

Seattle Fire Department

Permit Conditions

8020

Site Address: _____

Inspector: _____

Temporary Flammable Liquids [Single Event]

DIESEL FUELED PORTABLE HEATERS:

1. It is the responsibility of the permit holder to **train all employees** how to properly **use a fire extinguisher in an emergency** and to **make them aware of the following permit conditions**. [SFC 105.3]
2. A fire extinguisher shall be conspicuously located within 30 feet of the heater but not closer than 10 feet to the heater. The **required fire extinguisher** must have a **minimum U.L. rating of “2A – 40 BC”**. Required fire extinguishers must be **serviced annually** and must have a certification tag indicating the recent testing and certification. **Newly purchased** extinguishers must have the **sales slip** indicating the purchased date. [SFC 105.3 & 3106.4.4]
3. The total quantity of fuel on site shall not exceed sixty (60) gallons. [SFC 105.3]

NOTE: NO ADDITIONAL FUEL IS PERMITTED ON SITE WITHOUT PRIOR APPROVAL FROM THIS OFFICE [SFC 105.3]

4. Refueling of heater(s) shall be done daily, if needed, prior to the entry of the public into the site being heated. [SFC 105.3]
5. All equipment must carry the approval of a nationally recognized agency (i.e. U.L., F. M.). [SFC 105.3]

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DISPLAYS OF GAS OR DIESEL FUELED VEHICLES:

1. It is the responsibility of the permit holder to **train all employees** how to properly **use a fire extinguisher in an emergency** and to **make them aware of the following permit conditions.** [SFC 105.3 & 403.12.3.2]
2. A fire extinguisher shall be readily available in the booth. The **required fire extinguisher** must have a **minimum U.L. rating of “2A – 40 BC”**. Required fire extinguishers must be **serviced annually** and must have a certification tag indicating the recent testing and certification. **Newly purchased** extinguishers must have the **sales slip** indicating the purchased date. [SFC 906]
3. A primary operator shall be assigned the duty of being immediately available to operate the extinguisher. [SFC 403.12.3.3]
4. The maximum fuel allowed in the vehicle during the event hours shall be $\frac{1}{4}$ of the tank capacity or 5 gallons whichever is less. [SFC 314.4]

NOTE: NO ADDITIONAL FUEL IS PERMITTED IN THE BOOTH, TENT OR THE BUILDING.

5. All fuel tank openings shall be **locked and sealed (i.e. taped)** to prevent the escape of vapors. [SFC 314.4]
6. Battery cables shall be disconnected and the ends of the cables taped. [SFC 314.4]
7. Vehicles with no fuel gauge or with a broken fuel gauge shall not be allowed in the event and shall not be displayed unless prior approval is given by the Fire Marshal's Office. [SFC 105.3]
8. This permit is subject to a final field inspection. **Any exception to the above conditions must be requested prior to the event and must have the approval of the Fire Prevention Division.** [SFC 105.3]
9. Violations of the above listed permit conditions may cause this permit to be **invalid** and the event activities suspended. [SFC 105.3]

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10. To be valid, this permit including attachments must be readily available in the event area.
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L.P.G. (PROPANE) USE FOR HEATING AT PLACE OF ASSEMBLY (OUTDOOR):

1. It is the **responsibility of the permit holder to train all employees** in the proper storage and handling of propane tanks and how to properly use a fire extinguisher in an emergency and to make them aware of the following permit conditions. [SFC 105.3 & 403.12.3.2]
2. Fuel is limited to a maximum of **one (1) 20-gallon cylinder** per heating unit with a **maximum of five (5) cylinders on site** (this includes spares or empties). Additional units must be stored off premises. [SFC 105.3 & 603.4.2.2]
3. Fuel shall be a minimum **10 feet from the public and from any exit**. [SFC 105.3]

NOTE: NO HEATER OR FUEL SHALL BE PERMITTED INSIDE A STRUCTURE AT ANY TIME.

4. Provide a minimum of **one (1) approved fire extinguisher for every two heating units**. **No heating unit shall be more than 75 feet from an approved extinguisher**. The required fire extinguisher(s) must have a **minimum U. L. rating of “3 A- 40 BC”**. Required fire extinguisher(s) must be serviced annually and must have a certification tag indicating recent testing and certification. (Newly purchased extinguishers must have the sales slip indicating the purchase date).

Heating unit(s) lacking the required fire extinguisher(s) or with an outdated fire extinguisher will be ordered to discontinue the use of the heater unit(s) until the required fire extinguisher(s) is provided. [SFC 105.3 & 906]

5. All equipment must carry the approval of a national recognized testing agency (U.L., F.M., etc.). [SFC 603.4.2.2.1]
6. **Fuel shall be secured in an approved manner using chain, metal cable or certified flame resistant straps to prevent tampering or physical damage to the tanks or the hoses**. [SFC 105.3]
7. All cylinders must be equipped with a pressure regulating device intended for use with the gases contained in the cylinder. [SFC 105.3 & 603.4.2.2.2]

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8. When not in use the gas supply must be completely shut off with the valve protection caps in place. [SFC 6110.1]
9. Violators of the above conditions may have their permits canceled on the spot and all activities suspended. [SFC 105.3]
10. To be valid, this permit must be posted near the L.P.G. heater. [SFC 105.3.5]
11. The use of temporary heating devices shall be supervised and maintained only by competent personnel. [SFC 105.3]

NOTE: ANY VARIATION FROM THESE WRITTEN CONDITIONS MAY CAUSE THIS PERMIT TO BE INVALID AND THE L.P.G. POWERED HEATING DISCONTINUED.