

## **City of Topeka Fire Department**

## **2024 Retail Fireworks Stand Inspection Procedures**

City of Topeka Ordinance permits the sale of consumer fireworks beginning June 29th through July 4<sup>th</sup>. Since June 29th falls on a Saturday, delivery of product and timing may be an issue for your inspection, so please begin the communication and coordination as soon as possible. In order to provide the best customer service possible and to allow for the site inspections, the Topeka Fire Department will implement the below inspection procedures.

## EARLY INSPECTIONS

The Topeka Fire Prevention Division will conduct early inspections of retail stands on Friday, June 28<sup>th</sup>. No weekend inspections will be offered. This could delay your operation until Monday, July 1<sup>st</sup> if not ready on Friday.

- Retail stands must be entirely compliant and ready for inspection at the time of the scheduled appointment. Non-compliant stands may not be re-inspected until Monday, July 1<sup>st</sup>.
- The stand is prohibited from the sale of fireworks until the Inspection has been completed and a license has been issued by the City of Topeka and a permit has been issued by the City of Topeka Fire Department.

Contact Fire Inspections at <u>fireinspections@topeka.org</u> to schedule the early inspection. Inspectors will arrive unannounced and as soon as possible. Retail stands need to be compliant and ready for inspection, prior to 8:30 am. Stands found not to be compliant on the initial inspection, may not be re-inspected until July 1<sup>st</sup>.

## Stands are prohibited from the sale of fireworks until a fire inspection has been completed and a permit issued by the City of Topeka Fire Department.