



FIRE PREVENTION REGULATIONS BLASTING PERMIT

CITY OF LACONIA FIRE PREVENTION DIVISION
848 NORTH MAIN STREET, LACONIA, NH 03246
Call (603) 524-6881 for appointments and information

**FIRE
PREVENTION
Safety**

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Contractors are required to contact the Laconia Fire Department Central Station and Lakes Region Fire Communications Center 30 minutes prior to **each** blasting event.

Laconia Fire Central Station: 603-524-6881
Lakes Region Mutual Fire Aid Association: 603-524-2386

Surface blasting conducted only during daylight hours.

Administrative Requirements of Permit Issuance:

- _____ Copy of Blasters Certificate on file at Laconia Fire Department
- _____ Copy of Blasters Certificate of Insurance on file at Laconia Fire Department
- _____ Permit MUST be posted or in the control of the supervising blaster on-site.
- _____ Payment of permit fee - \$60.00 initial - \$ 30.00 Renewal (each valid for 30 days)

Safety Requirements of Permit Issuance:

- _____ Non-sparking tools in use.
- _____ Blasting mats present and used.
- _____ NO RADIO TRANSMISSION signs posted.
- _____ Sirens or signal available for notification prior to blast.
- _____ Magazine area must be clear of brush or debris for at least 25 feet.
- _____ Utilities must be notified 24 hours prior to blasting where operations will impact utilities.
- _____ Magazine must be supervised at all times.
- _____ Two fire extinguishers must be located with Type 5 magazine (4-A:20-BC).
- _____ No unauthorized personnel allowed where explosives are being handled.
- _____ Explosive placard must be affixed to Type 5 mobile magazine unless empty.
- _____ Vehicular magazine must be made immobile when left unmanned.
- _____ No combustible materials allowed within 50 feet of magazine.