



City of Fairfax, Virginia

FIRE DEPARTMENT / CODE ADMINISTRATION

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APPLICATION FOR EXPLOSIVES USE PERMIT

ALL INFORMATION MUST BE PRINTED IN INK OR TYPED

1. APPLICANT NAME (<i>Full Name</i>):	2. APPLICANT PHONE #:
3. APPLICANT EMAIL ADDRESS:	4. APPLICANT MOBILE PHONE #:
5. BUSINESS NAME:	6. BUSINESS PHONE #:
7. BUSINESS ADDRESS (<i>No., Street, City, State, Zip Code</i>):	8. FAX #:
9. MAILING ADDRESS (<i>If different from address on Line 7</i>):	10. FEIN (<i>Federal Employer Identification Number</i>):
11. LOCATION OF EXPLOSIVES USE SITE:	12. GPS COORDINATES:

13. "DESIGNATED INDIVIDUAL": (<i>Full Name</i>)	See instructions for more information on "Designated Individual"
	14. CARD NUMBER:
	(Photo copy of card is to be attached to this application.)

15. Has the Applicant, Designated Individual or Blaster(s) ever been convicted in any court of a Felony:
 Yes No If yes, list name, date and jurisdiction: _____

16. Explosives use for: Construction Demolition Other _____

17. Fixed Site Non-Fixed Site

18. Type of explosives to be used (*check all applicable*): Blasting Agent Dynamite Blended Products
 Cast Booster Det Cord Binary Explosive Other _____

19. Initiating System: Electric Non-Electric Electronic

20. Planned explosives use Start Date ____ / ____ / ____ and End Date ____ / ____ / ____



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21. Virginia Certified Blasters (to perform work at this jobsite)

NAME (Full Name)	CERTIFICATION #	MOBILE PHONE #

22. Include the following as attachments to this application (**Required**):

- Blast Plan of explosives use to include a site diagram with hazards and distances indicated
- Copy of valid contractor’s license with classification of Blast/Explosive (BEC) from Virginia Department of Professional and Occupational Regulation (DPOR) – Board of Contractors
- Copy of valid Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives - ATF License(s) and Permit(s),
- Current Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives – Notice of Clearance (List of Employee Possessors).
- Proof of a corporate surety bond or a public liability insurance policy in an amount not less than \$1,000,000.00

The completed application and attachments are to be received not less than 30 days prior to the planned use.

Submit application package to: PERMITS@FAIRFAXVA.GOV

Applicant will be contacted with instructions for submitting application fee.

Submit questions to FireMarshals@fairfaxva.gov

By my signature below, I certify that the answers provided on and as part of this application are true, correct, and complete. I also certify that I am familiar with the Virginia Statewide Fire Prevention Code, Commonwealth of Virginia and Federal laws relating to explosive materials.

I acknowledge that if a permit is issued it shall be valid only at the location listed on Lines 11 and 12 and for the specific date(s) and time(s) for which it is issued.

I acknowledge responsibility for all inspection fees and agree to pay assessed fees.

I acknowledge that a permit is conditional upon continued compliance with the Statewide Fire Prevention Code, Commonwealth of Virginia and Federal laws.

28. SIGNATURE OF “DESIGNATED INDIVIDUAL” (person listed on line 13):	29. DATE:
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Application Instructions

(Do NOT return this page with the completed application)

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Lines 1 and 2: Self-explanatory.

Line 3: Provide an email address to receive timely communications from the Office of Code Administration.

Lines 4 through 10: Self-explanatory.

Line 11: Describe the site (*e.g. 911 address or property description*)

Line 12: Self-explanatory

Line 13: A “designated individual” is defined as “a person in possession of a Virginia *Background Clearance Card* (BCC) or a Virginia certified *Pyrotechnician* - both issued by the Virginia State Fire Marshal’s Office (SFMO),

Line 14: Self-explanatory

Line 15: Pursuant to § 27-97.2 of the Code of Virginia any person - as an individual or as a representative of a company - who applies for a permit to manufacture, store, use, handle or sell explosives shall not have been convicted of any felonious act, or has had their rights restored by the Governor or other appropriate authority.

Line 16: Self-explanatory

Line 17: Fixed site – identified as a permanent location where explosives may be used on a periodic or continuous basis.

Non-fixed site – identified as a temporary location where explosives are used for a specific project or to accomplish a specific defined objective (e.g. building construction, roadway project, utilities).

Lines 18 through 21: Self-explanatory

Line 22:

General Plan

- Type of rock
- Blast / Drill pattern
- Borehole diameter(s) and depth(s)
- Powder factor
- Overburden depth(s)
- Control of adverse effects: flyrock, ground vibrations, air vibrations, fumes and dust
- Pre-Blast survey
- Safety procedures to include misfires
- Signage, blast area security /access control and warning signals

Site Diagram (Include dimensions and/or measurements)

- Indicate blast area.
- Indicate the location of any buildings, structures or special hazards within and adjacent to the blast area.
- Indicate the location of any above- or below-ground utilities.
- Indicate the location of any transportation routes.
- Indicate the location of any waterways.