



City of Grover Beach

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FIREWORKS STAND PERMIT PROCESS OPENS TODAY

Grover Beach, CA — The Fireworks Stand Permit process for selling “safe and sane fireworks” for the July 4th Independence Day Celebration opens **Tuesday, April 11, 2023**. Applications may be filed with the City Clerk’s Office from **Tuesday, April 11, 2023 through Wednesday, May 31, 2023**. Applications for Fireworks Stand Permits are available on the city website at www.groverbeach.org/401/City-Clerk-Documents-Forms-Resources, or you may email the City Management Department at gadmin@groverbeach.org to request an application to be sent via email or by regular mail.

Only Grover Beach based non-profit organizations are eligible to apply (i.e., the organization’s principal and permanent meeting place must be located and established in the City of Grover Beach for a minimum of three (3) continuous years preceding the filing of the application for the permit).

A maximum of four (4) fireworks stands will be permitted within the City limits and no organization may obtain more than one permit. Pursuant to Ordinance No. 05-04, the South County Chambers of Commerce and the Grover Beach Police Officers’ Association shall have the right of first refusal.

Fireworks sales: The sale of fireworks will be allowed at approved fireworks stands for a seven-day period from 12 Noon on June 28th through 12 Noon on July 5th (GBMC Article III, Section 3992 (17))

Public Discharge of Fireworks: Per Ordinance No. 20-04, adopted on May 18, 2020, the discharge of “safe and sane fireworks” are authorized from **10:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m. on Monday, July 4, 2022**.

Fireworks Stand Permit applications are available by emailing gadmin@groverbeach.org or from the City website at www.groverbeach.org.

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