

Seattle Fire Department

Permit Conditions

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VIN: _____ License Plate State/#: _____ Inspector: _____

Flammable/Combustible Liquid Tank Vehicle

1. Tank vehicles shall be designed, constructed, equipped and maintained in accordance with NFPA 385 and SFC Section 5706.6.1.1 through 5706.6.1.11. (SFC 5706.6.1)
2. Certification shall be maintained for tank vehicles in accordance with DOT 49 CFR, Parts 100-178. (SFC 5706.5.1.15)
3. Tank vehicles shall not be operated unless they are in proper repair and free of accumulation of grease, oil or other flammable substances, and leaks. (SFC 5706.6.1.1)
4. The tank vehicle shall have chock blocks not less than 5 inches by 5 inches by 12 inches in size and dished to fit the contour of the tires. (SFC 5706.5.1.16.2)
5. Signs prohibiting smoking or open flames within 25 feet of the vehicle or the point of refueling are prominently posted on the tank vehicle. (SFC 5706.2.8)
6. Spill cleanup supplies capable of absorbing 15 gallons of fuel, storm drain plug or cover kit, a nonwatery absorbent containment boom, a nonmetallic shovel and two 5 gallon buckets with lids are required on the vehicle. (SFC 5706.5.4.5)
7. Tank vehicles shall be equipped with a "fuel limit" switch such as a count-back switch, to limit the amount of a single fueling operation to not more than 500 gallons before resetting the limit switch. (SFC 5706.5.4.5)
8. Tank vehicles shall be equipped with a fire extinguisher having a minimum rating of 2-A:40-B:C and signage shall clearly indicate its location. (SFC 5706.6.4 & 5706.5.4.5)
9. The dispensing hose does not exceed 100 feet in length. (SFC 5706.2.8)
10. The dispensing nozzles and hoses shall be of an approved and listed type. (5706.2.8 & 5706.5.4.5)
11. The dispensing hose is properly placed on an approved reel or in a compartment provided before the tank vehicle is moved. (SFC 5706.2.8)
12. Hatch covers shall have the capability of being secured. (SFC 5706.6.1.6)
13. An external bond-wire connection or bond-wire integral with a hose shall be provided for the transferring of flammable liquids through open connections into underground tanks. (SFC 5706.6.1.8)
14. The fire code official shall be notified immediately by calling 911 when an unauthorized discharge of flammable or combustible liquids becomes reportable under state, federal or local regulations, or when any spill or accidental release, inside or outside of a building, could present a fire or life safety hazard. (SFC 5706.5.4.5)