

**CHAPTER 16.40
FIRE DEPARTMENT PERMIT FEES**

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16.40.010 Permit: A permit shall be obtained from the Moses Lake Fire Department prior to engaging in the following activities, operations, practices, or functions:

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| A. Aerosol product storage (level 2 or 3 above 500 lbs) | \$200 |
| B. Aircraft Refueling Vehicle | \$50 |
| C. Battery Systems Exceeding 50 Gallons | \$100 |
| D. Carnivals, Fairs, and temporary membrane structures | \$75 |
| E. Dust Producing Operations as defined in Chapter 13, I.F.C. | \$200 |
| F. Explosives or Blasting Agents - storage | \$100 |
| G. Flammable and Combustible Liquids as Listed in I.F.C. Section 105.6.17 | |
| 1. Petroleum Facilities and Systems | As Per Table 1 |
| 2. Decommissioning or Removal of Storage Tanks: | |
| 0 - 1099 Gallons | \$50 |
| 1100 Gallons and up | \$100 |
| H. Hazardous Materials | |
| 1. Cryogenics - Storage System Installation | As Per Table 1 |
| 2. Gasses | |
| a. Medical Gas System Installation | As Per Table 1 |
| b. Compressed/Toxic Gas Storage, Use, or Dispensing Facility | As Per Table 1 |
| I. Use, Dispensing, Storage or other Hazardous Materials, Waste, or Hazardous Production Materials above the maximum allowable amount specified in the I.F.C. | as per Table 1 |
| J. LPG/Propane | |
| 1. LPG/Propane Storage, use, Dispensing Facility above 200 gallons WC total | As Per Table 1 |
| 2. LPG/Propane Tanks above 500 to 5,000 Gallons | \$50 |
| 3. LPG/Propane Tanks above 5,000 gallons WC | As Per Table 1 |
| K. Hot Work Operations | |
| 1. Public Exhibitions/Demonstrations/Pyrotechnics | \$100 per event |
| 2. Hot Work Within an A-1, A-3, H1 through H3, or any I Occupancy (special inspection and review required) | \$200 |
| L. Liquid or Gas Fueled Vehicles or Equipment in Assembly Occupancies - Exemption: Janitorial Equipment (special inspection and review required) | \$200 |
| M. Magnesium Working | \$75 |
| N. Special Hazard Fire Suppression System | |
| 1. UL 300 | \$75 |
| 2. FM 200 | \$200 |
| 3. Halon, Co ₂ , and Dry Chemical | \$100 |

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- O. Spray Finishing
 - 1. Installation and/or Operation of Paint Booth, Room, or Area As Per Table 1
 - 2. Installing and/or Conducting Dipping Operations Regulated by Chapter 15, I.F.C. As Per Table 1
- P. Systems
 - 1. Installation of Fire Alarm and Sprinkler Systems As Per Table 1
 - 2. Modification of Automatic Sprinkler Systems
 - a. 1 - 10 Heads \$75
 - b. 11 - 50 Heads \$150
 - c. 51 Heads and more As Per Table 1
 - 3. Modification of Fire Alarm Systems
 - a. Buildings under 5,000 square feet \$200
 - b. Buildings 5,000 square feet and more \$As Per Table 1

Table 1 - Fire Department Permit Standard Fee Schedule	
VALUATION OF PROJECT	FEE
\$1 TO \$500	\$35
\$501 TO \$2,000	\$35 for the first \$500 plus \$3 for each additional \$100, or fraction thereof, to and including \$2,000
\$2,001 to \$50,000	\$80 for the first \$2,000 plus \$7 for each additional \$1,000, or fraction thereof, to and including \$50,000
\$50,001 to \$100,000	\$416 for the first \$50,000 plus \$6.5 for each additional \$1,000 or fraction thereof, to and including \$100,000
\$100,001 to \$1,000,000	\$481 for the first \$100,000 plus \$3.50 for each additional \$1,000 or fraction thereof, to and including \$100,000,000
\$100,000,001 and above	\$3,150 for the first \$100,000,000 plus \$1.75 for each additional \$1,000 or fraction thereof.

For the purposes of calculating permit fees, the total cost of installation is defined as the engineer's, architect's, or designer's cost estimate for the total cost to install the fire protection system, or other system or process requiring a Fire Department permit. For hazardous materials applications this would include all installation costs associated with tanks, piping, and containment. (Ord. 2363, 11/27/07; Ord. 2204, 5/10/05)

- 16.40.020 Permit Applications: Applications for permits shall be made to the Moses Lake Fire Department Fire Prevention Division in such form and detail as prescribed by the city. Applications for permits shall be accompanied by such plans as required by the city. When more than one permit is required for the same location, such permits may be consolidated into a single permit. (Ord. 2204, 5/10/05)
- 16.40.030 Permission Granted by Permit: A permit constitutes permission to maintain, store, use, or handle materials, or to conduct processes which produce conditions hazardous to life or property, or to install equipment used in connection with such activities. Such permission shall not be construed as authority to violate, conceal, or set aside any of the provisions of this chapter. (Ord. 2204, 5/10/05)
- 16.40.040 Compliance with International Fire Code: Permit applicants and the applicants' agents and employees shall carry out the proposed activity in compliance with the International Fire Code and other laws and regulations which are applicable, whether or not specified in this chapter, and in complete accordance with approved plans and specifications. (Ord. 2204, 5/10/05)

16.40.050 Posting of Permit: Permits shall be kept on the premises designated within the permit at all times and shall be posted in a conspicuous location on the premises in a location designated by the Fire Chief. Permits shall be subject to inspection at all times by an officer of the Fire or Police Department or other persons authorized by the Fire Chief. (Ord. 2204, 5/10/05)

16.40.060 Permit Revocation: A permit shall continue until revoked or for such a period of time as designated within the permit at the time of issuance. Permits shall not be transferred and any change in use, occupancy, operation, or ownership shall require a new permit. The Fire Chief is authorized to suspend or revoke a permit when it is determined by the Chief that:

- A. The permit was used by a person other than the person to whom the permit was issued.
- B. The permit was used for a location other than that for which it was issued.
- C. Any of the conditions or limitations set forth in the permit have been violated.
- D. The Permittee failed, refused, or neglected to comply with the orders or notices duly served in accordance with the provisions of the International Fire Code within the time provided within the International Fire Code.
- E. There has been a false statement or misrepresentation as to a material fact in the application or plans on which the permit or application was based.
- F. The permit was issued in error or in violation of an ordinance, regulation, or the International Fire code.

Any revocation by the Fire Chief can be appealed to the Moses Lake City Council within ten (10) days of receiving the revocation notice. (Ord. 2204, 5/10/05)