



**PRESS RELEASE**  
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**FOURTH OF JULY FIREWORKS**  
**APPLICATIONS FOR FIREWORKS STAND PERMIT**

A maximum of six Fireworks Stands are authorized within the City to sell "Safe and Sane" fireworks. Applications for a Fireworks Stand Permit may be obtained at the Arroyo Grande Fire Department beginning March 1<sup>st</sup>. Office hours are Monday – Friday from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. The deadline for filing the application is April 15<sup>th</sup>.

Permits are issued to applicants in the order of the eligibility list. The eligibility list is maintained by the Arroyo Grande Fire Department on an ongoing basis and made available to the public. Permits shall be issued to applicants in order of the list beginning with the first applicant after the last applicant issued a permit the prior year. Applicants filing an application that are not on the existing list will be placed at the end of the list at the time the application is filed.

If any applications from eligible applicants are either denied or not received by April 15<sup>th</sup>, the next applicant(s) on the list shall be deemed eligible. The City shall attempt to provide notice to the applicant; however, it shall be the absolute duty of the applicant to stay apprised of its position on the list. Such eligible applicants shall file an application for a permit with the Arroyo Grande Fire Department no later than May 15<sup>th</sup>.

Safe and Sane fireworks shall be offered for sale within the City during the period of 9:00 AM July 1<sup>st</sup> through 9:00 PM July 4<sup>th</sup>. Per City Ordinance No. 588, State Fire Marshal approved "Safe and "Sane" fireworks are permissible for discharge within the City limits of Arroyo Grande on the 4<sup>th</sup> of July only.

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*February 17, 2010*

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**DATE**

**FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION, CONTACT:**  
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