

Fire and Safety Regulations

All exhibitors, groups, shows, events, etc. shall comply with all laws of the United States and the State of California, all ordinances of the City of Long Beach, and all rules and requirements of the police and fire departments or other municipal authorities of City of Long Beach, and all rules and regulations from time to time adopted or prescribed by Long Beach for the government and management of the Long Beach Convention Center

- Nothing is permitted to block fire-fighting or other emergency equipment. This includes fire hose and extinguisher cabinet and fire pull boxes. Clear access of three (3) feet shall be provided to all fire protection appliances, alarm boxes, and sprinkler valves.
- Aisles and fire door must be kept free for use
- Helium tanks and helium balloons are not permitted in the facility
- Electrical equipment must be Underwriters' Laboratory (UL) approved and gas-operated equipment must be AGA (American Gas Association) approved
- Flammable gas storage tanks are not permitted in the Long Beach Convention Center. If vehicles or equipment have such tanks (full or empty), they must be removed and placed outside the facility
- In accordance with National Fire Protection codes, open gas cans, gas, oil, propane, butane, helium or other gases may not be brought into the exhibit area
- Open flames are not allowed
- Any exhibit that produces fumes must receive prior written approval from SJCC and Exposition Management
- Any event requiring the use of either flammable or non-flammable materials in storage tanks is required to have the tanks secured so they cannot be tipped over
- ABC fire extinguishers must be present anywhere storage tanks containing flammable materials are located
- Gasoline engines or motors may not run in any exhibit space after move-in
- The following are the Long Beach Fire Department's minimum fire safety requirements for public display of motor vehicles assemblage occupancies:
 - Fuel tanks shall be maintained below 1/4 tank of fuel.
 - Caps for fuel tank fill pipes shall be of the locking type and maintained locked. If it is not practical to attach such a cap, an alternate method may be employed with permission of the Long Beach Fire Department.
 - Display shall be located so as not to obstruct any required aisle or exit way.
 - Operation of motor vehicles is prohibited except for late-night or morning hours while setting up or taking down equipment for shows.
 - Vehicle on display must have visqueen or required floor covering protection material under the vehicle at all times at exhibitor's expense.



- The electrical system shall be de-energized. This will be one by one of the following:
 - Removing the battery.
 - Removing the battery cable.
 - Disconnecting one battery cable and covering it with electrical tape or other similar insulating material.