

BOROUGH OF BOUND BROOK

BUREAU OF FIRE PREVENTION

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APPLICATION FOR BURN PERMIT – NOTE: Applications MUST be submitted 5 days BEFORE any permit is issued. Payment must be made at time of submission

The Uniform Fire Code states:

“Permits shall be required, and obtained from the local enforcing agency for the activities specified in this section, except where they are an integral part of a process or activity by reason of which a use is required to be registered and regulated as a life hazard use. Permits shall at all times be kept in the premises designated therein and shall at all times be subject to inspection by the fire official.” [N.J.A.C. 5:70-2.7(a)]

Date of application: _____

Location where activity will occur: _____

Date: _____ Time: _____

Applicant Name: _____ Address _____

Organization Name: _____

Organization Address: _____

Phone/Fax Number: _____ Emer. #: _____

Block/Lot: _____ Registration #: _____

The above named applicant hereby requests permission to conduct the following activity at the above indication location:

And for the keeping, storage, occupancy, sale, handling or manufacture of the following:

State quantities for each category to be stored, or used and the method stored or used:

Read through the permit Types (1 through 5) listed below and select the permit type required. Pay the total due for that permit. If the Fire Official determines that the type is incorrect, you will be responsible for any additional fees before permit issued.

TYPE 1 - \$115.00 TYPE 2 - \$258.00 TYPE 3 - \$456.00 TYPE 4 - \$685 TYPE 5 - \$1,410.00

I hereby acknowledge that I have read this application, that the information given is correct, and that I am the owner, or duly authorized to act in the owner’s behalf and as such hereby agree to comply with the applicable requirements of the fire code as well as any specific conditions imposed by the Fire Official

Applicant Signature

Fire Marshall Signature

TYPE 1- PERMIT - \$115.00

1. Bonfires;
2. The use of the torch or flame-producing device to remove paint from, or seal membrane roofs on, any building or structure;
3. The occasional use of any non-residential occupancy other than Use Groups F, H or S for group overnight stays of persons over 2-1/2 years of age, in accordance with section F-709.0 of the Fire Prevention Code;
4. Individual portable kiosks or displays when erected in a covered mall for a period of less than 90 days, and when not covered by a Type 2 permit;
5. The use of any open flame or flame producing device, in connection with any public gathering, for purposes of entertainment, amusement, or recreation;
6. Welding and cutting operations except where the welding and cutting is performed in areas approved for welding and is registered as a Type B Life Hazard use;
7. The possession or use of explosives or blasting agents, other than model rocketry engines regulated under N.J.A.C. 12:194;
8. The use of any open flame or flame-producing device in connection with the training of non-fire service personnel in fire suppression or extinguishment procedures;

9. The occasional use in any building of a multipurpose room, with a maximum permitted occupancy of 100 or more for amusement, entertainment or mercantile type purposes.
10. The storage or handling of class I flammable liquids in closed containers of aggregate amounts of more than 10 gallons, but not more than 660 gallons inside a building or more than 60 gallons, but not more than 660 gallons outside a building.
11. The storage or handling of class II or 111A combustible liquids in closed containers of aggregate amounts of more than 25 gallons, but not more than 660 gallons inside a building, or more than 60 gallons, but not more than 660 gallons outside a building.
12. Any permanent coding operation that requires a suppression system in accordance with N.J.A.C. 5:70-4.7(g) and is not defined as a life hazard use in accordance with N.J.A.C. 5:70-2.4.
13. The use as a place of public assembly, for a total of not more than 15 days in a calendar year, of a building classified as a commercial farm building under the Uniform Construction Code.
14. The temporary use of any building or portion thereof as a special amusement building for a total of not more than 15 days in a calendar year.
15. The erection, operation, or maintenance of any tent, tensioned membrane structure, or canopy excluding those used for recreational camping purposes, that meets the criteria in (a) 3xvi (1) or (2) below shall require a Type 1 permit. Tents, tensioned membrane structures, or canopies greater than 16,800 square feet in area and greater than 140 feet in any dimension, whether one unit or composed of multiple units; December 1 and March 31; having a permanent anchoring system or foundation; or containing platforms or bleachers greater than 11 feet in height shall be subject to the permitting requirements of the Uniform Construction Code N.J.A.0 5:23-2.14.
 1. The tent, tensioned membrane structure, or canopy is greater than 900 feet and more than 30 feet in any dimension whether it is one unit or composed of multiple units but 16,00 square feet or less in area and 140 feet or less in any dimension, whether it is one unit or composed of multiple units.
 2. The tent, tensioned membrane structure, or canopy contains platforms or bleachers 11 feet or less in height;
16. The erection, operation, or maintenance of any outdoor combustible maze shall require a Type 1 permit if the outdoor combustible maze is less than six feet in height and does not contain electrical equipment. Outdoor combustible mazes that are six feet or greater in height or contain electrical equipment shall be subject to the permitting requirements of N.J.A.0 5:23-2.14.
 1. For the purposes of applying this requirement, an outdoor combustible maze is an attraction that lacks a roof and is designed to disorient patrons, reduce vision, present barriers, or otherwise impede the flow of traffic and does not consist solely of living rooted plants such as corn stalks or trees, but includes mazes created from plants that have been cut and attached to an object to support them.
 - a. Mazes consisting solely of living, rooted plants, such as corn stalks or trees, may be repaired using cut, replacement plants that are otherwise the same as those of which the maze is created without the need for a permit.
 - b. No permit shall be required for mazes up to 42 inches in height created of bales of hay or straw.

TYPE 2 - PERMIT - \$258.00

1. Bowling lane resurfacing and bowling pin refinishing involving the use and application of flammable liquids or materials;
2. Fumigation of thermal insecticide fogging;
3. Carnivals and circuses employing mobile structure used for human occupancy;
4. The use of a covered mall in any of the following manners:
 - a. Placing or constructing temporary kiosks, display booths, concession equipment or the like in more than 25 percent of the common area of the mall;
 - b. Temporarily using the mall as a place of assembly;
 - c. Using open flame or flame devices;
 - d. Displaying liquid or gas fueled powered equipment; or
 - e. Using liquefied petroleum gas, liquefied natural gas, and compressed flammable gas in containers exceeding 5 lb. capacity.
5. Storage outside of buildings of LP-gas cylinders when a part of a cylinder exchange program.

TYPE 3 - PERMIT - \$456.00

1. Industrial processing ovens or furnaces operating at approximately atmospheric pressure and temperature not exceeding 1400 degrees Fahrenheit which are heated with oil and gas fuel or which contain flammable vapors from the product being processed;
2. Any wrecking yard or junk yard; or
3. The storage or discharge of fireworks.

TYPE 4 - PERMIT - \$685.00

1. Storage or use at normal temperature and pressure or more than 2000 cubic feet of flammable compressed gas or 6000 cubic feet or non-flammable compressed gas;
2. The production or sale of cryogenic liquids; the storage or use of more than 10 gallons of liquid oxygen, flammable cryogenic liquids or cryogenic oxidizers; or the storage of more than 500 gallons of non-flammable, non-toxic, cryogenic liquids;
3. The storage, handling, and processing of flammable, combustible, and unstable liquids in closed containers and portable tanks in aggregate amounts of more than 660 gallons;

4. To store or handle (except medicines, beverages, foodstuffs, cosmetics, and other common consumer items, when packaged according to commonly accepted practices):

- a. More than 55 gallons of corrosive liquids;
- b. More than 500 pounds of oxidizing materials;
- c. More than 10 pounds of organic peroxides;
- d. More than 500 pounds of nitromethane;
- e. More than 1000 pounds of ammonium nitrate;
- f. More than one microcurie of radium not contained in a sealed source;
- g. More than one millicurie of radium or other radiation material in a sealed source or sources;
- h. Any amount of radioactive materials for which the specific license from the Nuclear Regulator Commission is required; or
- i. More than 10 pounds of flammable solids.

5. The melting, casting, heating, treating, machining or grinding of more than 10 pounds of magnesium per working day;
or

TYPE 5 - PERMIT - \$1,410.00

1. Reserved.

Fire Safety Requirements for Food Service Vendors

(Carnivals, Fairs, exterior Public Gatherings Etc.)

Cooking:

A type 1 fire safety permit is required for any operation that uses an open flame with a public gathering.

Open flame appliances shall be a minimum of 5 feet from combustibile materials.

A minimum 10 lb ABC fire extinguisher shall be in close proximity to the cooking appliance.

A class K fire extinguisher is required when deep frying.

Tents:

Tents that are to be used for cooking operation shall be composed of materials that meet the flame propagation performance criteria of NFPA 701. Proof of treated material shall be provided to the Fire Official.

Open flame or other heat producing appliances shall not be permitted inside tents, canopies or membrane structures unless the material is treated in accordance with NFPA 701.

Suitable barricades shall be provided to maintain a minimum of 5 feet between the heat producing appliance and the public.

LP Gas (propane):

LP gas containers shall be located outside or on the exterior perimeter of tents or canopies, safety relief devices shall be directed away from tents or canopies.

LP gas containers shall be located a minimum of 5 feet away from the heat producing appliance.

LP gas containers shall be securely fastened in place to prevent unauthorized movement.

Fees:

A permit shall not be issued until the designated fees are paid.

The fire Official may revoke a Permit if any violation of the Code exists.

