



# OFFICE OF THE ILLINOIS STATE FIRE MARSHAL

## Pyrotechnic-Fireworks & Explosives Training for Firefighters, Law Enforcement and Code Officials

**April 10, 2025, 8:30 A.M. – 4:00 P.M.**

**Office of the State Fire Marshal  
1035 Stevenson Drive, Springfield, IL 62703**

**This is a FREE training program. Participants will receive a Certificate of Attendance.**

**Lunch is on your own.**

**Parking:** Free parking is available on the West side of the building.

**Doors open at 8:00 A.M. Please arrive early for attendance and registration.**

The Office of the State Fire Marshal will provide a day long training program on fireworks, pyrotechnics, and special effects at the OSFM office in Springfield. Training includes a review of State and Federal regulations including: IDNR, OSFM, ATF, DOT, OSHA, CPSC, NFPA standards and industry best practices. We encourage all Fire Service, Law Enforcement, Code Officials and Venue Managers to attend.

**Online Registration is available on the OSFM website, please register at [SFM.Illinois.Gov](https://sfm.illinois.gov)**

<https://sfm.illinois.gov/iam/business/fireworks/form-pyrofireworks-trainingforcodeofficialsregistration>

For more Information contact the Office of the Illinois State Fire Marshal, Pyrotechnics-Fireworks Division via email at: [SFM.PyroFireworks@illinois.gov](mailto:SFM.PyroFireworks@illinois.gov)

### Consumer (1.4G) Fireworks Retail Sales

Commonly referred to as “backyard” fireworks sold at retail outlets year-round and roadside stands.

NFPA 1124 Retail Sales  
Products & Packaging

Warehouse/Storage  
Fireworks Emergencies

Illinois Rules for Retail Sales  
Novelties

### Professional Display (1.3G) Fireworks

Products used by professional fireworks display companies & typically discharged for community events.

Types of Displays  
Display Site Venues  
License and Permits

NFPA 1123 Overview  
Fallout Zones & Weather  
Illegal Sale, Use, & Storage

Safety Equipment & Set-Ups  
Emergency Response Guidance  
Transportation

### Proximate Pyrotechnics and Flame Effects (Outdoor & Indoor)

Permit and compliance requirements for products and effects in the entertainment industry at indoor venues (theatres, concerts, arenas) or outdoor venues (stadiums, amphitheaters, roof tops) where the audience or performers are within 75 feet. *This training meets the OSFM rules for AHJ's that issue permits for indoor and proximate pyrotechnics.*

NFPA 1126 & 160 Overview  
Pre & Post Show Planning  
Safety Requirements

Storage Requirements  
Types of Devices  
APA Proximate Pyro Checklist

Fire Detection  
Life Safety Systems  
Illinois Licensing & Permit Rules