



FLORIDA

CONSUMER FIREWORKS

Specifically permitted

Sparklers approved and listed by State Fire Marshal which emit a shower of sparks upon burning, do not contain any explosive compounds, do not detonate or explode, are handheld or ground based, cannot propel themselves through the air, and contain no more than 100 grams of the chemical compound that produces sparks upon burning. Any device that is not included in the list of approved items is prohibited, except that snakes, smoke devices, trick noisemakers, party poppers, booby traps, snappers, trick match. cigarette load, and auto burglar alarms, each of which are subject to size limitations and may be sold at all times.

Specifically prohibited

Firecrackers, torpedoes, skyrockets, roman candles, daygo bombs, and any fireworks containing explosive or flammable compounds.

DISPLAY FIREWORKS

Display permit

Apply to local authorities at least 15 days before display date. Displays shall be governed by NFPA 1124 (1995 edition), but local authorities may impose a stricter requirements.

Insurance

Required, \$500 minimum bond.

Operator

Required and to be approved by the chief of police and fire department of the location of the display. No license specifically required in state law. However, local jurisdiction may require permit.

MANUFACTURE, STORAGE, TRANSPORTATION

Storage specifications in law.

LICENSING

Required:

Manufacturer	\$ 1000
Distributor	\$ 1000
Wholesaler	\$ 1000
Seasonal retailer	\$ 200
Retailer	\$ 15 each location

Expires on Jan 31 of each year.

ENFORCING AUTHORITY

Local law enforcement and officials.
Division of State Fire Marshal
Julius Halas
200 East Gaines Street
Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0341
Ph: (850) 413-3170
<http://www.myfloridacfo.com/Division/sfm/>

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Fla. Stat. §§ 791.001 - 791.07 Fla. Admin. Code
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