
PART 5 - POLICE AND FIRE REGULATIONS
Division 4 - Fireworks

Subdivision 1 - Sale and Purchase of Fireworks

- 5.4.1. 1. No person shall sell any fireworks to any person under the age of EIGHTEEN (18), except caps for a toy pistol.

Subdivision 2 - Possession of Fireworks

- 5.4.2. 1. No person under the age of EIGHTEEN (18) shall possess, fire, or set off fireworks within the municipality other than low hazard Class 7.2.1. fireworks for recreation such as fireworks showers, fountains, golden rain, lawn lights, pin wheels, Roman candles, volcanoes, sparklers and Christmas crackers unless under adult supervision on private property.

Subdivision 3 - High Hazard Class Fireworks

- 5.4.3. 1. Notwithstanding the provisions of Section 5.4.2., high hazard Class 7.2.2. fireworks for recreation, such as rockets, serpents, shells, bombshells, tourbillons, maroons, large wheels, bouquets, barrages, bombardos, waterfalls, fountains, mines and firecrackers, also known as "display fireworks" may be sold to and discharged by an organization or person conducting a public display for the purpose of the observance or celebration of a special event or festival provided that such organization or person holds a valid permit issued by the Fire Chief under the guidelines provided by the Fireworks Manual, Explosives Division, Government of Canada Publication as amended, and the Explosives Act R.S.C./E-15, as amended.

Subdivision 4 - Low Hazard Class Fireworks

- 5.4.4. 1. Low Hazard Class 7.2.1. fireworks for recreation such as showers, fountains, golden rain, lawn lights, pin wheels, roman candles, volcanoes, and sparklers may be sold at the following times:
- a. New Year's, December 24 to December 31;
 - b. Canada Day, June 22 to July 1; and
 - c. Halloween, October 24 to October 31.
2. A person may discharge low hazard Class 7.2.1. fireworks for recreation at the following times:
- a. New Year's, December 31 until 2:00 a.m. on January 1;
 - b. Canada Day, July 1; and
 - c. Halloween, October 31.

Notwithstanding 5.4.4.1. and 2. above, the Fire Chief may issue a permit to persons wishing to purchase low hazard class fireworks for special festive occasions. If approval is granted for a special festive occasion, all properties within 100 metres of the discharge property must have a notice delivered indicating the time and location of the fireworks display.

Subdivision 5 - Storage and Handling of Fireworks

- 5.4.5. 1. Up to 100 kilograms (220 lbs.) of low Class 7.2.1. fireworks may be stored in a container in a mercantile occupancy detached from any house. The container must comply with the following:
- a. be a box or suitable container;
 - b. kept in a part of the premises away from goods of a flammable nature;
 - c. have a close fitting lid;
 - d. be kept securely closed and locked;
 - e. not be used for any other purpose or storage;

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 - f. the interior to be kept scrupulously clean; and
 - g. have the words "Class 7.2.1. Fireworks" on a contrasting background conspicuously displayed.
 2. When low hazard Class 7.2.1. fireworks are displayed for sale during the period stated in Subdivision 5.4.4. they shall be displayed:
 - a. in lots that do not exceed 25 kilograms (55 lbs.);
 - b. aggregate lots shall not exceed 100 kilograms (220 lbs.);
 - c. in a package, glass case, or other suitable receptacle away from flammable goods; and
 - d. in places where they are not exposed to the sun's rays or excessive heat.
 3. A person may, provided reasonable precautions are taken against accident, keep in their possession on their premises for private use and not for sale:
 - a. low hazard Class 7.2.1. fireworks not exceeding 10 kilograms (22 lbs.) that were sold him/her in accordance with this bylaw; and
 - b. any quantity of Christmas crackers or caps for toy pistols.