DICKINSON COUNTY FIREWORKS/SALE OF FIREWORKS PERMIT PROCESS

Dickinson County Resolution 032416 dictates that fireworks may be used within the Unincorporated areas of Dickinson County with a permit issued by the County Commissioners. No permit is a Class B Misdemeanor (6 months in jail and/or \$1,000 fine).

Any private, commercial, civic, or other individuals or organizations desiring to sell, offer to sell, distribute, or store fireworks in the Unincorporated areas of Dickinson County, must first obtain a Zoning Permit and also a Consumer Fireworks Retail Sales Permit. These can be obtained in the Dickinson County Zoning Office.

Permits allowing the use of fireworks are issued through and by the County Clerk's Office.

Blank permits may be obtained at three locations 1) County Clerk's office 2) Herington City Hall 3) Dickinson County website <u>www.dkcoks.org</u>

There is no cost for these permits.

Once the blank permit is completely filled out, it must be submitted to the County Clerk's office to be approved before it is officially granted. This submission can be done either in person by taking it to the clerk's office, by e-mail to <u>fireworks@dkcoks.org</u>, or submitted via fax at 785-263-2045. Faxed permits will be returned to the applicant via the fax number it was received from unless otherwise requested on the application.

Mailing of permits will not be done.

Fireworks applications are only available until 4:30 pm July 3, 2024 (This will be adjusted if those dates fall on a weekend). No permits will be granted after this date and time.

Permit holders must follow all the requirements contained within resolution 032416 to include being 21 years of age, and have the permit on scene at the location available for inspection if requested by a law enforcement officer The Permit holder must be on the premises while fireworks are being discharged. Further, that the permit is only valid for the 1st, 2nd, 3rd, and 4th of July, 2024, between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 11:30 p.m. each day.

Persons residing within the incorporated limits of the cities within Dickinson County, Need to consult with their respective city offices about their regulations.

Thank you and have a safe 4th of July!!