

LP Tank regulations

All liquid petroleum (LP) gas tanks must be removed from trailers and mobile homes. No LP tanks, empty or filled, are to be stored in the building. LP gas used to operate equipment is limited to five pounds filled capacity. A permit is required for LP gas usage and additional safety restrictions must be obtained from the City of Milwaukee Department of Neighborhood Services, 414.286.2590.

Gasoline and diesel powered vehicles and equipment

Inform your Event Services Manager at the earliest opportunity if any vehicles or power equipment such as automobiles, boats, motorcycles, ATVs, recreational vehicles, lawn mowers, golf carts, construction equipment and other machinery. Before space is assigned, a floor plan showing vehicle displays must be submitted to WCD. Under the City of Milwaukee *Code of Ordinances*, a vehicle display permit must be obtained from the City of Milwaukee Department of Neighborhood Services at least two weeks before move-in. The following applies:

12.7.5.4 Vehicles. Vehicles on display within an exposition facility shall comply with 12.7.5.4.1 through 12.7.5.4.5.

12.7.5.4.1 All fuel tank openings shall be locked and sealed in an approved manner to prevent the escape of vapors; fuel tanks shall not contain in excess of one-half their capacity or contain in excess of 10 gal. (38 L) of fuel, whichever is less.

12.7.5.4.2 At least one battery cable shall be removed from the batteries used to start the vehicle engine, and the disconnected battery cable shall then be taped.

12.7.5.4.3 Batteries used to power auxiliary equipment shall be permitted to be kept in service.

12.7.5.4.4 Fueling or defueling of vehicles shall be prohibited.

12.7.5.4.5 Vehicles shall not be moved during exhibit hours.

Hazardous materials

These include but are not limited to: open flames, hot coals, natural gas hook ups, compressed gas cylinders (such as propane and acetylene), gasoline, radioactive material, and/or any flammable, combustible or toxic liquid, solid or gas. The use of hazardous materials is not permitted without the written approval of WCD and the City of Milwaukee Department of Neighborhood Services. Only a limited supply of the material is allowed in the device to be demonstrated. Excess fuel and cylinders must be properly stored outside of the exhibit hall. All transferring of fuel must be done with safety cans. All compressed gas cylinders must be securely anchored in the exhibits. Aerosol cans and other products containing flammable or combustible ingredients are not permitted in the exhibit area unless empty.

Demonstrations using hazardous materials must be approved by WCD and the City of Milwaukee Building Inspector at least five days prior to the event. These include but are not limited to: welding, brazing, laser cutting, LP gas cooking and heater demonstrations. Plexiglas shields or other protections must be utilized wherever sparks may be emitted or injury could occur to bystanders. Material-specific fire extinguishers must be nearby.