

TOWN OF TICONDEROGA FIREWORKS PERMIT APPLICATION

TOWN OF TICONDEROGA
132 Montcalm Street
Ticonderoga, NY 12883

Instructions

This Permit Application must be completed and submitted. All information is required to be completed in full. Incomplete applications **WILL NOT** be processed by the Town of Ticonderoga. **THIS APPLICATION AND ALL REQUIRED INFORMATION MUST BE SUBMITTED AT LEAST 10 DAYS PRIOR TO THE EVENT FOR WHICH A PERMIT IS SOUGHT.**

In addition to the information in this Application, the following information is required:

- A diagram, with distances shown in feet, of the grounds on which the fireworks display is to be held showing the point at which the fireworks are to be discharged, the location of all buildings, highways and other lines of communication, the lines behind which the audience will be restrained and the location of all nearby trees, telegraph or telephone lines or other overhead obstructions.
- No permit shall be issued until an adequate bond of no less than \$1,000,000. The bond shall be conditioned for the payment of all damages which may be caused to a person or persons or to property by reason of the fireworks display so permitted and arising from any acts of the sponsor, operator, or his agents, employees, assistants, contractors, or subcontractors. Such bond shall run to the Town of Ticonderoga and shall be for the use and benefit of any such person or persons or any such owner or owners of any property so injured or damaged. Any such person or persons or such owner or owners are hereby authorized to maintain an action on such bond, which right of action shall also accrue to the heirs, executors, administrators, successors or assigns or such persons or owners.

The Town may accept, in lieu of such bond, an indemnity insurance policy with liability coverage and indemnity protection equivalent to or exceeding the terms and conditions upon which such bond is predicated and for the same purposes provided. The indemnity insurance shall list the Town of Ticonderoga as an additional insured and an original of which shall be filed with the permit application.

- Payment of the Application Fee of \$_____.

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Name of Person/Company Promoting/Sponsoring Fireworks Display	<hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/>
Name of Person/Company In Charge of Fireworks Display	<hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/>
Date and Time Fireworks Display is to be held	<hr/>
Exact Location at which Fireworks Display is to be held	<hr/>

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Description of Individuals in Charge of Fireworks Display (Operator)
 (Must be at least 2 individuals at least 18 years of age with proper experience and licensing)

Individual 1

Name	
Address	_____ _____
Telephone Numbers	Business: _____ Home: _____ Mobile: _____
Age	_____
Physical Characteristics (Provide Photo Identification)	Height: _____ Weight: _____ Eye Color: _____ Hair Color: _____

Individual 2

Name	
Address	_____ _____
Telephone Numbers	Business: _____ Home: _____ Mobile: _____
Age	_____
Physical Characteristics (Provide Photo Identification)	Height: _____ Weight: _____

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Description of the Number and Kind of Fireworks to be Discharged

Manner and Place of Storage of the Fireworks (On or Near Site and Place of Origin)

Include Proof of that this Application for a Fireworks Permit has been submitted to the Chief of Police of the Town of Ticonderoga, the Code Enforcement Officer and Chief of local Fire Department (i.e. include a copy of the cover letter to the necessary persons, a sign off from the necessary persons that it was received, facsimile verification that it was sent or some other reasonable means to prove that the copy was properly submitted).

	Eye Color: _____	Hair Color: _____
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Acknowledgement of Regulations and Requirements

The Applicant hereby acknowledges the following Regulations and Requirements, understands same, and agrees to comply with same.

A. Firing distances; mortar pieces.

(1) The actual point at which the fireworks are to be fired shall be at least 50 feet from the nearest aboveground telephone or telegraph line, tree or other overhead obstruction, and such point shall also be no nearer to the audience or any permanent building, highway or railroad or other means of travel than the distance provided in the following table:

Shell Size		Minimum Radius Distance (feet)
Inches	Millimeters	
3 or less	76 or less	280
4	102	560
5	127	700
6	152	840
7	178	980
8	203	1120
10	254	1400
12	305	1680

(2) No mortar piece exceeding 12 inches in diameter shall be used or discharged. Distances from bulk storage areas of materials that have a flammability, explosive or toxic hazard shall be twice that required by the above table.

B. The audience at any fireworks display shall be restrained behind lines at such distances from the point at which the fireworks are discharged as are provided in the table contained in Subsection A above. The sponsor shall be responsible for controlling the audience.

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- C. Only persons actively involved in the fireworks display shall be allowed inside the minimum radius distance line contained in Subsection A above.
- D. All fireworks that fire a projectile shall be so set up that the projectile will go into the air as nearly as possible in a vertical direction.
- E. Any fireworks that remain unfired after the display is concluded must be immediately disposed of in a way safe for the particular type of fireworks remaining and consistent with all applicable federal and state laws, rules and regulations.
- F. All debris resulting from the fireworks display shall be properly disposed of by the operator before leaving the discharge site. The operator shall remain at the discharge site for a least one hour after the completion of the display to ensure that the site is secure and clean.
- G. No fireworks shall be left unattended at any time prior to, during or after the fireworks display. No fireworks shall be stored at the site of the display more than eight hours before actual discharge, but a longer period may be granted at the discretion of the permit authority. As soon as the fireworks have been delivered to the display site, they shall not be left unattended nor shall they be allowed to become wet.
- H. No fireworks display shall be held during any windstorm in which the wind reaches a velocity of more than 30 miles per hour, as determined by measurements taken at Ticonderoga Municipal Airport or its successor name(s).
- I. There shall be at least two operators or assistants constantly on duty during the discharge, and at least two soda-acid or other approved-type fire extinguishers of at least 2 1/2 gallons' capacity each shall be kept at as widely separate points as possible within the actual area of display.
- K. Any applicant for a permit to conduct a fireworks display shall send a copy of the application to the Chief of Police of the Town of Ticonderoga, the Code Enforcement Officer and the Chief of the local Fire Department that provides service to the display area. The Chief of Police, Code Enforcement Officer and Chief of the local Fire Department shall be notified of the display location, date and time if a permit is issued, and the Fire Department's attendance at the display shall be requested.
- L. Any body issued a permit hereunder shall at a minimum comply with these regulations and New York State Penal Law Article 405 and should comply with the standards and guidelines contained in National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) Standard 1123 regarding outdoor display of fireworks.
- M. The operator shall have any permit issued available for examination by the Town or the Town of Ticonderoga Police Department at the time of the display.

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N. No smoking shall be permitted within 50 feet of any area where fireworks or other associated materials are kept or stored.

O. No permit shall allow the use of fireworks beyond 10:30 p.m.

SIGNATURES

Promoter/Sponsor

The undersigned, being the Promoter or Sponsor of the Fireworks Display that is the subject of the foregoing application including all information supplied above, does hereby state that (i) he/she/it has reviewed the foregoing application including all maps, reports and other documentation or information supporting same, and that the information provided thereon is true and accurate, (ii) he/she/it has reviewed the regulations set forth herein, and agrees to abide by same, understands the penalties for noncompliance with same, and (iii) understands and agrees to abide by any other applicable laws, rules or regulations concerning or related to fireworks discharges and displays. The undersigned specifically understands that the Town of Ticonderoga will rely on the truth and sufficiency of the information provided and the undersigned agrees to indemnify, defend and hold the Town of Ticonderoga, its agents, employees and representatives harmless from any and all claims, suits, demands, losses, judgments or orders arising out of the inaccuracy or insufficiency of any of the information supplied by the undersigned or its agents.

Dated: _____

Promoter/Sponsor

Individual/Company In Charge of Fireworks Display and Discharge (Operator)

The undersigned, being the Company In Charge of Display and Discharge of the Fireworks that is the subject of the foregoing application including all information supplied above, does hereby state that (i) he/she/it has reviewed the foregoing application including all maps, reports and other documentation or information supporting same, and that the information provided thereon is true and accurate, (ii) he/she/it has reviewed the regulations set forth herein, and agrees to abide by same, understands the penalties for noncompliance with same, and (iii) understands and agrees to abide by any other applicable laws, rules or regulations concerning or related to fireworks discharges and displays. The undersigned specifically understands that the Town of Ticonderoga will rely on the truth and sufficiency of the information provided and the undersigned agrees to indemnify, defend and hold the Town of Ticonderoga, its agents, employees and representatives harmless from any and all claims, suits, demands, losses, judgments or orders arising out of the inaccuracy or insufficiency of any of the information supplied by the undersigned or its agents.

Dated: _____

Company In Charge of Fireworks

