



May 20, 2024

TO: Courtney Hanson, City Clerk

FROM: Fire Marshal Kevin S. Pierce

RE: Fireworks display for Eddies Barrels of Wine, 136 E. Walled Lake Dr.
Walled Lake Michigan 48390 dated July 27, 2024 @ dusk.

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The loading of the fireworks onto two barges and lighting off of the fireworks has been reviewed under the following:

2015 International Fire Code (City adopted Fire Prevention Code)
P.A. 328 of 1931 as Amended, State of Michigan Fireworks Law
NFPA 1123, Code for Fireworks Display

RECOMMENDED APPROVED.

1. **Corrected 5/20/24 KSP-** A person's name shall be entered in the box on the fire application, not the company's name.
2. **Corrected 5/20/24 KSP-** Elizabeth Overfield is named the assistant. A copy of her license is attached, need a copy of the pyrotechnic operator's license.
3. **Corrected 5/20/24 KSP-** On the application, the exact location of proposed display is off the shore of Eddies Barrels of Wine 136 E Walled Lake Dr. This is on Walled Lakes side of the lake. This needs to be changed to the location in the application diagram which shows the fallout radius is on the Novi's side of the lake. Or the applicant shall pull a permit with Walled Lake.
4. The application states that the fireworks will be lite offshore from 1159 E. Lake Dr, Novi.
5. **Corrected 5/20/24 KSP-** Need to inform the Fire Marshal of the number of barges that will be used for this event. (Not on the application)
6. The vendor for the display is Great Lakes Fireworks LLC., contact is Elizabeth Overfield.
7. Absolutely no smoking or use of open flames in the safety zone.
8. All unauthorized personnel and the general public will be kept away during the fireworks being loaded onto the barge.
9. The storage method and location of the fireworks prior to the show shall be provided and shall be in compliance with NFPA 1123, at no time shall the storage of fireworks be left unattended.

10. The installation of the motor tubes and racks or other launch devices shall be inspected prior to the loading of any pyrotechnics device by a fire department representative.

This fireworks show is proposed to have 8.0" shell as the largest shell to be shot off. This review and approval is based on this information and the submittal by Great Lakes Fireworks LLC. **At no time shall a shell larger than 8.0" be used in this show.**

It shall be noted, that whenever, in the opinion of the Fire Chief or his designee, any hazardous condition exists, the fireworks loading shall be postponed until the condition is corrected this is to include no rain prior to event.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'KSP', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Kevin S. Pierce-Fire Marshal
City of Novi – Fire Dept.
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