



**Celebrate  
Safely  
Fireworks  
Campaign**

**WASHINGTON STATE  
LEGAL CONSUMER FIREWORKS  
FOR SALE IN TENTS AND STANDS PER RCW 70.77.136**

**Cylindrical Fountain**

Upon ignition, a shower of colored sparks, and sometimes a whistling effect, is produced.



**Helicopters, Aerial Spinners**

A propeller or blade is attached, which, upon ignition, lifts the rapidly spinning device into the air. A visible or audible effect is produced at the height of flight.



**Cone Fountain**

Upon ignition, a shower of colored sparks, and sometimes a whistling effect, is produced.



**Smoke Devices**

Tube or sphere containing pyrotechnic composition that, upon ignition, produces a white or colored smoke as a primary effect.



**Roman Candles**

Heavy paper or cardboard tube containing pyrotechnic composition. Upon ignition, up to ten "stars" are individually expelled at several-second intervals.



**Parachutes**

Upon ignition, one or more parachutes are propelled into the air with stars, smoke, and other effects being discharged as the parachute floats downward.



**Wheels**

Pyrotechnic device attached to a post or tree by means of a nail or string. A wheel may contain up to six "driver" units; upon ignition, the wheel revolves, producing a shower of color and sparks and, sometimes, a whistling effect.



**Mine/Shells/Cakes**

Mine – An aerial device that shoots stars into the sky in an upward spray pattern.  
Shell – A shell is an aerial item that is fired into the sky.  
Cake – Dense-packed collection of mine/shell tubes that are fused together.



**Ground Spinners**

A small device similar to a wheel in design and effect. When placed on the ground and ignited, a shower of sparks and color is produced by the rapidly spinning device.



**Reloadable Mortars**

A shell consisting of a container, a lift charge, a time fuse, a burst charge, and stars/effects. The lift charge propels the shell out of the tube igniting the burst charge at the right altitude, igniting the effects.



**Dipped Stick, Sparkler**

Stick or wire coated with pyrotechnic composition that produces a shower of sparks upon ignition. Total pyrotechnic composition not to exceed 100 grams per item.



**Novelties**

"Trick and Novelty Devices" means any small firework device not classified as a Consumer of Display Firework. Items contain a small amount of pyrotechnic composition that is friction sensitive.



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