boundary of the performance and fuel storage areas.