

# HOT WORK



## OPERATIONAL PERMIT INFORMATION SHEET

This Permit issued and accepted on condition that all provisions of the Codes now adopted, or that may hereafter be adopted, shall be complied with.

- Hot work shall be done in approved areas only.
- Conspicuous signs shall be posted to warn others before they enter the hot work area.
- Areas and conveyor systems shall not contain combustibles, or combustibles shall be shielded in an approved manner.
- Openings shall be tightly covered or shielded by metal fire-resistant guards or curtains.
- Floors shall be non-combustible and shall be kept clean.
- Partitions shall be non-combustible and shall be securely fastened to the floor.
- Hot work shall not be done on equipment that contains or has contained flammables until the equipment has been thoroughly cleaned. Hot tapping will be allowed when done by approved personnel.
- Fire protection systems may not be impaired during hot work.
- A fire watch who is trained in the use of fire extinguishers must be provided during operation and for at least 30 minutes after operation.
- Approved fire extinguishers rated at least 2A 20 BC must be provided and maintained and must be available within 30 feet of hot work operations.
- At least once per day, the hot area must be inspected to ensure that it is fire safe. A report of the check must be available for inspection by the Reno Fire Department.
- Hot work facilities must comply with all applicable provisions of the 2018 International Fire Code, particularly Chapter 35, and NFPA 51B. Additional requirements are subject to inspection and review.

The applicant accepts responsibility for the use of this Permit, in full compliance with the terms and conditions above, and additionally hereby to assume, pay and hold the City of Reno harmless for any liability arising out of the Permit. This Permit does not take the place of any license required by law and is not transferable. Any change in the use or occupancy of premises shall require a new permit.

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