

WAYNE COUNTY

FIREWORKS ★ ★ SAFETY ★ ★



WAYNE COUNTY EXECUTIVE ROBERT A. FICANO FIREWORKS SAFETY TIPS

- Never let children handle, play with, or light any fireworks.
- Glow sticks make an excellent alternative to sparklers, especially for young children.
- Store fireworks in a cool, dry place away from the reach of children.
- Use a clear, open area and keep your audience a safe distance from the ignition site.
- Do not alter any fireworks device or attempt to make your own fireworks.

- Only light one firework item at a time and never attempt to re-light or fix a “dud” firework.
- Have a fire extinguisher, hose, bucket of water or other water source nearby.
- Be cautious when lighting fireworks when it is windy.
- Never drink alcoholic beverages while handling fireworks.
- Never aim, point, or throw fireworks at another person.
- Use fireworks outdoors, never indoors.

LEGAL FIREWORKS (NO PERMIT REQUIRED)

- ★ Flat paper caps
- ★ Toy trick noise makers (party poppers, pop-its, fun snaps, toy pistols using flat paper caps, etc.)
- ★ Flitter Sparklers (a narrow paper tube attached to a thin wooden handle producing a shower of sparks)
- ★ Fountains that are cone-shaped or cylindrical-shaped that emit a shower of sparks and sometimes a whistle effect
- ★ Toy Snakes (a pressed pellet that produces a large snake-like ash upon burning)
- ★ Toy Smoke Devices (smoke bombs, smoke pots, smoke grenades, smoke balls, etc., that produce white or colored smoke)

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HELPFUL HINT: If it makes a loud bang or leaves the ground, spins or twirls, it is illegal.