



# MONTEREY PARK FIRE DEPARTMENT

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## CARNIVAL & FAIR PERMIT APPLICATION

- Plans will be submitted to and approved by the Monterey Park Fire Department.
- Fire Department all weather access roads shall remain unobstructed at all times in order to allow emergency vehicles access for firefighting purposes.
- Tents, canopies and other temporary membrane structures\** must be adequately roped, braced and anchored to withstand the elements of weather against collapsing. (\* Tents over 400 sq. ft. and canopies over 700 sq. ft. requires a separate permit.)
- No cooking underneath canopies or in tents, unless approved by the Fire Department.
- Flammable or combustible liquids and petroleum gas will not be stored in a tent or canopy or less than 50 feet from such structures unless approved by the Fire Department.
- Compressed gas cylinders (propane tanks) will be protected from damage and secured in an upright position.
- Electrical equipment and installations will comply with the electrical code.
- Heating and cooking equipment will not be located within 10 feet of exits, aisles, passageways, combustible materials or tent/canopy.
- Provide a Class-K fire extinguisher within 30 feet of all cooking appliances. Extinguishers may not be shared by different vendors.
- Smoking is not permitted in any tent, canopy or temporary membrane structure or in any adjacent areas where hay, straw, sawdust or any other combustible materials are stored or used. **NO SMOKING** signs must be conspicuously posted.
- A minimum of one fire extinguisher with a minimum 2A:10BC rating will be provided near any internal combustion power source or locations required by the Fire Chief.
- All Fire extinguishers will have a current (within 12 months) service and tag (by state licensee).
- All 2A:10BC fire extinguishers will be placed within a 75-foot travel distance to booths.
- All floor covering, bunting, flammable decorations or effects must be treated with a flame retardant in an approved manner.
- Concession stands used for cooking will have a minimum of 10-feet of clearance from exits and will not be located within 10-feet of amusement rides or devices.
- Cooking equipment, Generators and other internal combustion power sources will be isolated from contact with the public by fencing, enclosure or other approved means.
- Fuel tanks shall be of adequate capacity to permit uninterrupted operation during normal operating hours. Refueling shall be conducted only when the ride is not in use.