



Fort Bend County Fire Marshal's Office

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FMO PERMIT NUMBER: _____
INSPECTION 360 PERMIT NUMBER: _____
DATE PAYMENT RECEIVED: _____
PAYMENT NUMBER: _____
TOTAL AMOUNT: _____
RECEIVED BY: _____

OPERATIONAL PERMIT APPLICATION

EFFECTIVE 10/01/2026

The following fees are hereby established for obtaining permits from the Fort Bend County Fire Marshal's Office. Acceptable forms of payment are credit cards, paper checks or money orders (made out to Fort Bend County). Fees will be paid prior to the start of the particular process for which the fee is charged. All fees paid to the Fort Bend County Fire Marshal's Office are non-refundable. A submittal is not considered complete until all required documentation, including payment, is received.

	Re-Inspection: Re-inspection fee will be paid prior to re-scheduling next inspection. The fee also covers failure to show up for a scheduled fire inspection without prior notice or if a scheduled fire, inspection is not canceled within one (1)-business day of the scheduled time and date. -\$300			
BUILDING PERMITS AND COMMERCIAL OCCUPANCIES		Cost	Quantity	Total
	Energy storage systems (IFC 2021 – 105.5.14). An operational permit is required for stationery and mobile energy storage systems regulated by Section 1207.	\$300		
	Exhibits and trade shows (IFC 2021 – 105.5.15). An operational permit is required to operate exhibits and trade shows.	\$300		
	Explosives (IFC 2021 – 105.5.16). An operational permit is required for the manufacture, storage, handling, sale or use of any quantity of explosives, explosive materials, fireworks or pyrotechnic special effects within the scope of Chapter 56. Exception: Storage in Group R-3 occupancies of smokeless propellant, black powder and small arms primers for personal use, not for resale and in accordance with Section 5606.	\$300		
	Fire hydrant and valves (IFC 2021 – 105.5.17). An operational permit is required to use or operate fire hydrants or valves intended for fire suppression purposes that are installed on water systems and provide with ready access from a fire apparatus access road that is open to or generally used by the public. Exception: A permit is not required for authorized employees of the water company that supplies the system or the fire department to use or operate fire hydrants or valves.	\$300		
	Flammable and combustible liquids (IFC 2021 – 105.5.18). An operational permit is required: 1. To use or operate a pipeline for transportation within facilities of flammable or combustible liquids. This requirement shall not apply to the off-site transportation in pipelines regulated by the Department of Transportation (DOT) nor does it apply to piping systems. 2. To store, handle or use Class I liquids in excess of 5 gallons (19 L) in a building or in excess of 10 gallons (37.9 L) outside of a building, except that a permit is not required for the following: 2.1. The storage or use of Class I liquids in the fuel tank of a motor vehicle, aircraft, motorboat, mobile power plant or mobile heating plant, unless such storage, in the opinion of the fire code official, would cause an unsafe condition. 2.2. The storage or use of paints, oils, varnishes or similar flammable mixtures where such liquids are stored for maintenance, painting or similar purposes for a period of not more than 30 days. 3. To store, handle or use Class II or Class IIIA liquids in excess of 25 gallons (95 L) in a building or in excess of 60 gallons (227 L) outside a building, except for fuel oil used in connection with oil-burning equipment. 4. To store, handle or use Class IIIB liquids in tanks or portable tanks for fueling motor vehicles at motor fuel-dispensing facilities or where connected to fuel-burning equipment. Exception: Fuel oil and used motor oil used for space heating or water heating. 5. To remove Class I or II liquids from an underground storage tank used for fueling motor vehicles by any means other than the approved, stationary on-site pumps normally used for dispensing purposes. 6. To operate tank vehicles, equipment, tanks, plants, terminals, wells, fuel-dispensing stations, refineries, distilleries and similar facilities where flammable and combustible liquids are produced, processed, transported, stored, dispensed or used. 7. To place temporarily out of service (for more than 90 days) an underground, protected above-ground or above-ground flammable or combustible liquid tank. 8. To change the type of contents stored in a flammable or combustible liquid tank to a material that poses a great hazard than that for which the tank was designed and constructed. 9. To manufacture, process, blend or refine flammable or combustible liquids. 10. To engage in the dispensing of liquid fuels into the fuel tank of motor vehicles at commercial, industrial, governmental or manufacturing establishments in accordance with Section 5706.5.4 or to engage in on-demand mobile fueling operations in accordance with Section 5707. 11. To utilize a site for the dispensing of liquid fuels from tank vehicles into the fuel tanks of motor vehicles, marine craft and other special equipment at commercial, industrial, governmental or manufacturing, establishments in accordance with Section 5706.5.4 or, where required by the fire code official, to utilize a site for on-demand mobile fueling operations in accordance with Section 5707.	\$300		

Project/Facility Name: _____

Submitting Company: _____

Address: _____

Address: _____

Bldg#: _____ Suite#: _____ City: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

State: _____ Zip: _____ Phone: _____

Contact/Phone: _____

Email: _____

Email: _____

Site Contact (Print Name) _____

Person Submitting (Print Name): _____