

**MOUNT PLEASANT TOWNSHIP
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**PROCEDURE FOR OBTAINING A FIREWORKS PERMIT PER TOWNSHIP ORDINANCE
CHAPTER 93**

1. Application for Fireworks Permits must be made in writing to the Township Zoning Officer at least thirty (30) days in advance of the date of display. Application forms may be obtained at the Mount Pleasant Township Office during normal business hours.
2. Prior to the issuance of any fireworks permit, the proposed display site must first be inspected and approved by the Mount Pleasant Township Fire Department. It shall be the applicant's responsibility to contact the Fire Chief and arrange for site inspection and obtain written approval of the display site.
3. After the site inspection, the applicant shall return the completed form to the Mount Pleasant Township Zoning Officer along with the appropriate permit fee.
4. The applicant must post a bond deemed adequate by the Township with the Township Secretary conditioned for the payment of all damages caused to any person or person, and to any property by reason of the licensed display and arising from any acts of the licensee, his or its agents, employees, or subcontractors. In no case shall the bond be less than five hundred (\$500.00) dollars. Bonds may be in the form of cash, personal check, or other form deemed adequate by the Township.
5. If by reason of unfavorable weather the display does not take place, the permit holder may within twenty-four (24) hours, apply for an extension of the permit of not later than one additional week. In such case, no additional fee or bond will be required. No extension will be granted for any reason other than unfavorable weather.
6. Within seven days after the date of the display the applicant shall arrange with the Fire Chief or Zoning Officer for the inspection of the display site. The posted bond will be returned if the site is found to be without damage. If damage is found, the bond shall be held until the site is repaired. If repairs are not completed within a reasonable time, the bond will be forfeited. If the applicant neglects to have the inspection performed within seven days after the date of the display, the bond will be forfeited. If for any reason the display did not take place, the applicant may apply for return of the bond by setting forth under oath the fact that the display was not made.
7. Full text of the Fireworks Chapter 93 is available for inspection at the Mount Pleasant Township office during normal business hours.
8. Any questions should be directed to the Township Zoning Officer.