

## Peninsula Celebration Association

### Parade Float information

## PARADE/FLOAT REQUIREMENTS

Pursuant to the 2001 Edition of the California Fire Code,  
SECTION 1104 -PARADE FLOATS

**1104.1 Decorative Material.** Decorative material on parade floats shall be non-combustible or flame retardant,

Acceptable means of providing proof of non-combustible or flame retardant materials would include:

Flame Retardant Certification for the specific material treated or SFM (State Fire Marshal) tag, sewn directly on the material proposed for use. Additional means may include a swatch of the materials provided to the Fire Department that may be tested for acceptability prior to use.

If a parade float has multiple types of materials proposed for use, it may be advisable to contact the Fire Prevention Bureau during normal business hours (650) 780-7400.

**1104.2 Fire Protection.** Motorized parade floats and towing apparatus shall be provided with a minimum 2-A, 10-B: C-rated portable fire extinguisher readily accessible to the operator.

Acceptable fire extinguishers would include the following:

The correct size and quantity shall be present for float and vehicle Currently tagged (correctly date punched by the servicing entity see exhibit), If providing a new fire extinguisher, a manufacture date of no less than one (1) year must be originally imprinted on the extinguisher.

If you have any questions regarding the acceptability of a proposed fire extinguisher for use on a parade float, it is advisable to contact the Fire Prevention Bureau during normal *business hours*, (650) 780-7400

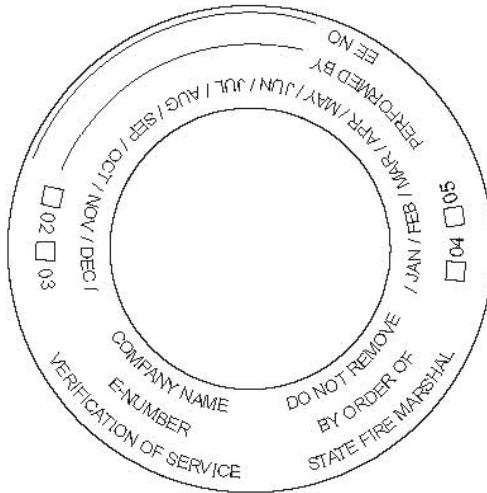
**Pursuant to the California Vehicle Code, Section 29004** (a) every towed vehicle shall be coupled to the towing vehicle or tow truck by means of a safety chain, cable, or equivalent device in addition to the regular drawbar, tongue or other connection,

FLOAT DESIGN SHALL NOT HINDER NOR IMPEDE SAFE AND IMMEDIATE  
EGRESS FROM THE FLOAT PLATFORM OR VEHICLE

These statutes only highlight some of the pertinent rules and regulations governing floats and parades and are not meant to be all-inclusive,

Exhibit  
Note:

Service is valid for one year from the punch date  
Indicated on tag. Or one year from date of purchase  
receipt of new extinguisher.



VERIFICATION OF SERVICE COLLAR

**DO NOT REMOVE**  
BY ORDER OF  
**THE STATE FIRE MARSHAL**

16	1	 <b>EE</b> (Cert. Reg. No.)  (Signature)  Name and Address of Firm	NOV	2006
17	2		AUG	2005
18	3		SEP	2005
19	4		OCT	2004
20	5		AUG	2004
21	6		SEP	2003
22	7		OCT	2003
23	8		NOV	2003
24	9		DEC	2003
25	10		JAN	2003
26	11		FEB	2003
27	12		MAR	2003
28	13		APR	2002
29	14		MAY	2002
30	15		JUN	2002
31	15	JAN	2002	

**ANNUAL MAINTENANCE TAG**

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HYDROSTATIC TEST LABEL  
D.O.T. SPECIFICATION CYLINDERS

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HYDROSTATIC TEST LABEL  
NON-D.O.T. SPECIFICATION CYLINDERS

**FORMAT**

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