



BLASTING PERMIT APPLICATION

CITY OF LAGRANGE
307 W. JEFFERSON STREET
LAGRANGE, KY 40031

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***The fee for an annual blasting permit or renewal shall be \$250.00**

INFORMATION ON COMPANY REQUESTING PERMIT:

(COPY OF VALID KY BLASTERS LICENSE AND LAGRANGE BUSINESS LICENSE MUST BE ATTACHED)

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

PHONE/FAX #: _____

FEDERAL ID / SS NO. _____

INFORMATION ON LOCATION WHERE BLASTING WILL TAKE PLACE:

(SITE MAP SHOWING STRUCTURES WITHIN 1,000 FEET OF BLASTING SITE MUST BE ATTACHED)

ADDRESS/LOCATION: _____

BLASTING DATES _____

& TIMES _____

INFORMATION OF INSURANCE COMPANY:

(COPY OF INSURANCE CERTIFICATE OF LIABILITY MUST BE ATTACHED)

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

PHONE / FAX #: _____

LIST PROCEDURES AND PRECAUTIONS WHICH WILL BE TAKEN:

NAME OF PERSON REQUESTING PERMIT

(PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT)

SIGNATURE OF PERSON REQUESTING PERMIT

DATE: _____

APPROVED: _____

DENIED: _____

DATE: _____

COREY RUSNAK, DIRECTOR
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT



CHECK LIST FOR BLASTING PERMIT

The following must be finished before permit can be issued:

- Proof of insurance
- Site Map
- Proof of Pre-blast Survey (including list of neighbors)
- Advertisement with blasting schedule
- Notification of Fire Department
- Notification of LaGrange Utilities
- Notification of LaGrange Police Department
- Copy of Valid Kentucky Blasters License
- Copy of LaGrange Business License
- Annual Blasting Permit fee of \$250

City Of LaGrange Explosives Ordinance

Chapter 99: Explosives

Section

99.01 Authority and scope

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99.04 Manufacture and sale

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99.01 AUTHORITY AND SCOPE.

(A) This code shall apply to the manufacture, possession, storage, sale, transportation, and use of explosives and blasting agents.

(B) This code shall not apply to:

(1) Explosives or blasting agents while in the course of transportation via railroad, water, highway, or air when the explosives and blasting agents are being moved under the jurisdiction of, and in conformity with, regulations adopted by any federal or state department or agency;

(2) The transportation and use of explosives or blasting agents in the normal and emergency operation of state or federal agencies nor to municipal fire and police departments, providing they are acting in their official capacity and in the proper performance of their duties;

(3) Small arms ammunition and components thereof, which are subject to the Gun Control Act of 1968 (Title 18, Chapter 44 U.S. Code) and regulations promulgated thereunder;

(4) Blasting standards KRS 351.315 through 351.370 and Regulations 805 KAR 4:010 through 4:060; and

(5) Explosives or blasting agents being used on the site of federal or state projects.

(Ord. 4-2004, passed 6-7-2004; Am. Ord. 15-2004, passed 9-7-2004)

99.02 STORAGE, TRANSPORTAION, AND USE.

All activities within the scope of this code shall conform to the regulations of the Kentucky Department of Mines and Minerals 805 KAR 4:005 through 805 KAR 4:165.

(Ord. 4-2004, passed 6-7-2004; Am. Ord. 15-2004, passed 9-7-2004)

99.03 BLASTING PERMITS.

(A) No person or corporation shall conduct a blasting operation within the city without first obtaining a permit from the Director of the Public Works Department, or his or her designee.

(B) The fee for a blasting permit or permit renewal shall be \$250

(C) No person or corporation shall be issued a permit to blast within the city unless the person to be in charge of the blasting holds a valid Kentucky Blasters License and a current City of LaGrange Business License.

(D) The blasting permits shall specify the location of the blasting to be permitted and shall be supported by a site map showing any and all structures within 1,000 feet of the blasting.

(E) In the event that a project is not completed at the expiration of a blasting permit, the blasting permit may be renewed annually upon the applicant's payment of the renewal fee and review by the Director of the Public Works Department.

(F) A permit allowing blasting may be issued upon completion of application, review, and proof of notification and shall not become valid until ten (10) days after its issuance. The Public Works Director shall review and approve or deny the application. The person in charge of the blasting shall provide verification of notification to the following agencies: the LaGrange Police Department, the LaGrange Fire Department, and the LaGrange Utilities Commission.

(G) The person in charge of the blasting shall also publish a blasting schedule at least ten (10) days before the planned initiation of blasting. The blasting schedule shall be published in a newspaper of general circulation in the locality of the blasting site.

(H) The blasting schedule shall contain at a minimum:

- (1) The name, address, and telephone number of the blasting permittee;
- (2) Identification of the specific areas in which blasting will take place;
- (3) Identification of the dates and time periods when explosives are to be detonated;
- (4) Identification of the methods to be used to control access to the blasting area; and
- (5) Identification of the types and patterns of audible warnings and all-clear signals to be

used before and after blasting.

(I) False statements, made for the purpose of obtaining a permit, shall render the permit null and void from the time of issue.

(Ord. 4-2004, passed 6-7-2004; Am. Ord. 15-2004, passed 9-7-2004)

99.04 MANUFACTURE AND SALE.

(A) No person or corporation shall operate a business establishment where explosives are maintained for the sale, or manufacture for sale, of explosives in the City of LaGrange without first obtaining a permit from the Director of the Public Works Department.

(B) The fee for this permit is \$250

(Ord. 4-2004, passed 6-7-2004; Am. Ord. 15-2004, passed 9-7-2004)

99.99 PENALTY.

(A) **First offense.** A fine of \$50.00, if paid within 30 days of citation; and additional \$50.00 if not paid within 30 days of citation, plus interest at the rate of 1% per month, compounded monthly.

(B) **Second offense.** A fine of \$100.00, if paid within 30 days of citation; and additional \$100.00 if not paid within 30 days of citation, plus interest at the rate of 1% per month, compounded monthly.

(C) **Third offense.** A fine of \$500.00, if paid within 30 days of citation; and additional \$500.00 if not paid within 30 days of citation, plus interest at the rate of 1% per month, compounded monthly.

(D) Nothing in this section will affect the imposition of attorney fees or legal costs and this section does not repeal the imposition of the same in prior ordinances that may be enacted and ordained after this section is enacted or ordained.

(Ord. 6-2011, passed 5-2-11)