

General Information

1. The Pre-Application is for the lottery only. Only eligible organizations will be entered into the lottery.

“Eligible organization” shall mean an organization which has met all of the following criteria for a continuous period of not less than one full year preceding submittal of an application for the permit required by this chapter (and which continues to do so thereafter):

- (1) The organization must be duly organized not-for-profit charitable, religious, civic, patriotic, or community service organization.
 - (2) The organization must be headquartered within and clearly affiliated or identified with Porterville.
 - (3) The organization must be one which provides direct and regular community services and benefits to the citizens of the City.
 - (4) The organization must hold its regular scheduled meetings within the City.
 - (5) The organization must hold a bonafide membership of at least 20 members.
2. If selected, you will receive a complete package with the Application for permit. *Do not contact the State Fire Marshal's Office for a permit to sell Safe and Sane Fireworks until the lottery selection is complete and you know for sure you are one of the successful organizations.*